

DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY

USS MONTPELIER (SSN 765) FPO AE 09578-2421

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From: Commanding Officer, USS MONTPELIER (SSN 765)
To: Chief of Naval Operations (N09BH), 2000 Navy Pentagon
Washington, D.C. 20350-2000

Subj: COMMAND HISTORY FOR 1997

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 5750.12F

Encl: (1) USS MONTPELIER (SSN 765) Welcome Aboard Brochure

1. Per reference (a), the command history of USS MONTPELIER (SSN 765) for the period 1 January - 31 December 1997 is submitted.

2. Command Composition and Organization:

a. Ship's Mission/Goal Statement:

"Our success is measured by how well the following goals are achieved: (1) readiness for combat, (2) mission accomplishment, (3) professional development and personal growth for all hands, and (4) an enjoyable command climate. Each member is this command plays an essential part in achieving that success. We rely on each other to do our jobs properly so that we may safely accomplish the ship's mission. Our goals is to do the job right and to enjoy doing it."

b. Organizational Structure:

(1) ISIC:		Captain Richard P. Terpstra Submarine Squadron SIX 1 January - 31 December 1997
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(2) Commanding Of	ficer:	CDR David E. Eyler
(3) Executive Off	icer:	LCDR Joseph E. Tofalo 1 January - 6 June 1997 LCDR Thomas M. Calabrese 6 June - 31 December 1997
(4) Navigation/		

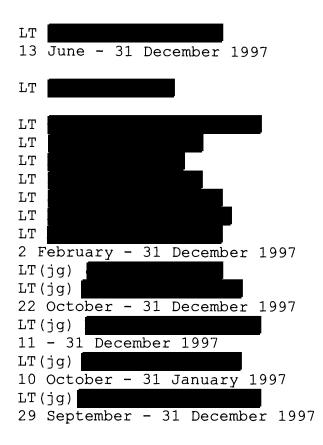
(4) Navigation/
Operations Officer:

(5) Engineer:



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- (6) Combat Systems
 Officer:
- (7) Supply Officer
- (8) Division Officers:



c. The Commanding Officer's biography is contained in enclosure (1).

d. USS MONTPELIER (SSN 765) was homeported in Norfolk, Virginia for this reporting period.

3. Chronology:

Date	Event
1 Jan - 6 Jan	Transit to Ionian Sea
6 Jan	Exercise with THEODORE ROOSEVELT Battle Group
7 Jan	Exercise THEODORE ROOSEVELT Battle Group in
	the Tyrrhenian Sea
7 Jan - 10 Jan	Transit to LaMaddalena, Italy
10 Jan - 15 Jan	In port LaMaddalena, Italy
15 Jan - 25 Jan	Enroute to Limassol, Cyprus
25 Jan - 30 Jan	Port visit in Limassol, Cyprus
31 Jan - 3 Feb	Transit to Straight of Sicily
3 Feb - 7 Feb	Whale Watch Exercise in the Strait of Sicily
7 Feb	Transit to Souda Bay, Crete
8 Feb - 12 Feb	Port visit in Souda Bay, Crete
12 Feb - 16 Feb	Enroute to LaMaddalena, Italy
16 Feb - 25 Feb	Upkeep in LaMaddalena, Italy

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25 Feb - 3 Mar
                    Enroute to COMSIXTHFLT INVITEX 1-97 Exercise
3 Mar - 7 Mar
                    COMSIXTHFLT INVITEX 1-97 Exercise
7 Mar - 9 Mar
                    Enroute to Haifa, Israel
9 Mar - 14 Mar
                    Port visit Haifa, Israel
14 Mar - 16 Mar
                    Transit to the Suez Canal
16 Mar
                    Transited the Suez Canal
16 Mar - 23 Mar
                    Transited to the Arabian Gulf
23 Mar - 27 Mar
                    Transit to Jubail, Saudi Arabia
27 Mar - 31 Mar
                    Exercise NAUTICAL SWIMMER 1-97
31 Mar
                    Transit to Bahrain
1 Apr - 5 Apr
                    Port visit in Bahrain
5 Apr - 14 Apr
                    Arabian Gulf operations
14 Apr - 23 Apr
                    Transit to Suez Canal
                    Suez Canal Transit
24 Apr
24 Apr - 29 Apr
                    Transit to LaMaddalena, Italy
29 Apr - 9 May
                    Upkeep LaMaddalena, Italy
9 May - 19 May
                    Transit to Bermuda
                    Operational Reactor Safeguards Examination
20 May - 22 May
                    enroute to Norfolk, VA
                    Arrive Norfolk, VA
22 May
22 May - 8 Jun
                    Stand Down in Norfolk, VA
8 Jun - 12 Jun
                    Midshipmen Operations
12 Jun - 23 Jun
                    In port Norfolk, VA
23 Jun - 26 Jun
                    Sea Trials
26 Jun - 2 Jul
                    Moored Norfolk, VA
2 Jul - 22 Aug
                    In Drydock RESOLUTE
22 Aug - 29 Aug
                    In port Norfolk, VA
30 Aug - 5 Sep
                    Sea Trials
5 Sep - 15 Sep
                    In port Norfolk, VA
15 Sep - 19 Sep
                    CNO Special Operations in Virginia Cape
                    Operating Areas
                    Anchored off Annapolis, MD
19 Sep - 24 Sep
24 Sep - 1 Oct
                    Independent steaming exercises in
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                    Virginia Cape Operating Areas
1 Oct - 7 Oct
                    In port Norfolk, VA
7 Oct - 8 Oct
                    Underway Material Inspection
8 Oct - 20 Oct
                    Upkeep in Norfolk, VA
21 Oct - 24 Oct
                    Enroute to Port Canaveral, FL
                    Port visit in Port Canaveral, FL
24 Oct - 27 Oct
27 Oct - 2 Nov
                    JCS Battle Group COMPTUEX enroute to Puerto
                    Rico
2 Nov - 3 Nov
                    In port in Roosevelt Roads, Puerto Rico
                    JCS Battle Group COMPTUEX enroute to Saint
3 Nov - 7 Nov
                    Croix, Virgin Islands
7 Nov - 11 Nov
                    Port visit in Saint Croix, Virgin Islands
11 Nov - 21 Nov
                    COMPTUEX
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21 Nov - 25 Nov	Transit to Norfolk, VA
26 Nov - 30 Nov	In port Norfolk, VA
1 Dec - 5 Dec	Transit to AUTEC
5 Dec - 7 Dec	Tactical Readiness Evaluation at AUTEC
7 Dec - 12 Dec	CNO Special Operations
12 Dec - 17 Dec	Enroute to Norfolk, VA
17 Dec - 31 Dec	Christmas Stand down

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