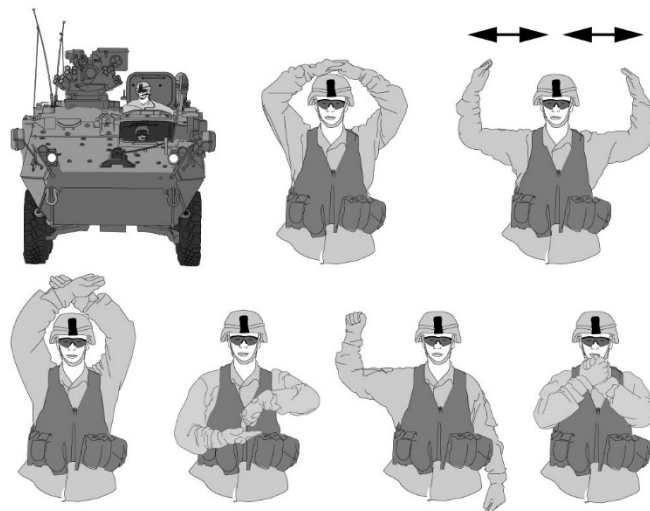

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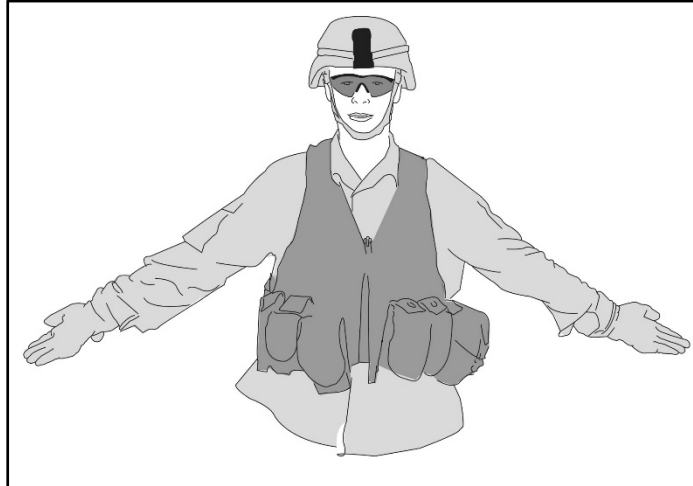


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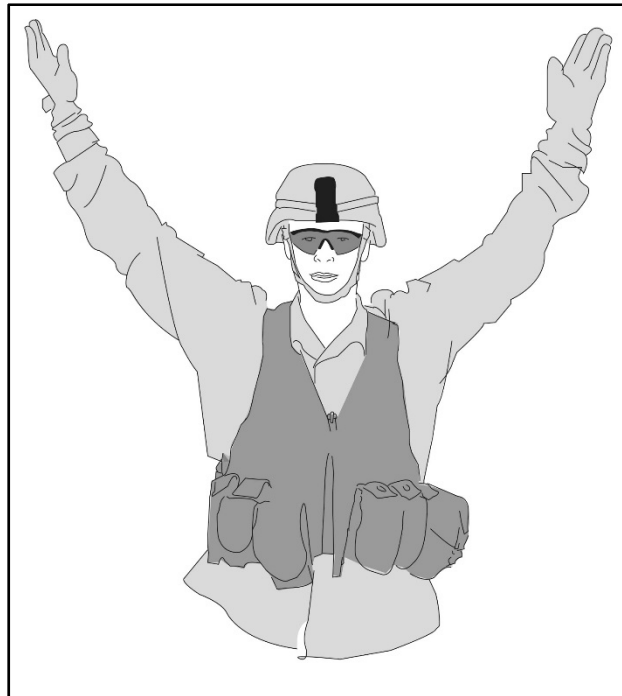


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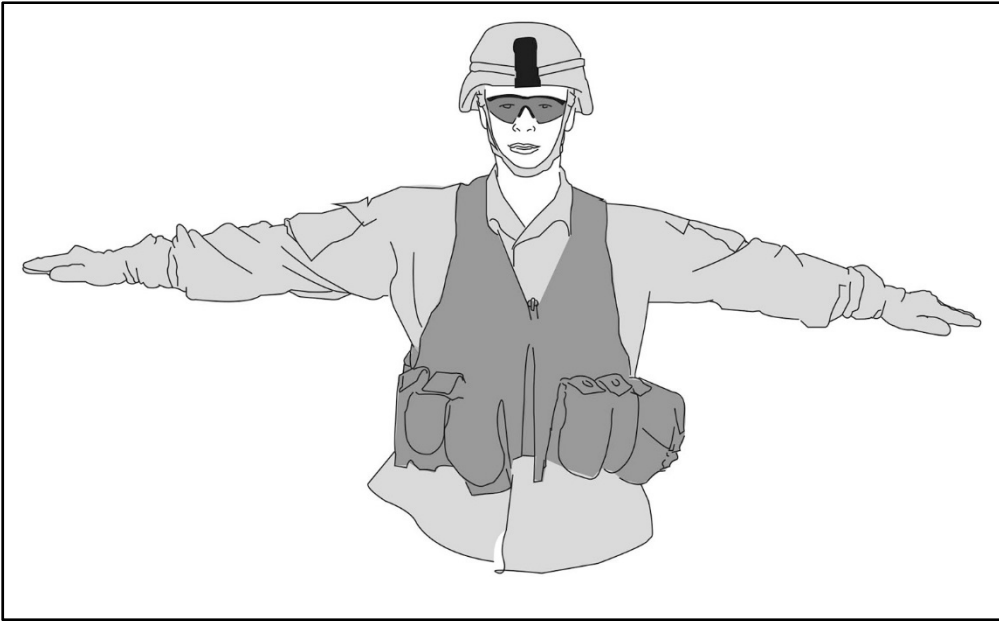


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Figure 4. Coil



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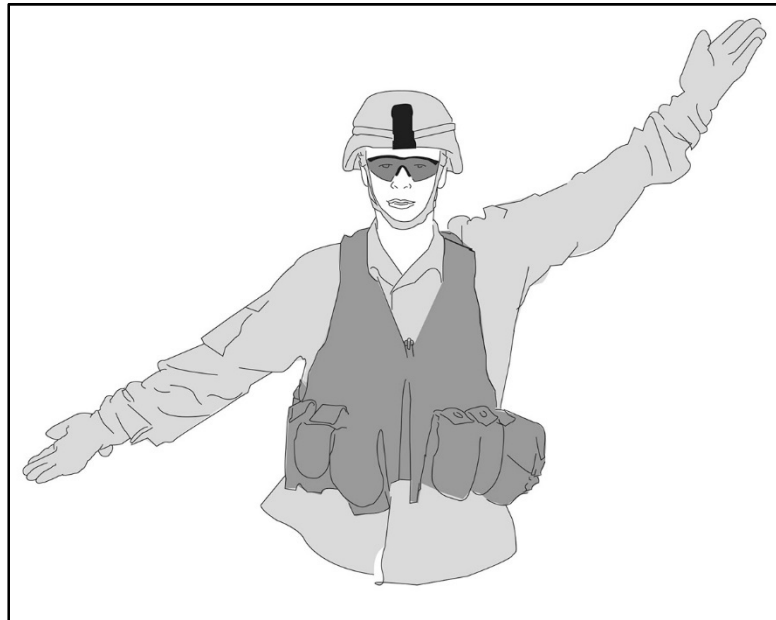


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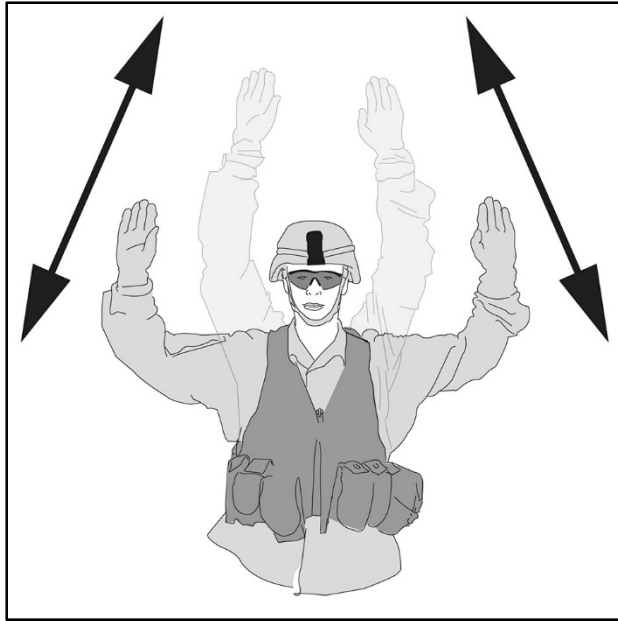


