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Jean L. Earle, a senior advisor specializing in defense logistics and supply chain execution, is bringing more than three decades of experience in military procurement, transportation coordination, supplier management, and mission-critical delivery to organizations seeking stronger and more resilient defense supply chains.

Throughout her career, Ms. Earle has managed the complex movement of aircraft components, munitions, and other critical defense materials from supplier facilities to military depots, forward operating locations, and prime contractors. Her work has required close coordination across procurement teams, freight providers, customs authorities, security personnel, suppliers, and program management offices operating under strict delivery and compliance requirements.

Ms. Earle has overseen logistics involving more than **15,000 unique part numbers across over 40 supplier facilities**, while supporting international movement of defense-related equipment subject to export and trade compliance requirements.

Her advisory work focuses on helping organizations improve supply chain visibility, strengthen vendor accountability, reduce delivery delays, and develop contingency processes for urgent operational requirements.

Among her representative engagements, Ms. Earle consolidated the logistics pipeline for a major rotorcraft component program involving 14 suppliers across three countries. The introduction of a structured vendor performance scorecard helped reduce late deliveries by **42 percent** while improving visibility into parts moving through the supply chain.

She has also supported the planning and execution of recurring ammunition resupply operations for forward operating locations, coordinating transportation routing, hazardous-material documentation, depot delivery, and security requirements. The operation achieved **100 percent on-time delivery across eight consecutive shipments totaling more than 2,000 pallets**.

In aviation sustainment, Ms. Earle developed rapid-response procedures for Aircraft on Ground situations involving mission-critical parts. Over a three-year period, the process supported the resolution of **47 AOG events**, achieving an average turnaround of approximately **68 hours from part identification to on-wing installation**.

"Defense logistics is ultimately about making sure the right material reaches the right location when the mission requires it," said Ms. Earle. "That requires visibility, disciplined supplier management, strong contingency planning, and the ability to coordinate multiple stakeholders under demanding operational

conditions.”

Her current advisory focus includes **end-to-end supply chain orchestration, supplier selection and performance monitoring, ITAR and export compliance, urgent operational needs, transportation routing, freight optimization, inventory staging, depot integration, and sustainment transition planning.**

Ms. Earle also advises programs transitioning from active procurement into long-term sustainment environments, where inventory positioning, supplier continuity, lifecycle requirements, and stockpiling strategies become increasingly important.

About Jean L. Earle

Jean L. Earle is a senior defense logistics and supply chain advisor with more than 30 years of experience supporting the procurement, staging, transportation, and delivery of aircraft components, munitions, and mission-critical materials. Her work spans supplier coordination, international transportation, defense trade compliance, AOG response, depot integration, vendor performance management, and supply chain resilience.

All advisory engagements are conducted under appropriate nondisclosure requirements and are subject to applicable organizational conflict-of-interest review.

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