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USS MINNEAPOLS-SAINTE PAUL (SSN 708)
Command History for 1996

I. Command Composition and Organization:

Ship's Mission

USS MINNEAPOLIS-SAINTE PAUL's primary mission is to hunt and destroy enemy surface ships and submarines and conduct tactical strike against land based targets using TOMAHAWK cruise missiles.

Immediate Senior Command

Commander, Submarine Squadron SIX

Commanding Officer

Commander Arnold L. Lotring
(1 January - 31 December 1996)

Executive Officer

Lieutenant Commander James R. Righter, Jr.
(1 January - 31 December 1996)

II. Chronology:

Jan	POM Basic Scenario training.
Feb	IMA Upkeep.
Mar	POM Workup and Certification.
Apr-Jun	Deployment.
Jul	Return to Norfolk, ship's Stand-down.
Aug	IMA Upkeep, SPRUCE.
Sep	CNO TACDEVEX 18-96. Shallow water ADCAP. Unscheduled Operational Reactor Safeguards Exam.
Oct	Tactical Readiness Evaluation with Tactical Weapons Proficiency firings at AUTECH.

Nov IMA Upkeep and emergent drydocking.

Dec Pre-deployment training in New London & Holiday
Stand-down.

III. Supporting Documents:

- a. Change of Command Pamphlet
- b. Commanding Officer's Biography
- c. Executive Officers' Biography