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From: Commanding Officer, USS JUNEAU (LPD-10)
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Subj: Initial Command History of USS JUNEAU (LPD-10)

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5750.12A

- Encl:
- (1) Chronology of Highlights
 - (2) Basic Narrative
 - (3) Commissioning Pamphlet (two)
 - (4) Packet of Commissioning Photographs (six)
 - (5) Photograph of USS JUNEAU (LPD-10)
 - (6) Photograph of First Commanding Officer
 - (7) Biography of First Commanding Officer
 - (8) Familygram for 11 Aug 1969
 - (9) COMPHIBTRAPAC Report 3570-2 of 7 Nov 1969 (Report of Gunfire Support Exercises Fired)
 - (10) COMFLETRAGRU SDIEGO Report 03500-2 of 20 Nov 1969 (Report of Completion of Refresher Training)
 - (11) COMPHIBTRAPAC ltr 3504 ser 0475 of 28 Nov 1969 (Report on Completion of Amphibious Refresher Training)
 - (12) ADMIN COMPHIBPAC 051828Z Dec 1969
 - (13) Packet of Amphibious Assault Photographs (four)
 - (14) COMPHIBRON ELEVEN ltr 3500 ser 02 of 12 Jan 1970 (Training Status Report for Quarter Ending 31 Dec 1969)
 - (15) COMPHIBRON ELEVEN spdltr 3590 ser 22 of 13 Jan 1970
 - (16) ODCR of 31 Dec 1969
 - (17) BUPERS Report 1080-14 of 31 Dec 1969

1. In accordance with reference (a), the initial command history for USS JUNEAU (LPD-10) is submitted herewith as enclosures (1) through (17). This history covers not only calendar year 1969, during which the ship was commissioned, but all previous events in the ship's history, back to keel-laying in 1965. All previous material on file concerning USS JUNEAU (LPD-10)--the third ship to bear the name--is superseded and canceled by this submission.

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2. Considerable effort went into the compilation of the ship's commissioning pamphlet, enclosure (3). Thus it contains, in one publication, the photographs, history, mission, characteristics, muster rolls, etc., that would otherwise make up separate documentary annexes to this history. Because it is so comprehensive, two copies of enclosure (3) are provided.


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Copy to [with enclosures (1) and (2)]
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USS JUNEAU (LPD-10)
CHRONOLOGY OF HIGHLIGHTS

Keel Laid and Construction Started (Seattle).23 Jan 1965
Ship Christened/Launched.12 Feb 1966
PCO and Nucleus Crew Arrive in Seattle.Jan-Feb 1969
Balance Crew Arrives at FTC San DiegoApr 1969
Builder's Trial12-14 May 1969
Acceptance Trial/INSURV16-20 Jun 1969
Delivery of ship to Navy (Bremerton).7 Jul 1969
Fitting-out Availability (Bremerton).7 Jul-12 Sep 1969
Commissioning (Bremerton)12 Jul 1969
First Underway with Navy Crew9 Sep 1969
Arrived Home Port of Long Beach23 Sep 1969
Deperming (San Diego)1-3 Oct 1969
Shakedown Training (San Diego).6-31 Oct 1969
Amphibious Shakedown Training10-21 Nov 1969
Amphibious Exercise (PHIBRAIDEX).1-5 Dec 1969
Became Flagship of COMPHIBRON ELEVEN.8 Dec 1969
Final Contract Trial/INSURV16-19 Dec 1969

Enclosure (1)