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From: Commanding Officer, USS EMORY S. LAND (AS-39)
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Subj: USS EMORY S. LAND (AS-39) COMMAND HISTORY FOR CALENDAR
YEAR 1993

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5750.12E

- Encl: (1) Organization Structure
- (2) Biography and Photograph of Commanding Officer,
Captain J. W. Suhr
- (3) Biography and Photograph of Executive Officer,
Commander D. J. Knize
- (4) Welcome Aboard Booklet

1. Command Composition and Organization. USS EMORY S. LAND is a nuclear repair capable submarine tender, its' mission is to support submarines and other Naval forces worldwide. The ship's organization is outlined in enclosure (1). A biography and photograph of the Commanding Officer and Executive Officer, is provided as enclosures (2) and (3). A Welcome Aboard Booklet is provided as enclosure (4).

2. Chronology

<u>Day/Month</u>	<u>Significant Events</u>
January	
8th	Held complete Emergency Destruction to review accuracy of EAP.
11th	LT [REDACTED] relieved LT [REDACTED] as Safety Officer.
11th - 29th	Underway to VACAPES for OPPE preparation. Completed swing ship for magnetic compass annual PMS.
28th	Operational propulsion board examination conducted with a grade of "Above Average". Material, preservation and cleanliness evaluated as "Above Average" Damage Control and fire fighting evaluated as "Excellent".

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February

1st - 4th Medical received "Satisfactory" on Medical Readiness Inspection.

7th - 18th Disbursing and Personnel successfully completed the annual CINCLANTFLT Defense Accounting Office Audit.

13th Conducted emergency deployment load-out of 21 weapons in only 8 hours, evolution normally requiring 2 full days.

March

16th - 17th Cranes Programs Audit by Type Commander: Overall grade: "Satisfactory"; Management and Administration: "Average"; Technical Operations: "Above Average".

17th Completed a Fleet Calibration Activity Certification Inspection with a grade of "Excellent" noted as a "MODEL FCA".

April

5th CDR [REDACTED] relieved CDR [REDACTED] as Repair Officer.

16th Dental Readiness Inspection completed with seven grades of "Outstanding".

May

4th 18 month Boiler Inspection conducted on #2 boiler with a grade of "Satisfactory".

11th Conducted a Shipwide Safety Standdown covering hazardous material control, management and disposal. Fire parties were trained on response to hazardous material spills.

17th - 21st Repair Department received "Satisfactory" on COMSUBLANT Quality Programs Assessment.

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Repair Department received "Satisfactory" on NAVSEA Calibration Audit.

19th Installation of on-143(v)6 and KG84A for new generation SSIXS and new generation NAVMACS.

20th - 24th Repair Department received "Satisfactory" on COMSUBLANT Diver Safety Inspection.

26th Ribbon-cutting ceremony for automated Radio Central attended by VADM Chiles and Commanding Officer, NAVELEXCEN, Portsmouth, VA.

June

21st Underway for Boston and Halifax.

30th Held Emergency Destruction training to review accuracy of Radio, SAS and CMS vault procedure.

July

1st Boston, MA port visit. Over 770 people toured Land during Harborfest.

4th Hosted reception for over 300 dignitaries of the U. S. and Russian Navies. In attendance were Admiral Hank Mauz, CINCLANTFLT and Admiral Oleg Yerofeyev, Commander in Chief, Russian Northern Fleet as well as over 20 flag officers, and high ranking civilian guests.

13th Participated in exercise POLO HAT 2-93.
Returned to port.

26th - 30th Repair Department received "Satisfactory" on NAVSEA 08 Audit of Nuclear Repair.

August

8th Conducted the first ever load out of a TRIDENT submarine accomplished at Naval Base, Norfolk.

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Magazine Sprinkler Surveillance Inspection with no major discrepancies. Overall grade of "Outstanding".

24th Acted as Net Control for special NATO ship-ship circuit ISO port visit to Norfolk and special operations between COMSUBLANT units and French submarine FS EMERAUDE.

Tasked with off-the-air monitor of special NATO submarine broadcast ISO FS EMERAUDE operations.

December

6th - 9th Naval Warfare Assessment Center Technical Assist completed with a grade of "Outstanding" with no major discrepancies.

17th - 21st Repair Department received "Satisfactory" on NAVSEA Radiac Calibration Audit.

14th Participated in exercise POLO HAT 3-93.

3. Narrative

a. The Weapons Repair Department accomplishments during 1993 included:

(1) Conducted 610 weapons moves as follows:

MK48/ADCAP Warshots - 267	Harpoon Missiles - 30
MK48/ADCAP Exercise - 109	Tomahawk Missiles - 48
MK48 Torpedo Shapes - 6	Totem - 13
MK67 Mines - 4	EHCTV - 13
Tomahawk VLS - 48	AURES - 31
Ballast Cans - 39	

(2) Weight Tests - 910

(3) Issued and received 80,000 rounds of small arms ammunition and 919 pyrotechnic devices.

