SAMPLE 5 PARAGRAPH OPERATION ORDER

1. Situation
   a) Enemy Forces
      1) Situation (enemy, weather and terrain).
      2) Capabilities.
      3) Probable course of action.
   b) Friendly Forces.
      1) Mission of Next higher unit.
      2) Mission of adjacent units (left, right, front, rear).
      3) Mission and location of supporting elements.
   c) Attachments and Detachments.


3. Execution.
   a) Concept of Operation.
      1) Scheme of maneuver.
      2) Formation.
      3) Route.
      4) Tactical Missions to subordinate Units.
   b) Subunit Subparagraphs.
   c) Coordinating Instructions.

4. Service Support.
   a) Supply.
      1) Rations.
      2) Uniforms and Equipment.
      3) Arms and Ammunition.
      4) Captured Materiel.
   b) Transportation.
   c) Medical Evacuation.
   d) Personnel.
   e) Prisoners of War.

5. Command and Signal.
   a) Signal.
      1) Frequencies and Call Signs.
      2) Pyrotechnics and Signals.
      3) Challenge and Password.
      4) Code Words.
   b) Command.
      1) Command Leader Location.
      2) Chain of Command.