

ETHICS,
VALUES,
AND
ETHICAL
DECISION-MAKING



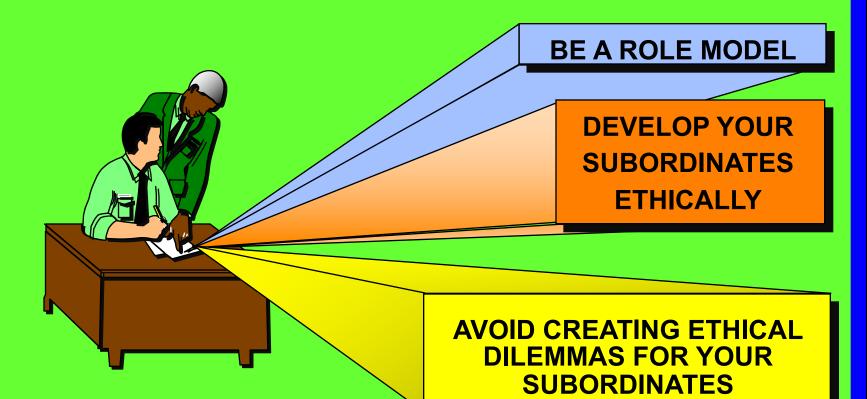
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THE STUDY OF REASONING AND CHOICE CONCERNING RIGHT AND WRONG CONDUCT.

ETHICAL RESPONSIBILITIES OF LEADERS



8 CONDITIONS FOR ETHICAL REFLECTION

- 1. LOOK AT YOUR VALUES/BELIEFS.
- 2. TOLERATION OF VIEWPOINTS.
- 3. EMPATHIZE WITH OTHERS.
- 4. NO SELF-INTEREST.
- 5. PATIENCE.
- 6. TOLERATE AMBIGUITY.

ETHICAL REFLECTION (Continued)

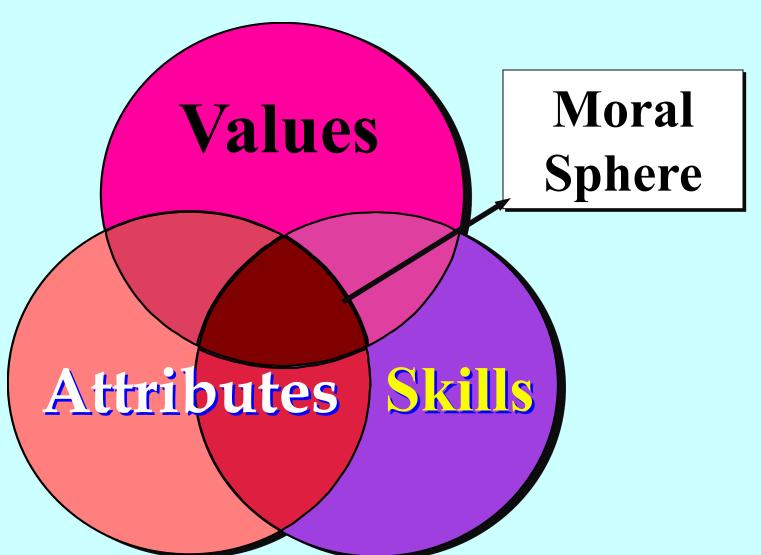
- 7. GET BENEATH SURFACE OF PROBLEM.
- 8. EXAMINE ALTERNATIVE ETHICAL SYSTEMS.

ROLE MODEL



SOMEONE WHO
EXERTS
INFLUENCE
OVER OTHERS
BY HIS OR HER
BEHAVIOR

CHARACTER



TRUTH

LIFE

RESPONSIBILITY

LIBERTY

BASIC NATIONAL

PEACE AND SECURITY

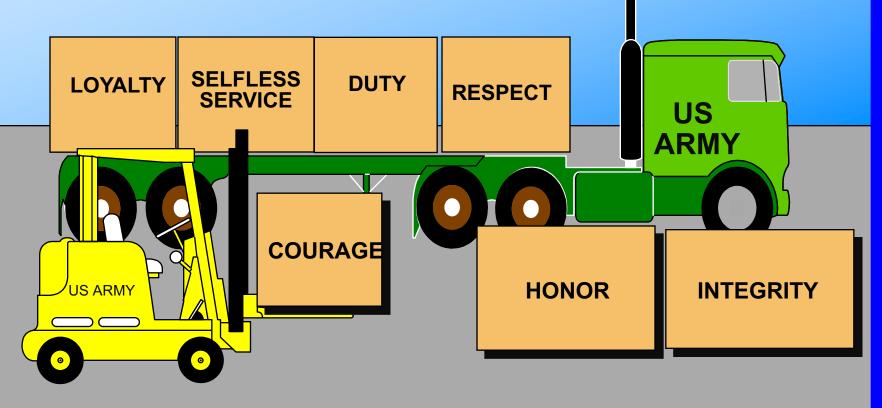
VALUES

EQUALITY OF OPPORTUNITY

JUSTICE AND FAIRNESS

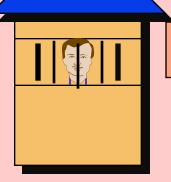
PURSUIT OF HAPPINESS







THE PROCESS OF INTERNALIZING VALUES



COMPLIANCE

ACTIONS BASED ON
REWARD/PUNISHMENT
(REQUIRES LEADER'S PRESENCE)