(4) Qualified over 1,400 ships force personnel in the use of small arms. Provided rangemaster support to all tended units maintaining small arms qualification for over 1,000 personnel.

(5) Conducted two highly successful gunnery exercises in which all batteries were released and all targets destroyed.

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b. The Medical Department accomplishments for 1993 are as follows:

		% Increase over previous FY
Outpatient Visits	7347	21.5
Laboratory Tests	16,682	19.25
Audiograms	1,078	23
Pharmacy Units	14,572	34
X-ray film	2,285	50
Physical exams	467	19.5
Immunizations	2,308	no change
Limited Services	6,776	not previously reported

c. The Chaplain Department provided the following services during 1993:

(1) Divine Worship Services	60
(2) Pastoral Counseling	1958
(3) Funerals, Burials at Sea, Memorial Services	4
(4) Wedding/Vows Renewal	4
(5) Suicide Prevention Classes	22
(6) American Red Cross Messages delivered	191
(7) Reenlistments, Retirements, Prayer in Public Events	13
(8) Hospital/Brig Visits	35
(9) Hours of Library Operation	2300+
(10) CACO Assists	0
(11) Family Advocacy cases coordinated	39
(12) Religious Education classes	15
(13) Stress Management classes	4

d. The Safety Department accomplishments for 1993 are:

(1) Decreased accidents and injuries by 148 during the last year. Serious injuries decreased by 67%, most notably in area of lost time due to injuries.

(2) 50% of divisional safety petty officers attended the safety petty officer course at Fleet Training Center.

e. The Legal Department processed:

(1) 124 mast cases held by the Commanding Officer including:

- Article 86 - Unauthorized absences: 119 specifications.

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- Article 90 - Willfully disobeying a superior
commissioned officer: 29 specifications.

- Article 91 - Insubordinate conduct towards a
warrant officer, noncommissioned officer, or a petty officer: 25
specifications.

- Article 92 - Failure to obey order or regulation:
69 specifications.

(2) 11 Summary Courts-Martial cases.

(3) 8 Special Courts-Martial cases.

(4) No General Courts-Martial cases.

(5) Administrative Separations by Commanding Officer
authority: 20

(6) Administrative Separations by BUPERS authority: 56

f. The Operations Department accomplishments during 1993
were as follows:

(1) Processed over 87,000 incoming messages and over
13,000 outgoing messages in support of COMSUBRON EIGHT and twelve
submarines and COMSUBRON SIX and nine submarines.

(2) Maintained the Guard for seven months during the
year, including three months of guarding for two squadrons and
all submarines.

(3) Security Manager gave OPSEC/Security training was
given to 600 personnel for the year.

(4) CMS Custodian accomplishments:

(a) As the COMSUBLANT Area Custodian for all SAS and
EAM material, conducted 73 transfer of CMS/SAS material in
support of COMSUBRON SIX and COMSUBRON EIGHT units.

(5) Navigation accomplishments:

(a) Total miles steamed - 3581 nautical miles

(b) Total days steamed - 32 days.

(h) Destroyed 311 EAM codebooks.

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g. The Dental Department accomplishments during 1993 included:

(1) Received grades of "Outstanding" in seven of eight areas examined during the COMSUBLANT Dental Administrative Inspection.

(2) All submarines continue to deploy at 96% Dental readiness or better and no "dental emergencies" while deployed.

(3) Improved the command Dental Readiness by 72% historically the highest ever achieved.

(4) Recognized by the Force Dental Officer as having the finest dental facility afloat in the Atlantic Fleet.

h. The Repair Department accomplishments during 1993 included:

(1) Completed 34 submarine availabilities

(2) Completed 64 submarine voyage repairs/ship-to-ship availabilities.

(3) Completed 8293 individual repair jobs.

(4) Expended 469,516 manhours.

(5) Completed 138 working dives.

(6) Completed 3 lifesaving recompressions for non crew members.

(7) Completed 3884 mechanical calibrations.

(8) Completed 972 electrical calibrations.

(9) Completed 500 production brazes.

(10) Completed 370 production welds.

(11) Completed 3 submarine resin/media replacements.

(12) Administered \$7,225,941 in repair (ROV) funds.

(13) First SUBLANT tender to install and implement Maintenance Resource Management System (MRMS).

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(14) Only SUBLANT tender certified to perform Electromagnetic Interference (EMI) surverys.

i. The Deck Department accomplishments during 1993 included:

(1) Conducted more that 250 submarine moorings.

(2) Operated ten ship's boats in support of both submarine Squadron EIGHT and SIX.

