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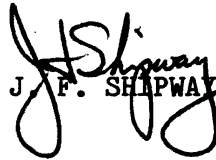
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Encl: (1) Annual Command History of USS LOS ANGELES (SSN688) for the period
1 January 1983 through 31 December 1983

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


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COMMAND HISTORY

USS LOS ANGELES (SSN688)

1 January 1983 - 31 December 1983

COMMANDING OFFICER

CDR J. F. SHIPWAY, USN

1 January 1983 - 31 December 1983

COMMAND

Type Commander
Squadron Commander

Commander Submarine Force, U. S. Pacific Fleet
Commander Submarine Squadron SEVEN

HOME PORT

Pearl Harbor, Hawaii

BASIC HISTORY

USS LOS ANGELES (SSN688) began 1983 under the Operational Control of CTF SEVEN FOUR while underway in the Western Pacific and Indian Oceans. Extremely successful operations resulted in message congratulations from the entire administrative and operational chain of command through the Chief of Naval Operations. On 12 January, the ship arrived at Diego Garcia, B.I.O.T. and tied up alongside USS SAMUAL GOMPERS (AS37) for minor repairs and to take on stores and mail. On 13 January, LOS ANGELES was underway once more. On 20 January, she arrived at HMAS STIRLING, Perth, Western Australia for a six day rest and recreation period. On 26 January, LOS ANGELES was underway again enroute to Agana, Guam. Upon arrival at Agana, Guam on 4 February, LOS ANGELES tied up alongside USS PROTEUS (AS19) and began her mid-deployment upkeep. On 22 February, RADM DEMARS, COMNAVMARIANAS visited and toured the ship with Brigadier General AUTREY, USAF, Commander Second Air Division. On 27 February, the ship was underway once again. On 26 March she visited Yokosuka, Japan for minor repairs and a port visit. On 3 April she was underway for FLEETEX 83-1 and independent operations until 6 May when the ship arrived at Adak, Alaska for a personnel transfer. On 12 May an Operational Reactor Safeguards Examination was completed with a grade of Excellent. On 14 May LOS ANGELES arrived in Pearl Harbor, Hawaii completing a six month Western Pacific deployment. On 10 June Commander Submarine Force, U. S. Pacific Change of Command was conducted onboard the ship. From 18 to 22 July LOS ANGELES embarked 50 Midshipmen for a training cruise. From 23 July to 28 August the ship underwent an availability at Naval Submarine Base, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii and conducted Pre-Overhaul Tests. On 2 September LOS ANGELES called at Lahiana, Maui, Hawaii for a visit and on 5 September conducted a Dependent Cruise for the ships family and friends from Lahiana, Maui to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. On 23 September she was underway again supporting a CNO Special Project. On 14 November the ship departed for the Southern California Operating area and arrived at Ballast Point, San Diego, California on 22 November for a port visit. On 28 November Vice Admiral HOLLAND, Commander Submarine Group FIVE and California Congressman Robert Badham arrived onboard for a visit and tour. Following the tour, LOS ANGELES transited to Naval Air Station, Alameda, California arriving on 6 December. On 12 December LOS ANGELES was underway enroute for Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. The remainder of the year was spent alongside at Naval Submarine Base, Pearl Harbor, Hawaii preparing for overhaul. LOS ANGELES was awarded the Commander Submarine Squadron SEVEN Battle Efficiency "E", ASW "A", Damage Control "DC", and Engineering "E" for Fiscal Year 1983.

Enclosure (1)

COMMAND HISTORY

SUMMARY OF OPERATIONS - 1983

1 January - 12 January	Underway, enroute Diego Garcia, B.I.O.T.
12 January	Inport, along side USS SAMUAL GOMPERS (AS37)
13 January - 19 January	Underway, enroute to Perth, Western Australia
20 January - 25 January	Inport, HMAS STIRLING, Perth, Western Australia
26 January - 4 February	Underway, enroute to Agana, Guam
4 February - 26 February	Inport, Agana, Guam
19 February	Underway for Sea Trails
22 February	RADM DEMARS, COMNAVMARIANAS, visit with Brigadier General AUTREY, USAF, Commander Second Air Division
27 February - 25 March	Underway. Participated in Team Spirit/VALIANT FLEX 83.
26 March - 2 April	Inport Yokosuka, Japan
3 April - 5 May	Underway. Participated in FLEETEX 83-1
6 May	Personnel Transfer, Adak, Alaska
12 May - 13 May	ORSE - Underway
14 May - 13 June	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii - Post WESTPAC Standdown
10 June	COMSUBPAC Change of Commander conducted onboard
15 June - 17 June	Underway - Local Operations
18 June - 17 July	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii. Conducted Pre-Overhaul Test Program (POTS)
18 July - 22 July	Underway - Local Operations - Cruise for Midshipmen

23 July - 28 August	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii - IMA Upkeep
29 August - 1 September	Underway - Local Operations - PCO Operations
2 September - 4 September	Inport Lahiana, Maui, Hawaii
5 September	Dependents Cruise from Lahiana, Maui to Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
6 September - 11 September	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
12 September - 16 September	Underway - Local Operations
17 September - 22 September	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
23 September - 13 October	Underway - CNO Special Project Operations
14 October - 16 October	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
17 October - 21 October	Underway - Local Operations
22 October - 13 November	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
31 October - 13 November	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii - IMA Upkeep
14 November - 21 November	Underway - Enroute Southern California Operating Areas. Participated in REDIFEX 1-84.
22 November - 28 November	Inport Naval Submarine Base, San Diego, California
28 November	VADM HOLLAND, Commander Submarine Group FIVE and California Congressman Robert Badham visit and tour
28 November - 5 December	Enroute Naval Air Station, Alameda, California
6 December - 12 December	Inport Alameda Naval Station,
12 December - 16 December	Underway for Pearl Harbor, Hawaii
16 December - 31 December	Inport Pearl Harbor, Hawaii