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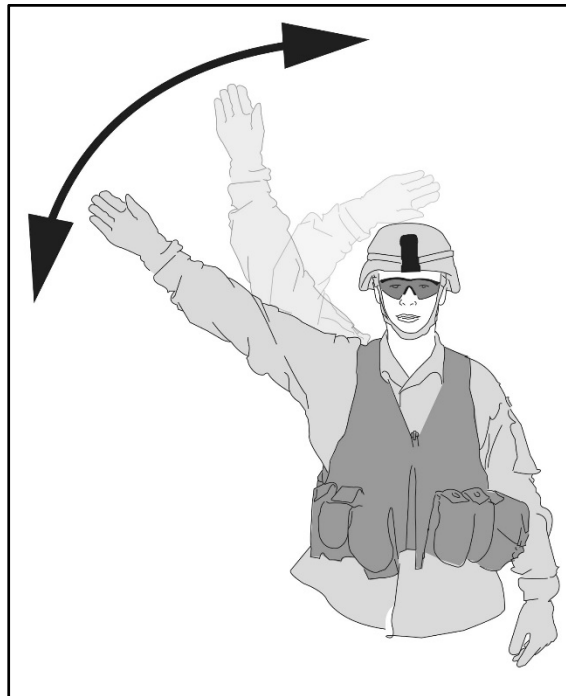


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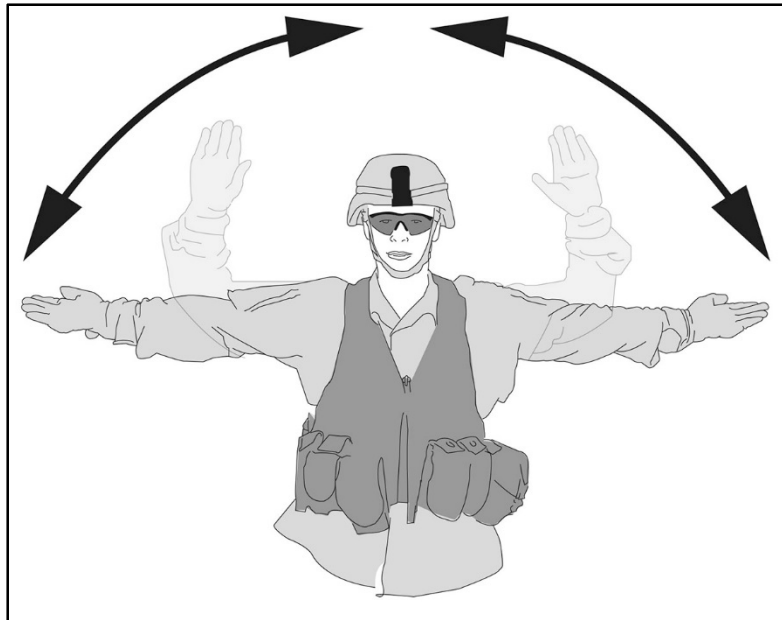


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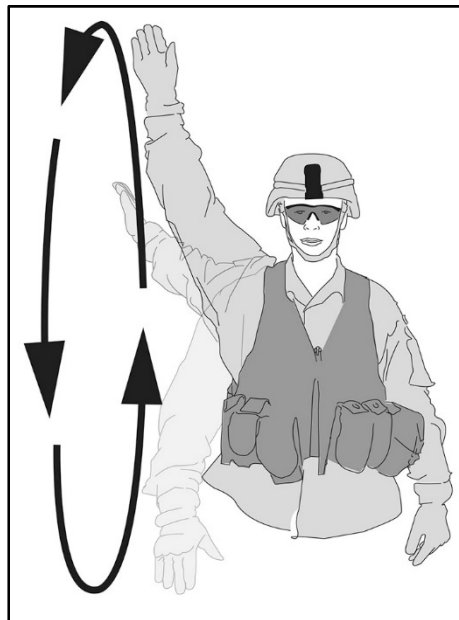


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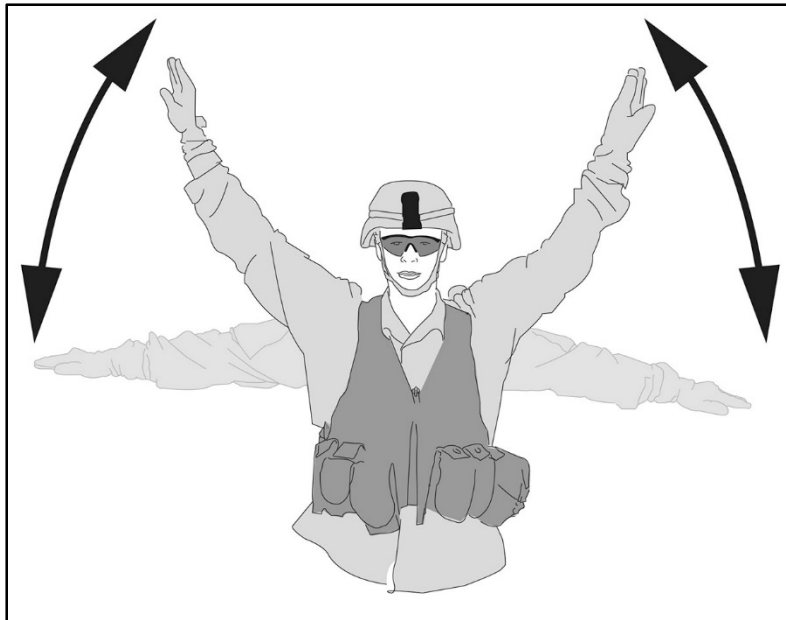


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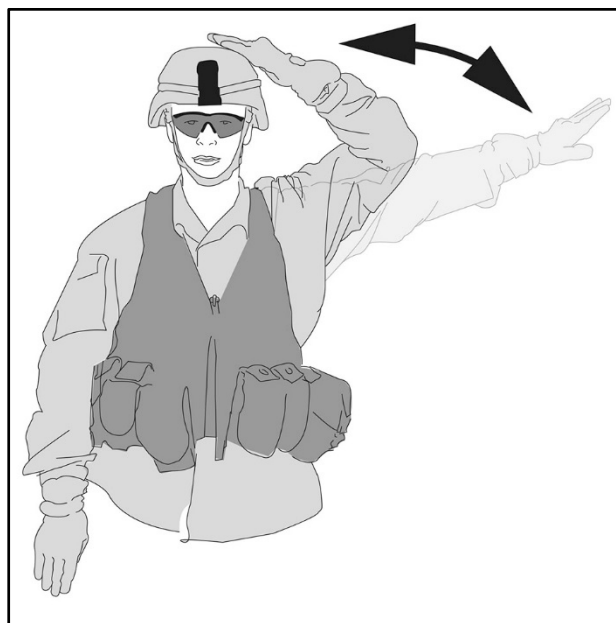


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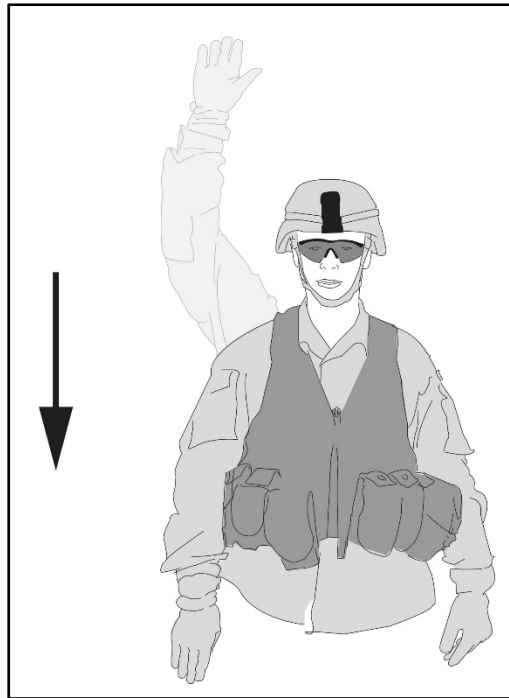


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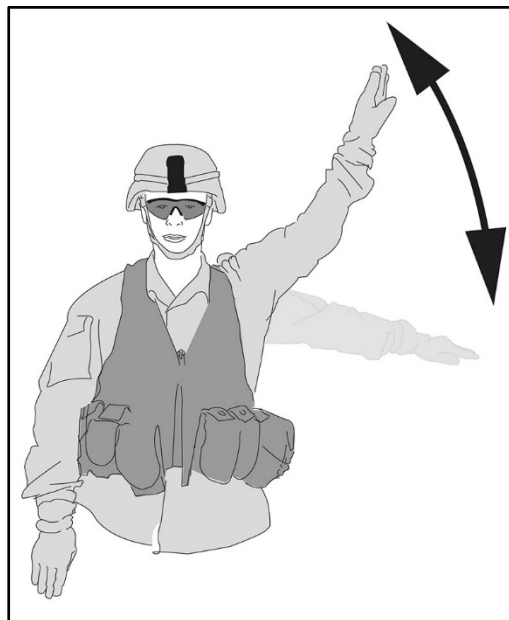


