

# 30 PROJECTS, 30 YEARS

## *Allegations of Improper Conduct: Major General David R.E. Hale, U.S. Army, Deputy Commanding General, Allied Land Forces Southeastern Europe, Izmir, Turkey*

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DoD IG concluded Major General Hale engaged in adultery and/or improper relationships with the spouses of four of his subordinate officers. Having retired before the investigation was completed, Major General Hale was recalled to active duty to face an unprecedented court-martial for his offenses. Thereafter, the Office of the Secretary of Defense implemented policy requiring stringent reviews of adverse information pertaining to any general officer pending promotion, retirement or reassignment and placing those actions on hold until the reviews were completed.

## **Retired General to Face Court-Martial**

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