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From: Commanding Officer, PRECOMUNIT MAINE (SSBN 741)
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Encl: (1) MAINE (SSBN 741) Command History for 1993

1. In accordance with reference (a), enclosure (1) is provided as USS MAINE's first annual Command History submission.

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MAINE (SSBN 741) COMMAND HISTORY, 1993

1. Command Composition and Organization.

a. **Mission:** To organize and train a crew for Pre-Commissioning Unit MAINE (SSBN 741), to inspect the ship for assuming operational control of systems and spaces, and to prepare the ship and crew for sea trials.

b. **Immediate Senior Command:** Commander, Submarine Group Two

c. **Commanding Officer:** CAPT Gary A. Gradisnik, USN

d. **Location:** Groton, CT

2. Chronology.

8 Sept 93

Initial manning date for PRECOMUNIT MAINE (SSBN 741) at the Electric Boat Division Shipyard of General Dynamics Corp., Groton, CT.

3. Narrative. With the Commanding Officer, five other officers and 41 enlisted personnel reported to PRECOMUNIT MAINE at initial manning. The command's administrative organization was built. Training for nuclear trained personnel commenced one week later in support of propulsion plant testing scheduled for January 1994.

4. Supporting Documents. Attached are the Commanding Officer's biography and photograph, and a photograph of MAINE under construction in November 1993.