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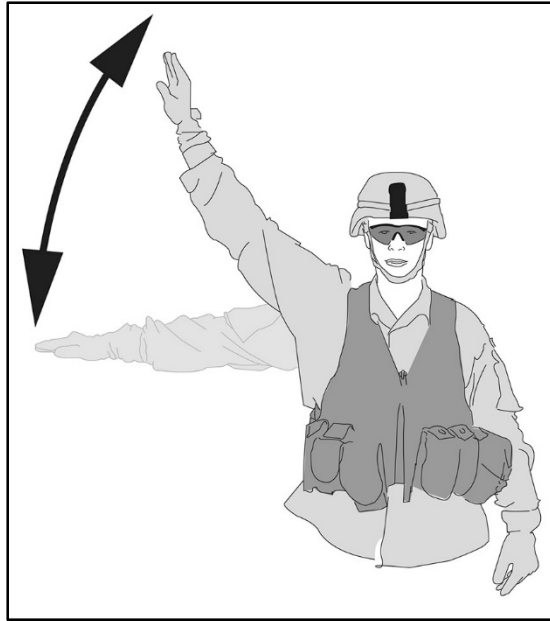


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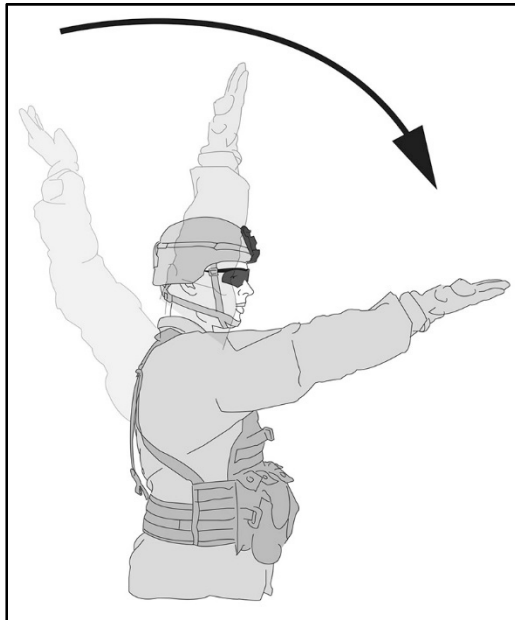


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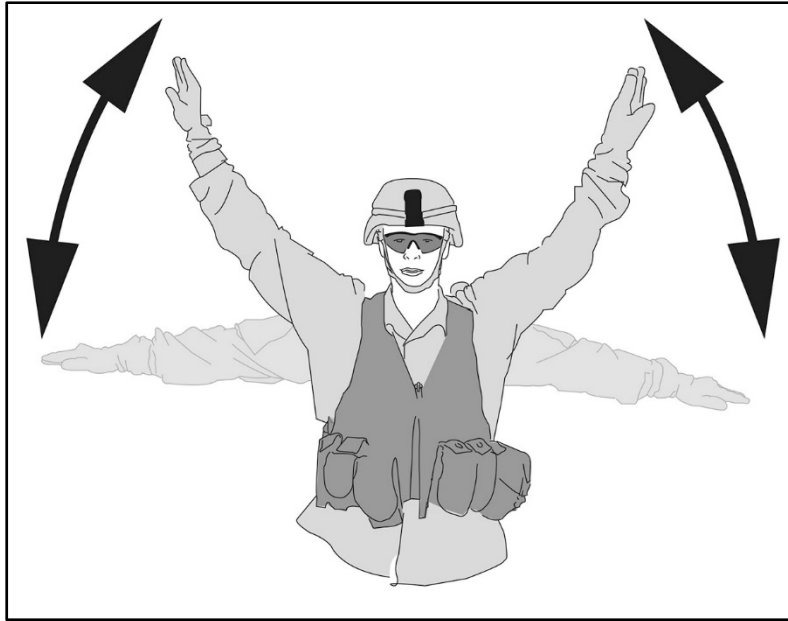


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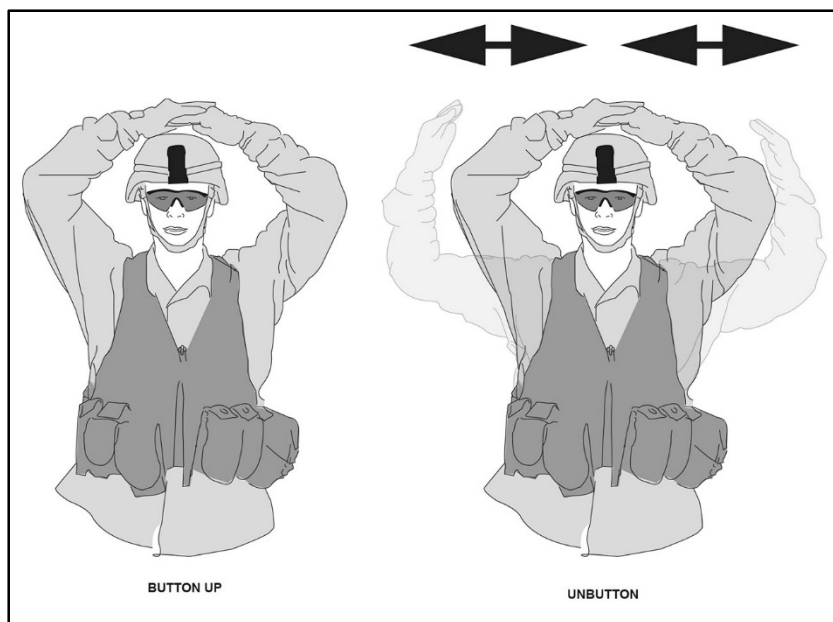


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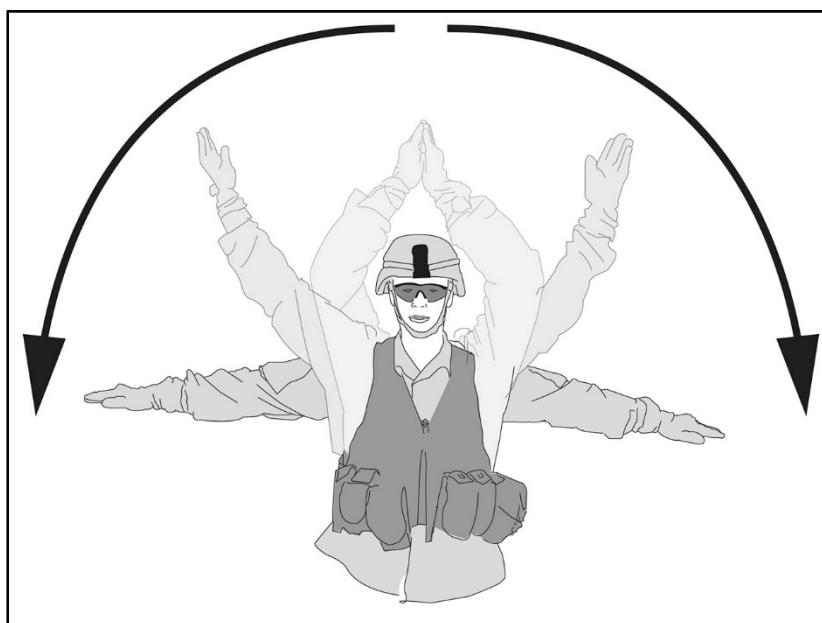


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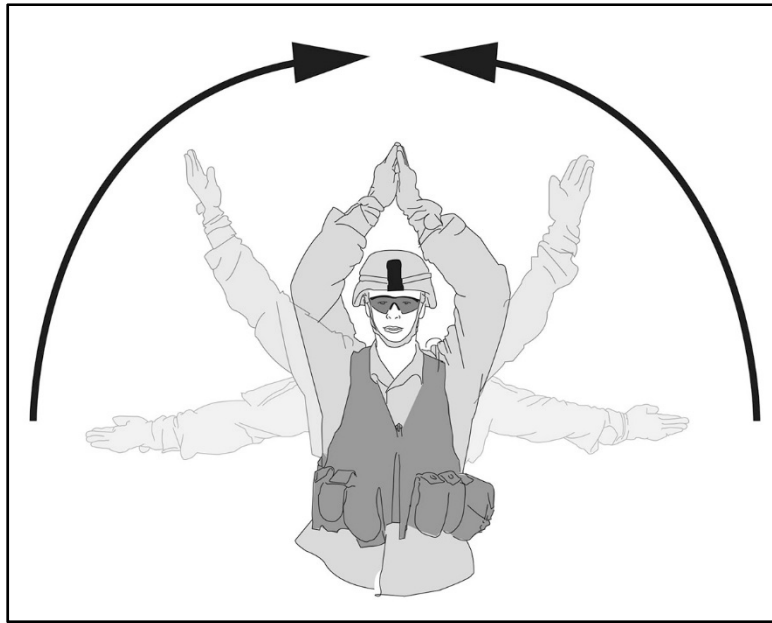


