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(b) CNO ltr Ser 2454 of 9 AUG 84
(c) CNO ltr Ser 2537 of 8 NOV 84
(d) CNO ltr Ser 2037 of 30 JAN 85

Encl: (1) Ship's History for 1983
(2) Ship's History for 1984

1. Enclosure (1) is forwarded in accordance with reference (a) and in reply to references (b), (c), and (d).
2. Enclosure (2) is forwarded in accordance with reference (a).


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SHIP'S HISTORY

1983

1 JAN - 22 FEB LEAVE AND UPKEEP
23 FEB - 5 APR CARIB OPS 83
CINCLANTFLT EMBARKED FIRST HALF
COMNAVSURFLANT EMBARKED SECOND HALF
ALSO EMBARKED:
CINCLANTFLT BAND
USMC SILENT DRILL TEAM
USCG - TRAINING TEAM
MCB

PORT VISITS: **KINGSTON, JAMAICA**
BRIDGETOWN, BARBADOS
ROUSSEAU, DOMINICA
PORT-AU-PRINCE, HAITI
PORT OF SPAIN, TRINIDAD

27 MAR - 29 MAR PLATFORM FOR DRONES, READEX 1-83
30 JUN - CHANGE OF COMMAND CAPTAIN FRANCIS R. DONOVAN
RELIEVED BY CAPTAIN EDWARD H. CRABBS

8 - 12 AUG - TRAINING, UNDERWAY CHERRY POINT
OPERATIONAL AREA

26 AUG - 31 DEC REGULAR OVERHAUL (ROH)
METRO MACHINE CORPORATION, NORFOLK, VA
ROH - INCLUDED
1. INSTALLATION OF NEW COMMUNICATIONS SUITE
INCLUDING REPLACEMENT OF ALL MAJOR EQUIPMENT
2. INSTALLATION OF SLQ-32 V-1 ECM CONSOLE AND
ASSOCIATED EQUIPMENT

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SHIP'S HISTORY

1984

1 JAN - 18 APR **REGULAR OVERHAUL (ROH)**

12 JUL - 18 AUG **REFRESHER TRAINING (REFTRA)**
GUANTANAMO BAY, CUBA

5 - 11 SEP **AMPHIBIOUS REFRESHER TRAINING (PHIBREFTRA)**
VIRGINIA CAPES OPERATING AREA

11 - 14 SEP **HURRICANE ANCHORAGE**
CHESAPEAKE BAY, VIRGINIA

26 NOV - 1 DEC **MARG 1-85 BLUE WATER WORK UPS**

3 DEC - 14 DEC **MARG 1-85 GREEN WATER WORK UPS**
294 EMBARKED TROOPS
ALSO EMBARKED SEAL TEAM TWO, ACU 2,
BMU, MSSG 22

14 DEC - 31 DEC **LEAVE AND UPKEEP NORFOLK, VIRGINIA**

21 DEC - **CHANGE OF COMMAND CAPTAIN EDWARD H. CRABBS**
RELIEVED BY CAPTAIN JAMES C. VAN SLYKE, JR.