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Mr. George Gianios, Director  
Defense Automated Printing Service  
Philadelphia, PA

Subj: LETTER OF APPRECIATION

Dear Mr. Gianios,

Naval Surface Warfare Center, Carderock Division, Ship Systems Engineering Station takes great pleasure in recognizing the outstanding efforts of the Defense Automated Printing Service (DAPS), Philadelphia personnel who supported the production of a complete re-issue of EOSS for USS JOHN F. KENNEDY (CV-67) during 2 to 6 April 2004. In particular, we would like to recognize the efforts of Mr. Ken Turman.

Due to the volume of work associated with this effort and some internal delays caused by our new information management software system, DAPS Philadelphia was given only a small window of opportunity to complete this task. A conventional aircraft carrier, such as the USS JOHN F. KENNEDY's, is the largest EOSS package of any ship in the fleet, approximately 19,000 pages. Despite the pressure of an aggressive deadline, Mr. Turman performed his duties in an exemplary manner and with great personal sacrifice. He worked extra hours each day during this time period including coming into work on his regular day off. This is an excellent example of tremendous fleet support.

Mr. Turman's professionalism and dedication in support of this difficult task were key elements in its success. His efforts and perseverance under extreme circumstances are greatly appreciated by the management team of NSWCCD-SSES as well as the Fleet and CV-67. We also acknowledge the fine efforts of all of the other members of the production team who supported this task.



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