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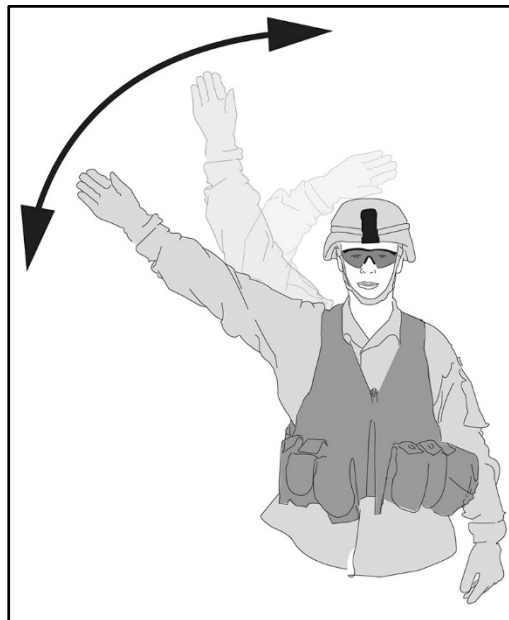


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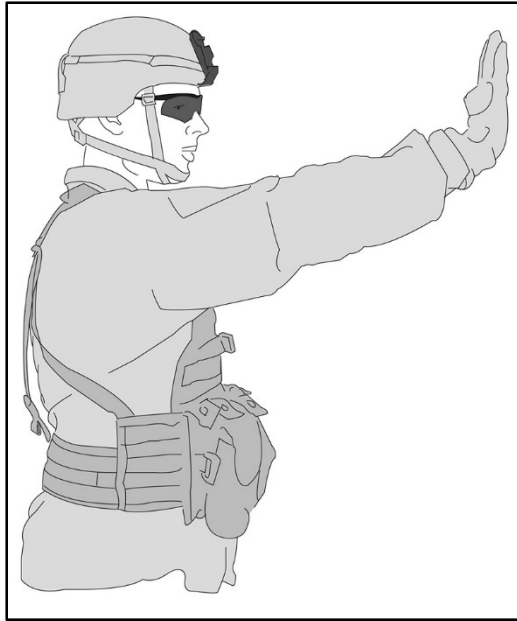


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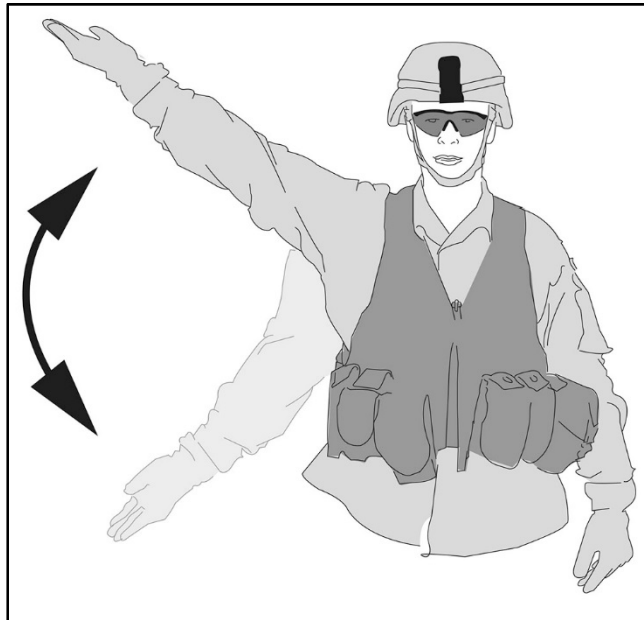


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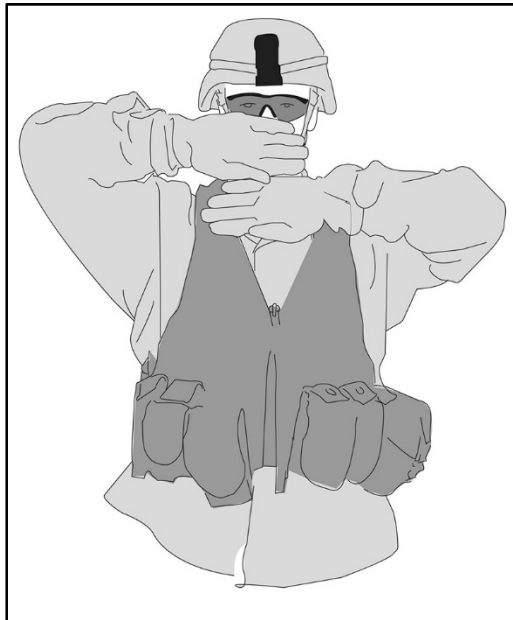


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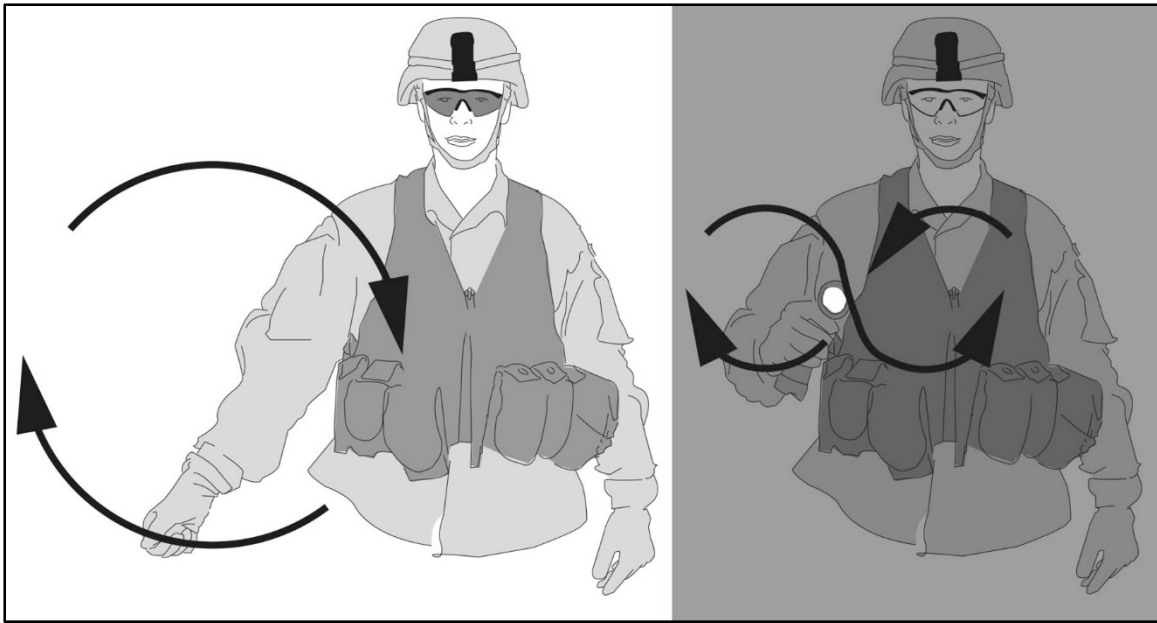


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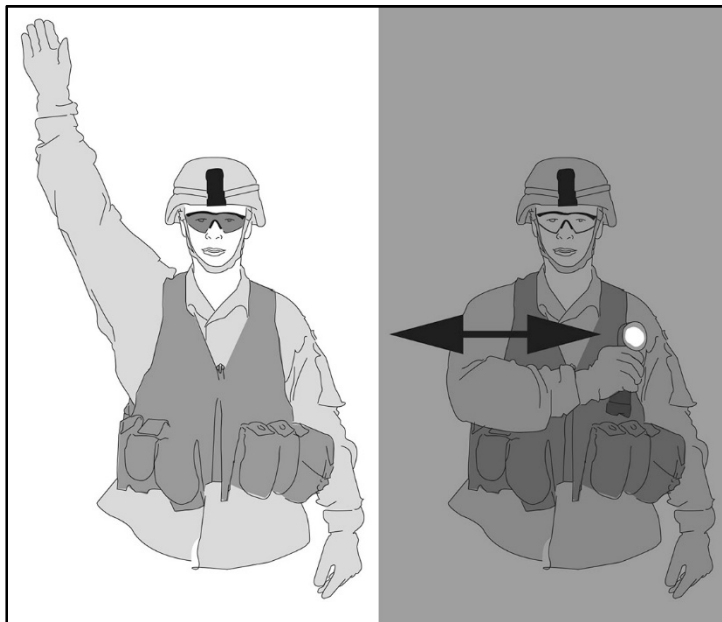


