

#### **DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY**

COMMANDING OFFICER USS HARPERS FERRY (LSD 49) UNIT 100165 BOX 1 FPO AP 9666

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From: Commanding Officer, USS HARPERS FERRY

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## COMMAND OPERATIONS REPORT

#### 1. Command Data

Name of your command: USS HARPERS FERRY LSD-49

Unit Identification Code: 21852

Name of Commander: Rigby, Jon P. Rank: CDR

Date Assumed Command: 9 October 2015

Permanent Location: San Diego, California

Immediate Superior In Command:

Operational: Commander, Amphibious Squadron One

Administrative: Commander, Naval Surface Force

Name(s) of Forces, Commands, Ships, Squadrons or Units assigned or under your operational control:

USS HARPERS FERRY (LSD 49)

Number of Personnel Assigned:

Officers: 32 Enlisted: 347

Classification: Unclassified

#### Command Point of Contact:

Name: ENS

Job Title/Office Code: Assistant Supply Officer/Public

Affairs Officer

E-mail: NIPRNET

SIPRNET

Phone Number:

Command Mailing Address: COMMANDING OFFICER

USS HARPERS FERRY (LSD 49)

UNIT 100165 BOX 1

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2. Commander's Assessment: Calendar year 2015 was another challenging yet rewarding year for USS HARPERS FERRY (LSD 49). The ship completed an extended CNO Availability and then commenced an integrated Basic and Integrated Training Phase. The hard work and dedication of the crew earned the following honors from Commander, Naval Surface Force, U. S. Pacific Fleet: Maritime Warfare Excellence Award (Black E), Logistics Management Excellence Award (Blue E), Force Health and Wellness Unit Award (Green H), and the Retention Excellence Award. Additionally, Commander Kelly T. Fletcher, USN, was relieved by Commander Jon P. Rigby, USN, 9 October 2015 at Naval Base, San Diego, California.

## 3. Chronology and Narrative:

1 JAN Inport Naval Base, San Diego

1 JAN - 8 JAN Holiday Stand Down

1 JAN - 5 JUL Post Movement Availability

3 MAY - 12 MAY CPR-1 Embarked

18 MAY - 19 MAY Underway, Southern California Operating Area

22 JUN - 23 JUN	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
29 JUN - 1 JUL	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
24 JUL - 31 JUL	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
3 AUG - 7 AUG	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
10 AUG - 14 AUG	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
17 AUG - 21 AUG	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
26 AUG - 27 AUG	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
1 SEP - 9 SEP	Exercise Dawn Blitz
21 SEP - 2 OCT	Exercise PMINT
7 OCT - 9 OCT	TYCOM Material Inspection
9 OCT	Change of Command
13 OCT - 16 OCT	COMPTUEX Onload
19 OCT - 6 NOV	COMPTUEX
13 NOV - 16 NOV	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
17 NOV - 19 NOV	Inport, Seal Beach, CA
20 NOV	Underway, Southern California Operating Area
23 NOV - 27 NOV	CERTEX Onload
3 DEC - 16 DEC	CERTEX
19 DEC - 31 DEC	Holiday Stand Down

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1JAN - 31DEC15

OFFICER PROMOTIONS. The following personnel were promoted during calendar year 2015:



1JAN - 31DEC15

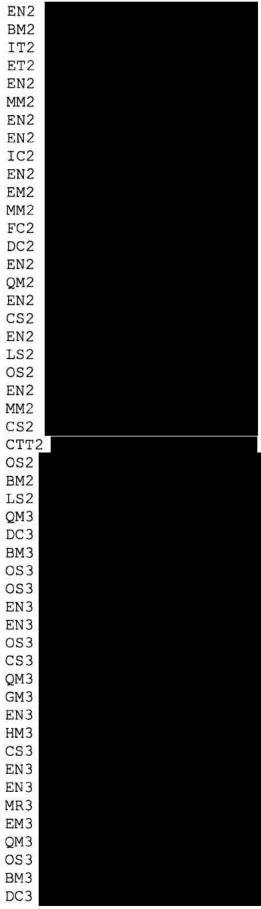
OFFICER COMMISSIONING. The following personnel were commissioned during calendar year 2015:

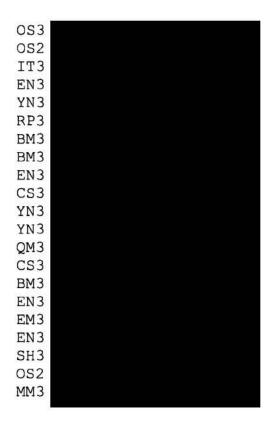
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ENLISTED ADVANCEMENTS. The following personnel were advanced during calendar year 2015:







1JAN - 31DEC15

AWARDS. Commanding Officer, USS HARPERS FERRY presented 12 Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medals and awarded 113 Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medals.