



## **19TH ESC DEPUTY COMMANDER**

### **Colonel John Brookie**

Colonel John “Chris” Brookie assumed duties as the 19th Expeditionary Sustainment Command (ESC) Deputy Commanding Officer (DCO) on 25 July 2019.

Colonel Brookie’s previous assignment was Commander of the 402nd Army Field Support Brigade.

COL Brookie was born in Ware Shoals, South Carolina and Enlisted in the Army as a CH-47 Crew Chief/Mechanic in 1985. He was commissioned as a 2LT in the Quartermaster Corps in 1992 through the Army’s Green to Gold Scholarship Program.

COL Brookie has served in a variety of leadership and staff assignments during his career. His assignments include: Executive Officer, 4th QM Detachment (Airborne), Pusan, South Korea; Deputy G5, 25th Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii; Team Commander, Central Identification Laboratory, Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii; Maintenance Officer and Supply Company Commander, Fort Stewart, Georgia; Regimental Adjutant, Office of the Quartermaster General, Fort Lee, Virginia; Battalion Executive Officer, 266th QM Battalion, Fort Lee, Virginia; Battalion Operations Officer and Battalion Executive Officer, 240th QM Battalion (PPTO), Fort Lee, Virginia; Support Operations Supply & Services Branch Chief and G3 Chief of Operations, 21st Theater Sustainment Command, Germany; Commander, DLA Energy, Daegu, South Korea; ACofS G7 (Transformation) and Deputy Chief, Support Operations, 21st Theater Sustainment Command, Germany; Commander, U.S. Army Petroleum Center, Fort Belvoir, Virginia. During his career, COL Brookie has deployed to Haiti as the Deputy J3 Civil Affairs; Laos and Vietnam as a Search and Recovery Team Commander; Kuwait as a Forward Support Company Commander; Bosnia as a Logistics Task Force Supply Company Commander;

Balad, Iraq as a Petroleum Group, Support Operations Officer; to Japan as the Operation Tomodachi, Joint Petroleum Officer, and MK Airbase Romania as the Senior Mission Commander.

COL Brookie's civilian and military education includes the Quartermaster Officer Basic Course, the Combined Logistics Officer Advanced Course, the Combined Arms and Service Staff School; the Logistics Executive Development Course, the Command and General Staff College, and the Eisenhower School (formerly ICAF).

COL Brookie holds a Bachelor of Science in Professional Aeronautics from Embry-Riddle Aeronautical University, a Master's of Science in Logistics Management from the Florida Institute of Technology, and a Master's of Science in National Defense & Resource Strategy from the Eisenhower School. Additionally, COL Brookie holds the title of Certified Professional Logistician from the Society of Logistics Engineers. He has also earned Defense Acquisition University certificates as a Lifecycle Logistician Level II and is a Senior Acquisition Course graduate. COL Brookie is a designated Joint Qualified Officer.

COL Brookie's military awards and decorations include the Legion of Merit, Bronze Star Medal, Defense Meritorious Service Medal, Army Meritorious Service Medal, Joint Service Commendation Medal, Army Commendation Medal, Joint Service Achievement Medal, and the Army Achievement Medal. His other awards and decorations include the Aircraft Crewmember Badge, Parachutist Badge, and Parachute Rigger Badge. His foreign awards are the Korean Parachutist Badge and the Romanian Air Force Emblem of Honor.

COL Brookie has two children.