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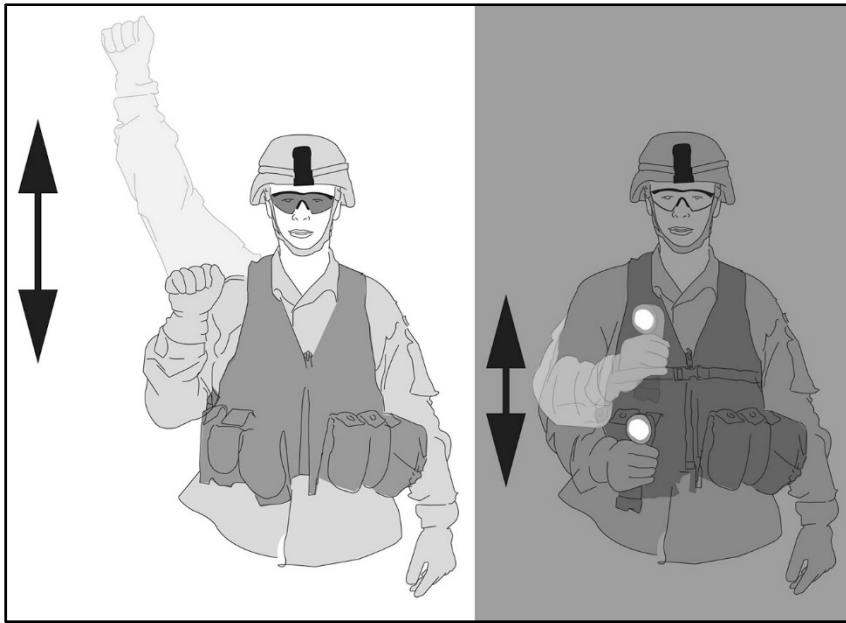


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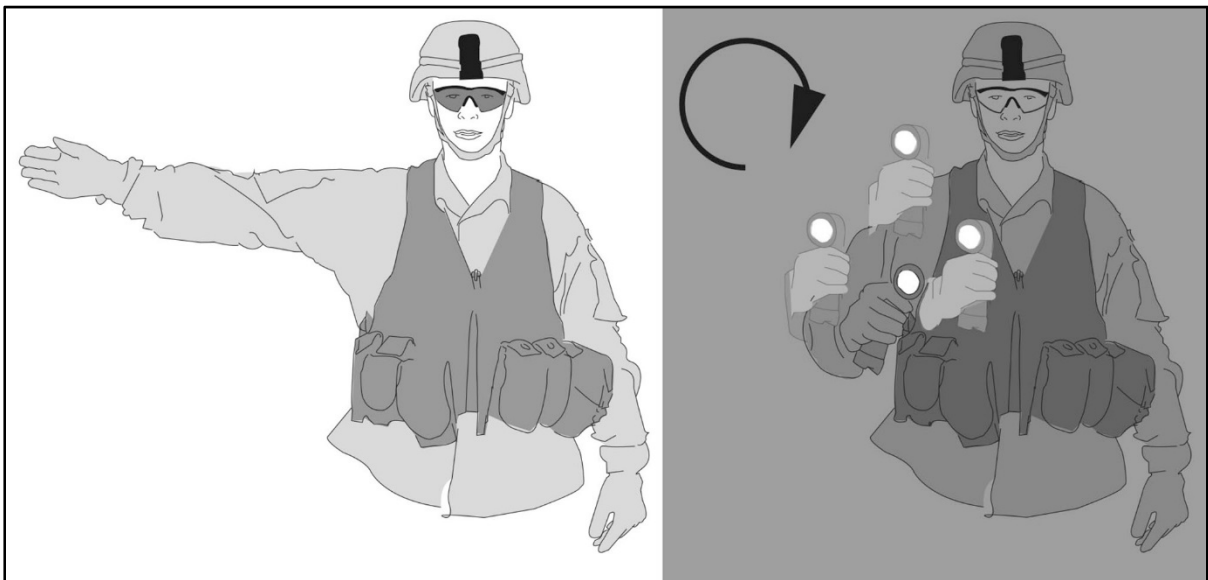


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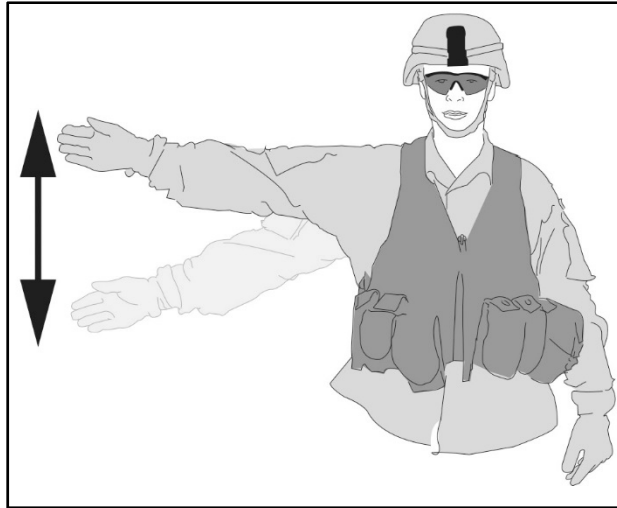


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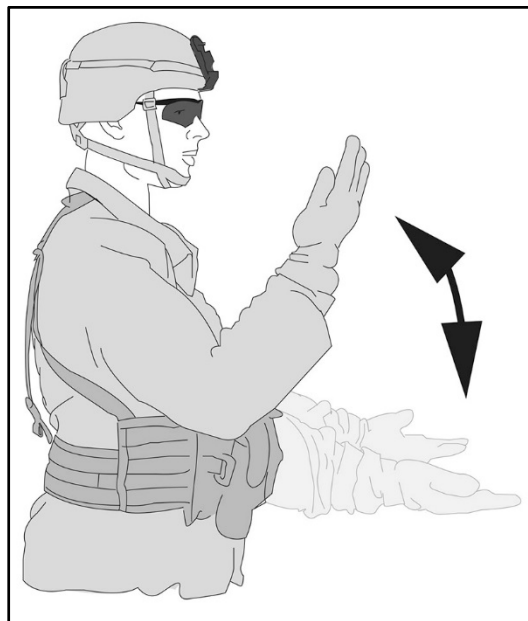


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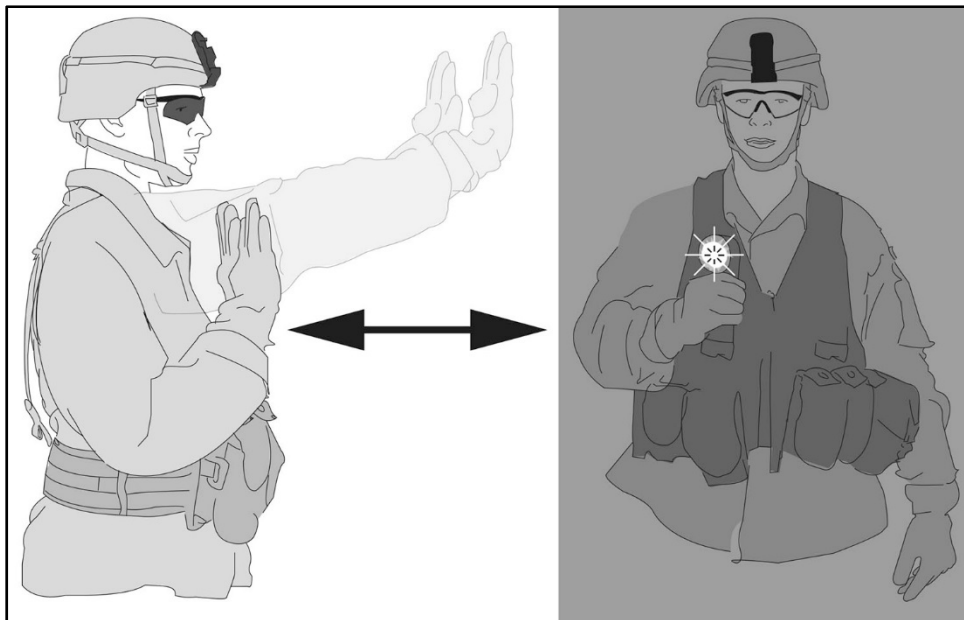


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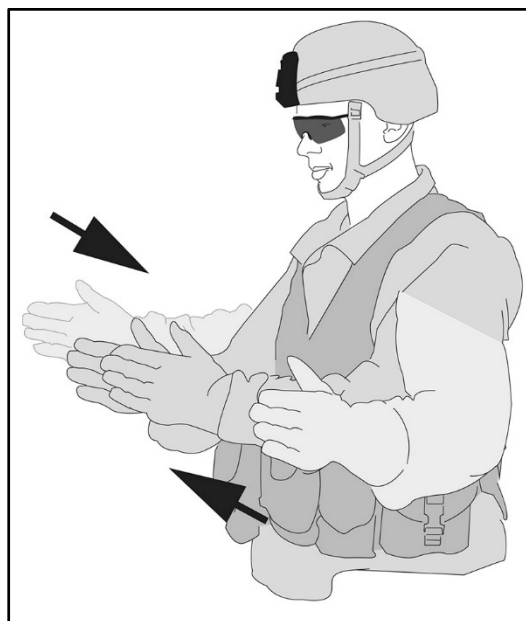