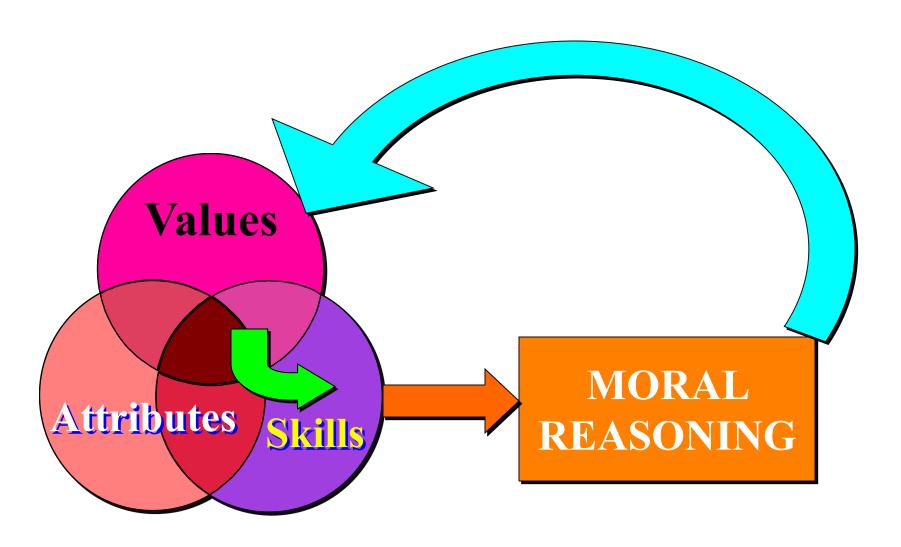
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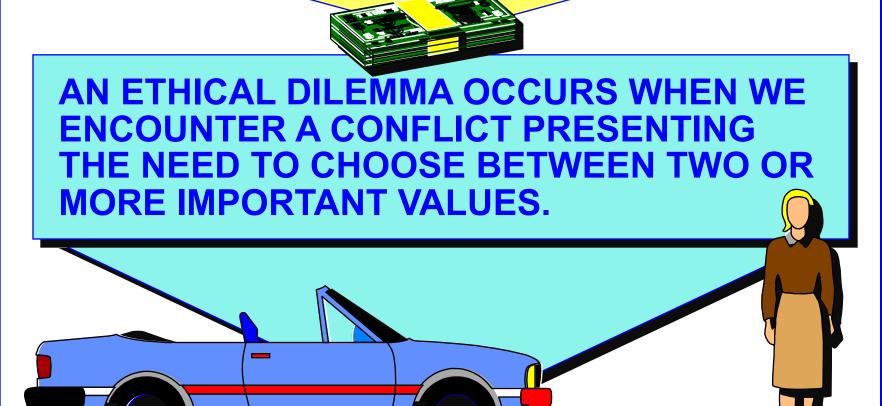
INTERNALIZATION

COMPLETE BELIEF IN THE VALUES

ETHICAL DEVELOPMENT











REMARKS WHICH MAY CAUSE
ETHICAL DILEMMAS

CAN DO!

JUST DO IT!

TELL THEM WHAT
THEY WANT
TO HEAR

MAKE THE REPORT SAY WHAT THEY EXPECT TO SEE

ETHICAL ISSUE THE PROBLEM SOLVING PROCESS

ETHICAL
ISSUE

RECOGNIZE AND DEFINE THE PROBLEM

GATHER FACTS AND MAKE ASSUMPTIONS

DEVELOP POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS

ETHICAL
DECISION-MAKING
PROCESS

SELECT THE BEST SOLUTION

° ANALYZE AND COMPARE

POSSIBLE SOLUTIONS

THE ETHICAL DECISION-MAKING PROCESS

1. INTERPRET THE SITUATION. WHAT IS THE ETHICAL DILEMMA?

2. ANALYZE ALL THE FACTORS AND FORCES THAT RELATE TO THE DILEMMA.

A. IDENTIFY THE VALUES THAT IMPACT ON THE SITUATION.

B. DETERMINE WHICH VALUES ARE IN CONFLICT.

C. IDENTIFY THE CRITICAL VALUES.

3. CHOOSE THE COURSE OF ACTION YOU BELIEVE WILL BEST SERVE THE NATION.

A. DEVELOP ALTERNATIVE COURSES OF ACTION.

B. WEIGH ALTERNATIVES IN TERMS
OF INFLUENCING FACTORS AND
FORCES AND SUPPORT FOR THE
CRITICAL VALUES.

C. SELECT THE BEST COURSE OF ACTION.

4. IMPLEMENT THE COURSE OF ACTION YOU HAVE CHOSEN.

ETHICAL PROBLEM LAWS ORDERS AND REGULATIONS DECISION RESPONSE ETHICAL BASIC NATIONAL REASONING VALUES TRADITIONAL ARMY **VALUES** INSTITUTIONAL **UNIT OPERATING PRESSURES VALUES YOUR VALUES**

OUR RESPONSIBILITY IS TO INSPIRE PROFESSIONAL ETHICS IN PEACE AND IN