(3) Preserved and maintained an immaculate ship. Received many laudatory comments on ship's appearance by VIPs during Boston port visit and COMSUBLANT Change of Command.

j. The Supply Department accomplishments during 1993 included:

(1) During the first quarter of calendar year 1993 the Supply Department onloaded over 15,000 receipts and off-loaded over 4,000 items in implementation of the range and depth changes directed by the revised Tender Load List.

(2) In June the Crew's Barbershop was completely refurbished. The refurbishment included new sinks, cupboards, tiling, bulkhead sheeting and overhead paneling. A female hair designing station, complete with a shampoo sink was installed.

(3) The Maintenance Resource Management Systems (MRMS) was installed in June. MRMS replaced the IMMS module in SNAP I. A local area network (LAN) was installed and linked all departments (over 80 microcomputers) through a fiber optic ethernet configuration.

(4) Installed Create-a-Card in the Ship's Store. EMORY S. LAND is the first ship in the Atlantic Fleet to implement this service.

(5) In November, installed the Uniform Microcomputer Disbursing System (UMIDS) Multi-user (UM) Prototype which provided the capability to manipulate pay records and associated data from any computer within the UMIDS LAN. Installed the Shipboard Automated Medical System (SAMS) LAN in the Medical Department in December. The system provides a link between eight microcomputers within the Medical Department.

(6) The SUBSAT division automated requisition processing by utilizing DOS formatted disks which can be read into SUADPS.

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Also assumed support for four additional units from USS HUNLEY in October.

(7) In December, upgraded technical research capability in ROVSS by procuring new micro computers capable of handling "Parts Master", "FEDLOG" and "NAVSUP P-600".

k. The Engineering Department accomplishments during 1993 included:

(1) Provided hotel services consisting of heat, air conditioning, hot water, laundry steam and refrigeration directly contributing to the outstanding quality of life and habitability on board.

(2) Significantly upgraded the material condition and operation of the ship's cranes.

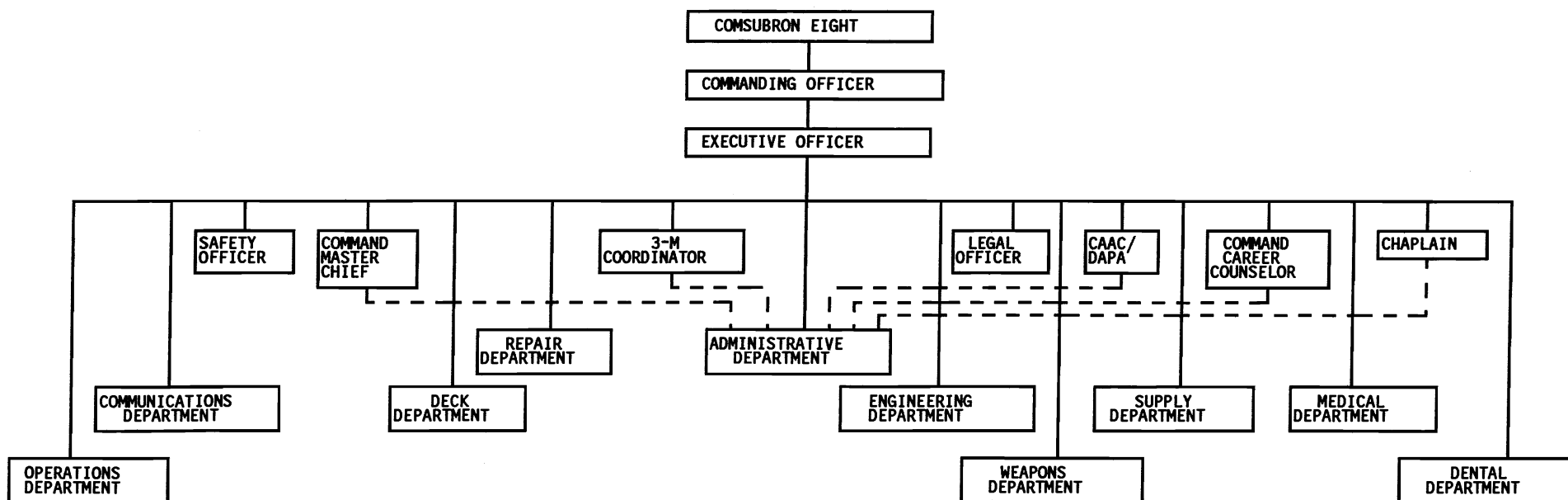
(3) Arranged for comprehensive improvements in the ship's galley equipment through contract services. During the last Supply Management Inspection (SMI), material condition was evaluated as "Outstanding".

(4) Steamed 3581 nautical miles underway and 1,095 hours alongside.



J. W. SUHR

USS EMORY S. LAND ORGANIZATION STRUCTURE



— DIRECT CHAIN OF COMMAND
 - - - - ADMINISTRATIVE CHAIN OF COMMAND