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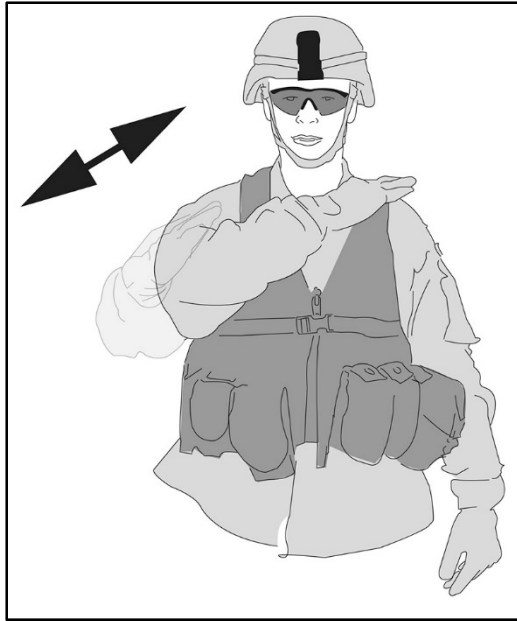


Figure 35. Stop engines



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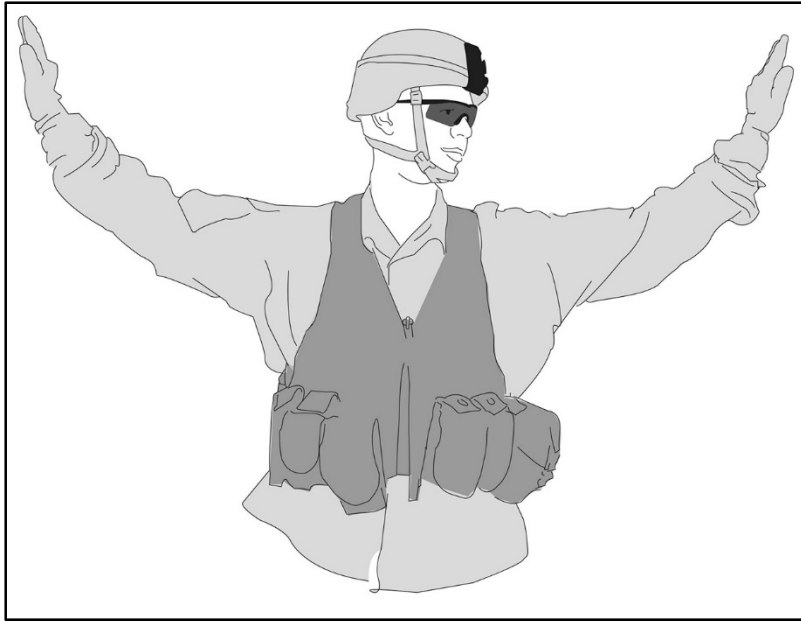


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Figure 38. Front traffic stop

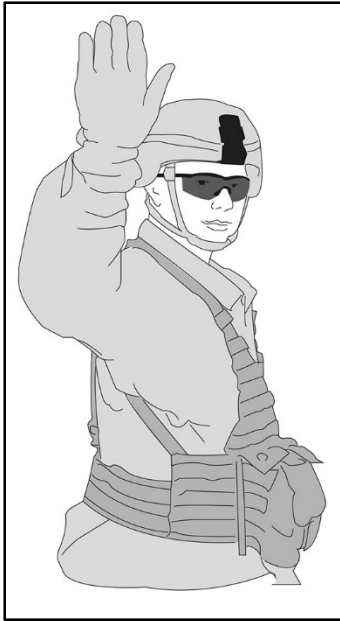


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Figure 41. Traffic from left, GO

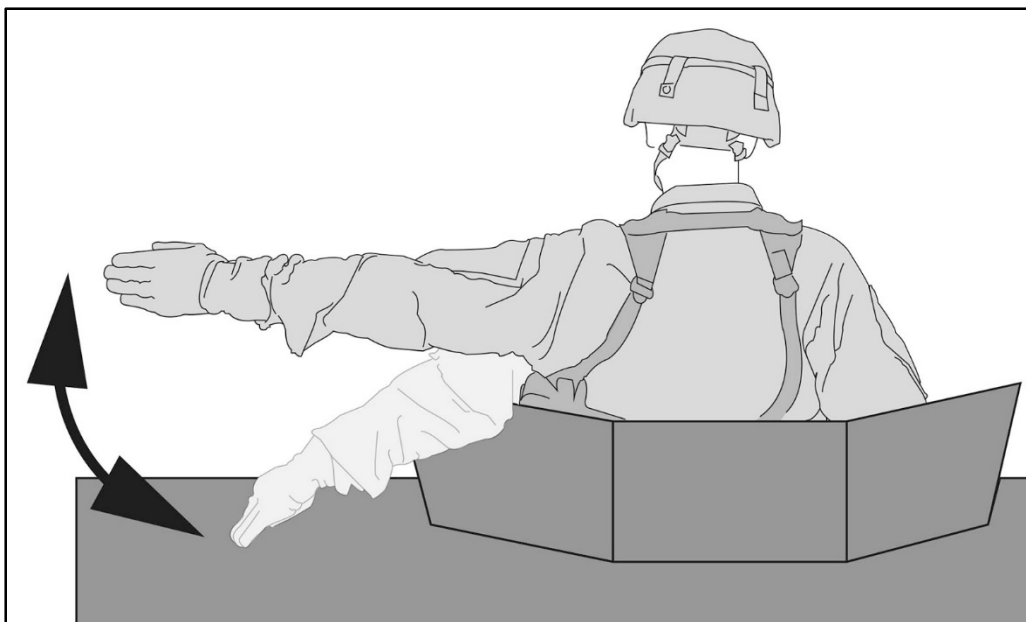


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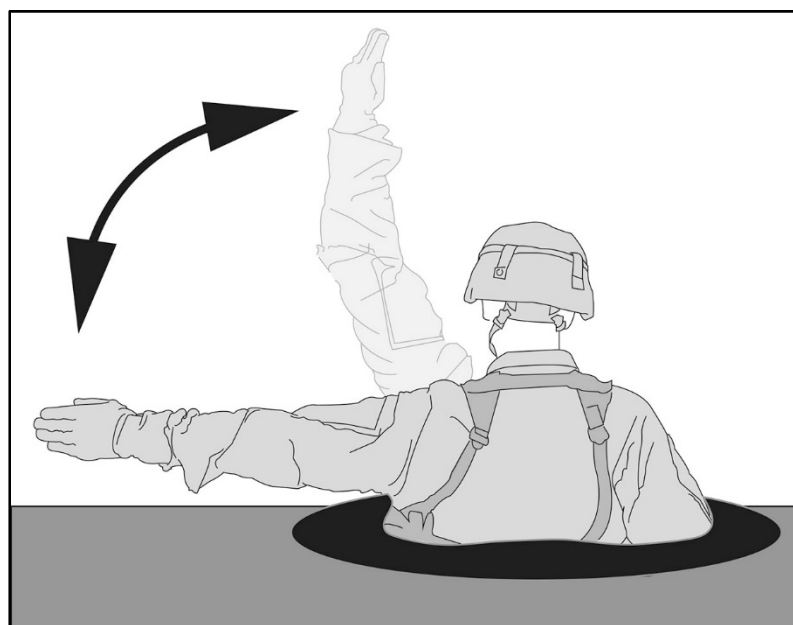


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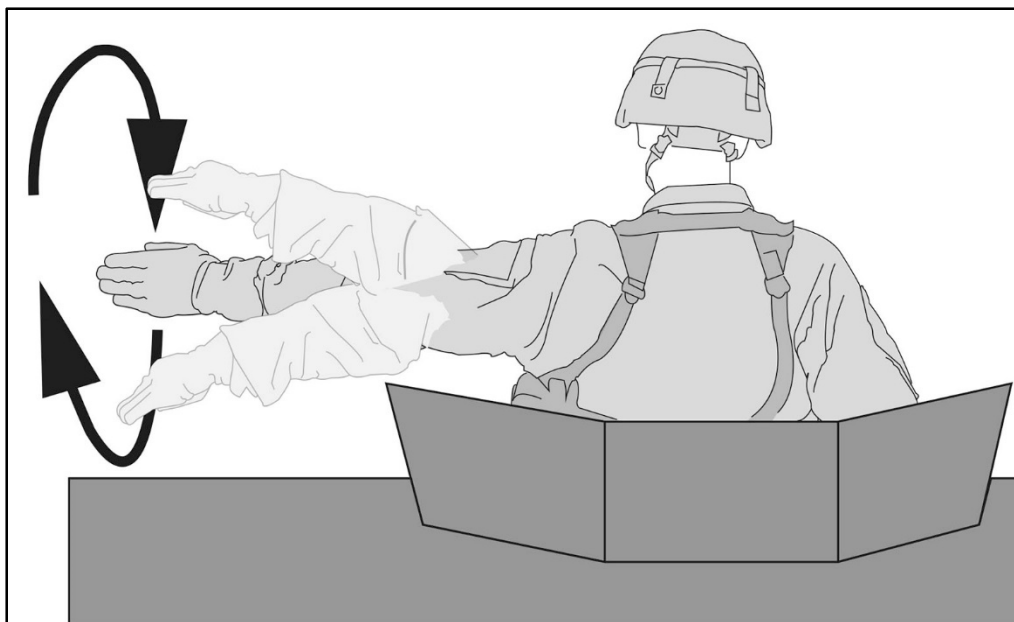


