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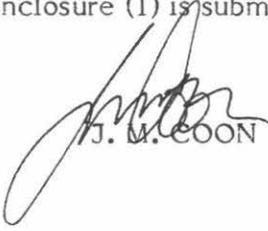
From: Commanding Officer, USS KLAKRING (FFG 42)
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Ref: (a) OPNAV Instruction 5720.1C

Encl: (1) Command History on USS KLAKRING (FFG 42) for 1986

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosure (1) is submitted.


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COMMAND HISTORY FOR USS KLAKRING (FFG-42) FOR 1986

01 JANUARY 1986 USS Klakring in homeport, Charleston, South Carolina, completing a well deserved Christmas leave period.

02 JANUARY 1986 Klakring commences FFG Class Maintenance Plan Intermediate Maintenance Availability (IMAV) II/III.

03 FEBRUARY 1986 Klakring underway for sea trials and participation in CASTOPS 2-86 (Combined At Sea Operations).

08 FEBRUARY 1986 Klakring arrives in Nassau, Bahamas and commences a weekend of liberty on the island. Departs 11 FEBRUARY to rejoin CASTOPS.

15 FEBRUARY 1986 Klakring returns to Charleston, South Carolina.

10 MARCH 1986 Klakring underway for local operations in the Charleston OPAREA, returning 13 MARCH 1986.

09 APRIL 1986 Klakring underway for local operations and preparations for OPPE, returning 11 APRIL 1986.

24 APRIL 1986 Klakring underway for two days conducting final preparations for OPPE.

01 MAY 1986 Klakring underway with the Propulsion Examination Board (PEB) onboard for OPPE. Klakring returns to port on 02 MAY 1986.

12 MAY 1986 Klakring underway for two days of local operations and to prepare for the OPPE.

29 MAY 1986 Klakring underway for one day with PEB onboard to conduct OPPE, returning to homeport on 30 May 1986.

03 JUNE 1986 Klakring underway for three days of local operations.

25 JUNE 1986 LCDR K.P. Whitaker assumes duties as Executive Officer.

26 JUNE 1986 Klakring underway for local operations.

27 JUNE 1986 Klakring moors in Savannah, Georgia for a weekend of liberty. Departs Savannah with Special "K"'s dependents and guests onboard. Arrive in Charleston later the same day.

08 JULY 1986 Klakring is underway to conduct operations with USS Nimitz and her battle group.

11 JULY 1986 Klakring arrives in Port Everglades, Florida. Departs on 14 JULY to continue with carrier operations.

17 JULY 1986 Klakring moors pier side in Charleston, South Carolina.

21 JULY 1986 Klakring underway to conduct special projects for the Chief of Naval Operations, returning 01 AUGUST 1986. Underway to continue special projects on 05 AUGUST for three days and again on 12 AUGUST for two days.

20 AUGUST 1986 Klakring celebrates her third birthday.

27 AUGUST 1986 Klakring completes the Supply Management Inspection (SMI).

28 AUGUST 1986 Klakring underway for the CNO project and returns the following day.

04 SEPTEMBER 1986 Klakring underway for CNO projects.

08 SEPTEMBER 1986 Klakring moors at Dodge Island Terminal, Miami, Florida.

11 SEPTEMBER 1986 Klakring underway for a tiger cruise. While in transit, receives a distress call from King Fisher II, a small fishing boat from Charleston, South Carolina. Klakring steams at full power to render assistance to the disabled vessel. Emergency party transfers via small boat to King Fisher II. Conducts the first annual fishing tournament while awaiting to enter port 12 SEPTEMBER.

16 SEPTEMBER 1986 Klakring holds Chief Petty Officer initiations for BMC Fields.

29 SEPTEMBER 1986 Klakring underway for Naval Weapons Station, Charleston for weapons off-load. Returns to Naval Station, Charleston that evening.

30 SEPTEMBER 1986 Klakring commences her first Selective Restricted Availability (SRA). Operational control of Klakring transfers from COMSECONDEFLT to COMNAVSURFLANT.

05 DECEMBER 1986 Klakring completes SRA-1 one week early and under budget.

12 DECEMBER 1986 Klakring underway for Naval Weapons Station to on-load weapons.

15 DECEMBER 1986 Klakring underway for sea trials.

18 DECEMBER 1986 Klakring moors pier side in Charleston and commences a well deserved holiday leave.