

## Operational Weather Squadron Production System II (OPS-II)

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**PROGRAM/PROJECT DESCRIPTION:** A weather information production system for the Operational Weather Squadrons. OPS II consists of a suite of servers, workstations, networking equipment, and application software. It enables forecasters to produce and disseminate products to weather units supporting operations

### **I. TRAINING REQUIREMENTS:**

#### **A. Trainees** **B. Skill Level of Designated Trainees**

**DoD Forecasters/Meteorologists**

##### **Air Force**

⇒ Enlisted

Apprentice  Journeyman  Craftsman

⇒ Civilian

Forecaster

⇒ Officer

Entry Level  Fully Qualified

#### **C. Training Required**

Familiarization  Refresher Training

Basic Knowledge  Basic Task Performance

Intermediate Knowledge  Intermediate Task Performance

### **II. TRAINING DEVELOPMENT/DELIVERY:**

#### **A. Training Program Status**

Periodic Updates and Reviews  (current)

#### **B. Training Method**

Computer Based Training (Web-on-line, CD training modules)

Self-study (Text, Videotape)

On-the-job Training (Operational Area)

Contractor provided with system delivery on site

#### **C. Training Delivery Resources**

Computer Based Instruction

Operational Product

Operational System

#### **D. Training Provider**

Contractor (manufacturer)

Federal Agency

⇒ DoD  Air Force

#### **E. Training Measurement**

Performance (task performance and evaluation)

#### **F. Training References**

Technical References

System Manuals

Lesson Plans

#### **G. Training Completion Documentation**

Individual Training Records

### **III. TRAINING IDENTIFICATION/DESCRIPTION**

#### **A. Training Identification**

Name: OWS Production System II (OPS II)

#### **B. Training Length**

80 hours

#### **C. Group Size**

Minimum: 2 Desired: 10 Maximum: 12

#### **D. Trainer to Trainee Ratio**

One trainer for 6 to 12 trainees

#### **E. Point of Contact to Request Training**

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