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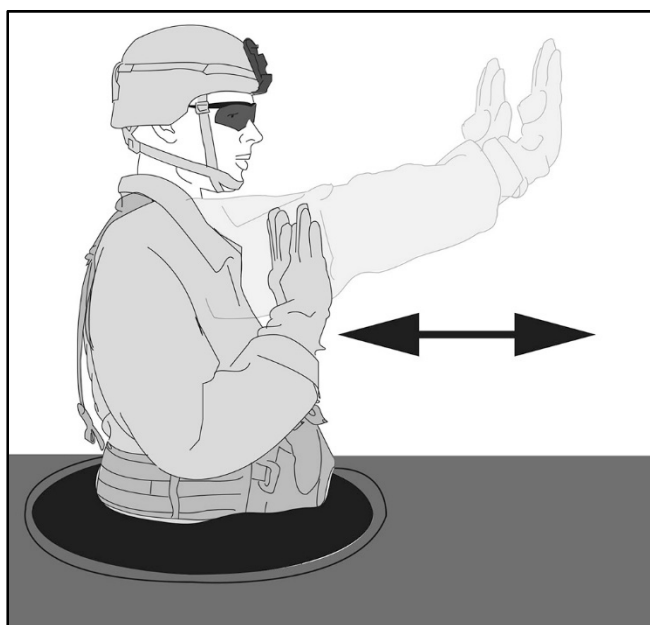


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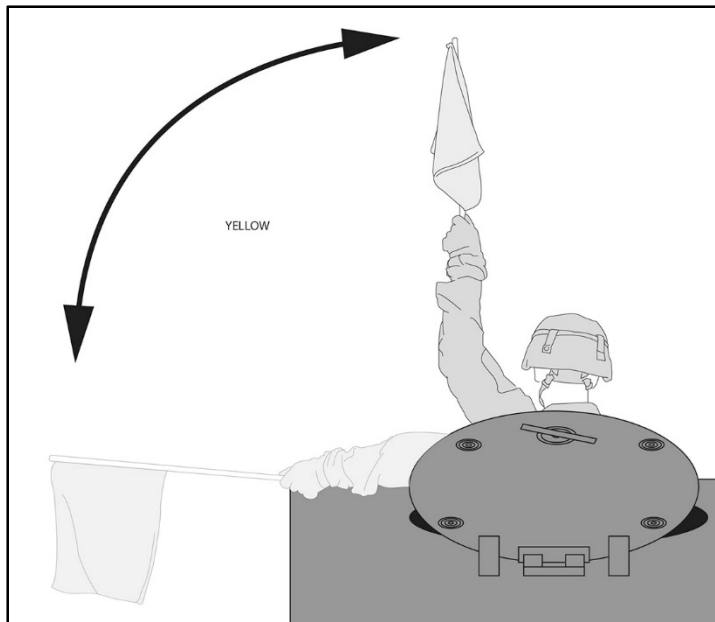


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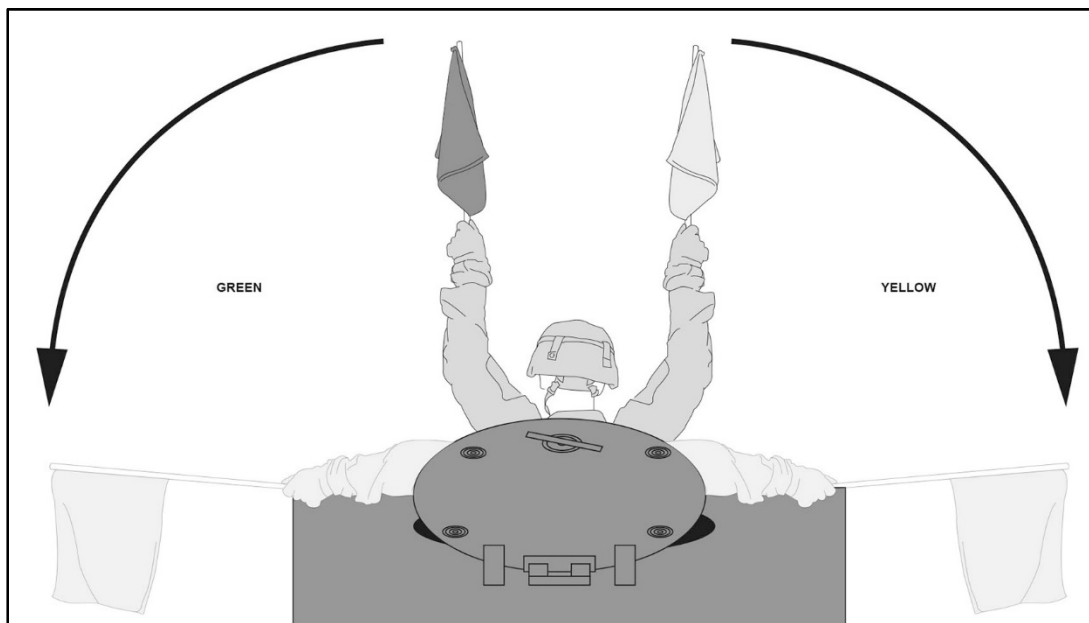


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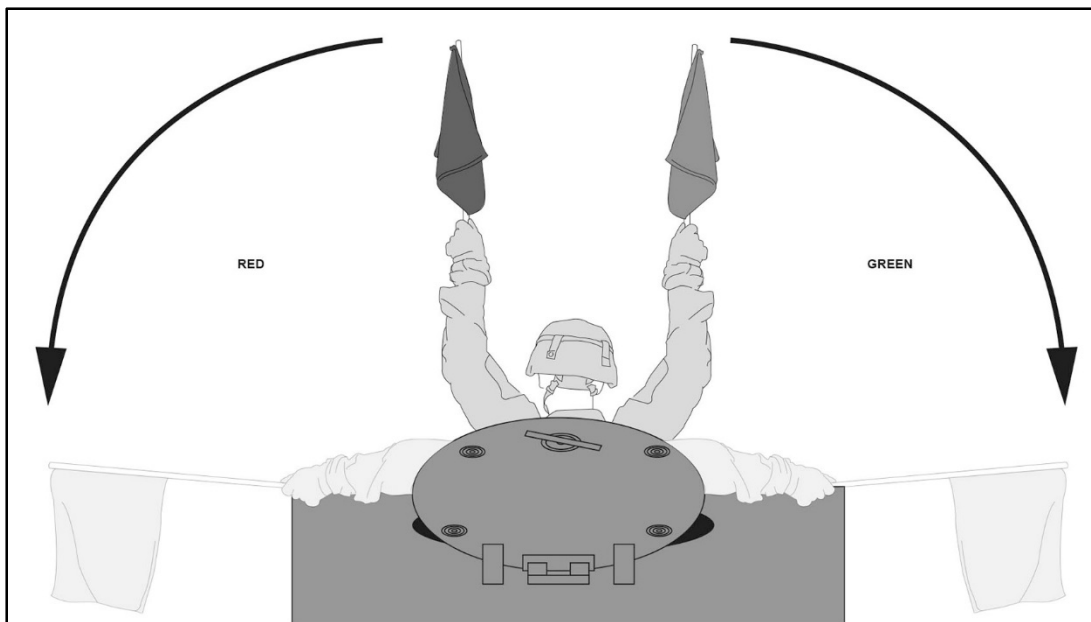


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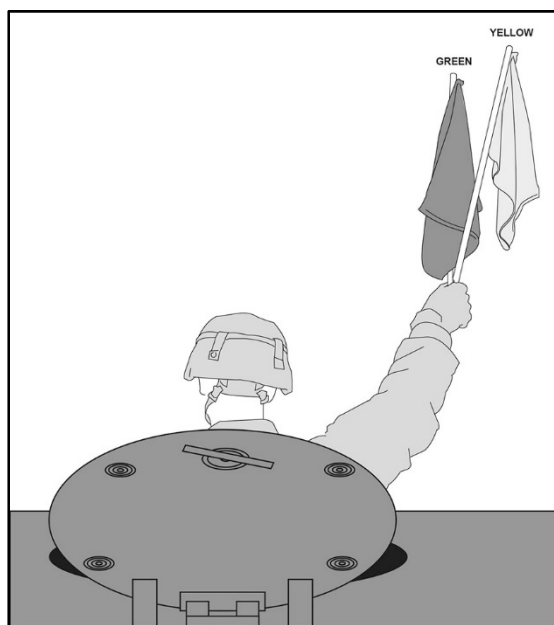


