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1987 COMMAND HISTORY FOR FITRON 102

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(a) OPNAVINST 5750.12D

Encl: (1) Bio & Photo CO

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(3) Squadron Social Roster/Precedence List

(4) Narrative of events

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosures (1) through (4) are hereby submitted.

2. The immediate Senior Commander of VF-102, Commander Carrier Air Wing ONE; CAPT J. L. Johnson. The Commanding Officer, VF-102, CDR W. G. Fischer. Homeport VF-102; NAS Oceana, Virginia Beach, Virginia. Thirteen F-14A aircraft assigned to the squadron; Tail Code, AB.

W. G. FISCHER

NARRATIVE OF EVENTS

January 1987:

- First Airwing to conduct carrier qualifications, sea trials, and work-ups aboard USS THEODORE ROOSEVELT (CVN-71). 7 Jan - 17 Feb 87.

February 1987:

- Change of Command, CDR J. M. Lyle is relieved by CDR W. G. Fischer. 26 Feb 87.

March 1987:

- Air-to-air gunnery detachment, NAS Key West. Two individual aircrew "E's" and one "qual" awarded. 15-21 Mar 87.

April 1987:

- missile exercise in Puerto Rico operations area. 12 of 12 missiles fired guided to lethal kill. First successful fleet launch of an AIM-54 from an F-14 wing station. Ten COMPEX "E's" and two "quals" awarded 11-17 Apr 87.

May 1987:

- "Solid Shield 87." U.S. combined forces exercise. NAS Pensacola 1-7 May 87.
- Nominated for Department of Defense Maintenance Award by Commander, Fighter Wing ONE 13 May 87.
- "Golden Pride 87-1." Combined exercise with U.S. Air Force, NAS Oceana 18-22 May 87.
- "Constant Peg." Combined exercise with U.S. Air Force, Nellis AFB. 24-30 May 87.

June 1987:

- Named TARPS Squadron of the Year, U.S. Atlantic Fleet, and awarded the "Grand Slam" for excellence in air-to-air weapons delivery by Commander, Fighter Wing ONE.

July 1987:

- Fleet Air Superiority Training (FAST), NAS Oceana. 6-12 Jul 87.

August 1987:

- CVN-71 carrier qualifications. 4-7 Aug 87.
- First squadron to conduct TARPS missions for CVN-71. 8-13 Aug 87.

September 1987:

- Fleet Fighter ACM Readiness Program (FFARP) with VF-43, NAS Oceana. 24 Sep - 16 Oct 87.

October 1987:

- "SEABAT." Electronic warfare training, NAS Oceana. 20-23 Oct 87.

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November 1987:

- "Sand Eagle." Combined exercise with U.S. Air Force. 7-10 Nov 87.
- USS FORRESTAL (CV-59) carrier qualifications. 11-14 Nov 87.
- CNO Project 124-2-DT-IID1 (Aegis/SPY 1). 16 Nov 87.
- Corrosion inspection. 23-25 Nov 87.

December 1987:

- For the entire year, zero mishaps, zero foreign object damage to engines.