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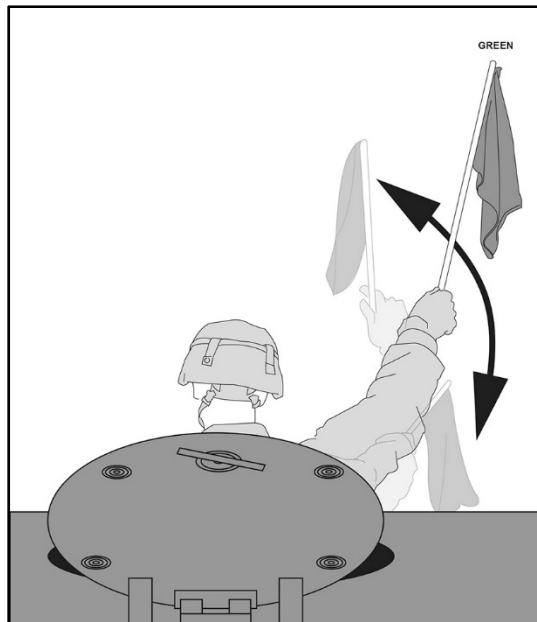


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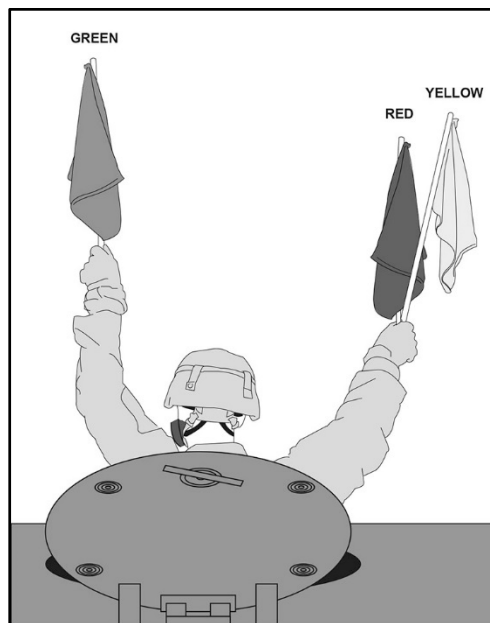


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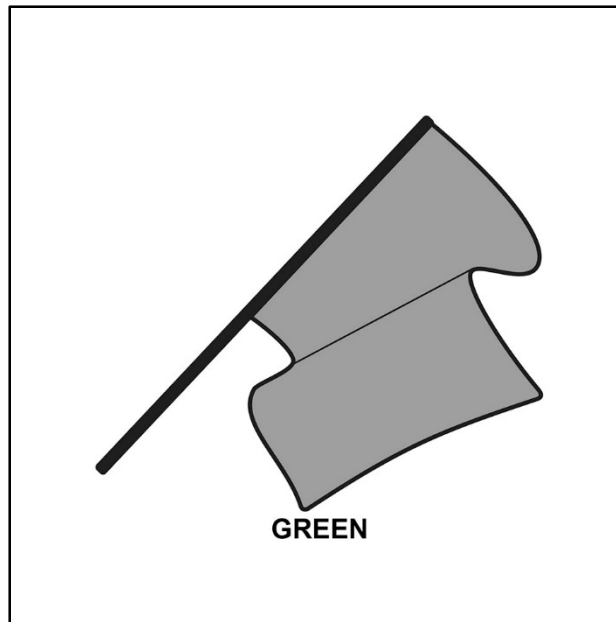


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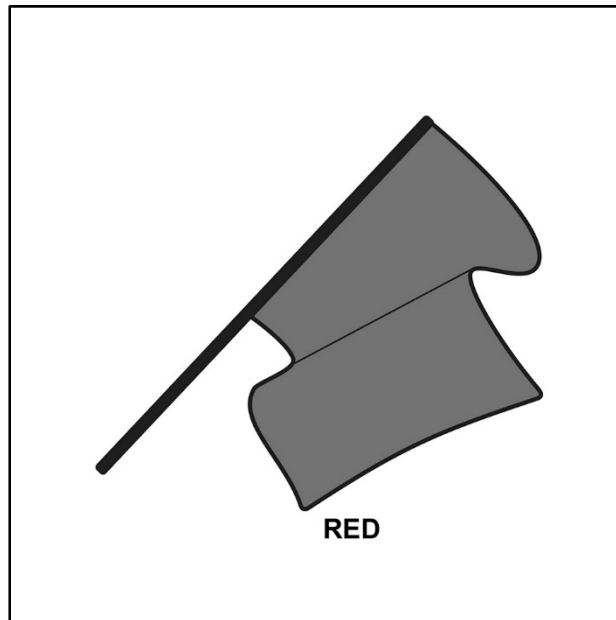
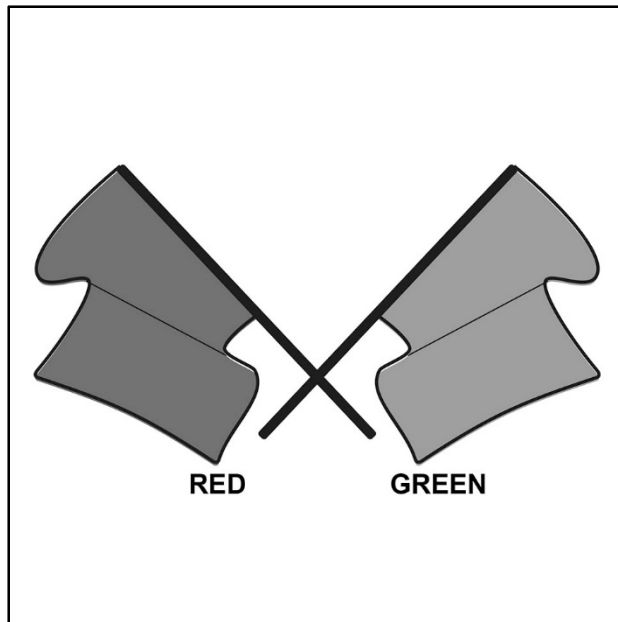


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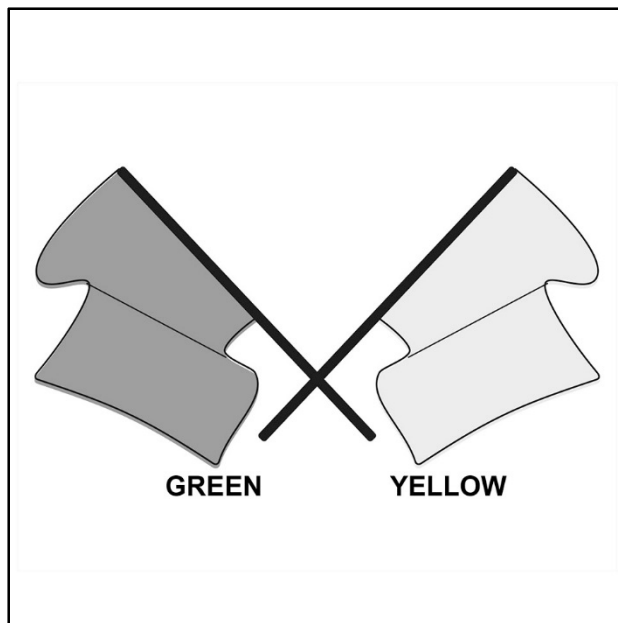


Figure 55. Malfunction—weapons clear

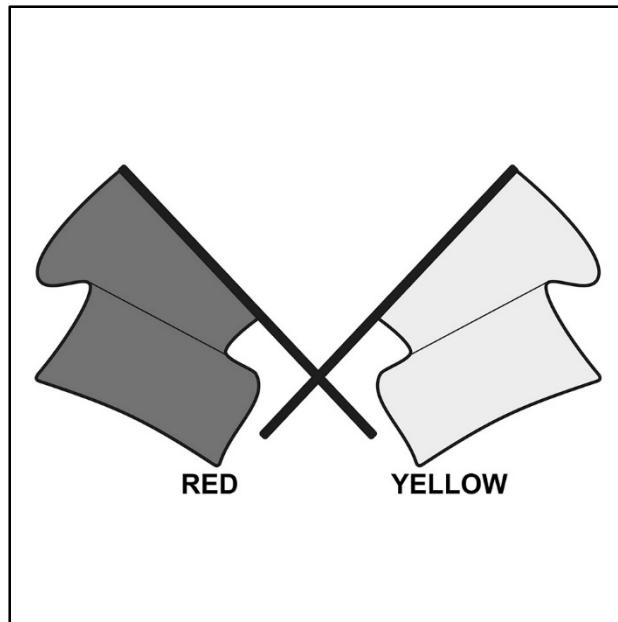


Figure 56. Malfunction—weapons loaded

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