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From: Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Communication Station,
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To: ENS C. C. LOPEZ, USN, 711545
Via: Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Security Group Activity,
Homestead, Florida 33030

Subj: Letter of Commendation

Ref: (a) COMNAVSECGRU ltr NSG/G62/dtw 5060 ser 67595
of 29 Jan 1971

1. By reference (a), the Commander, Naval Security Group Command commends this command for the manner in which it has executed its COMSEC (Communications Security) responsibilities since assuming the role of the COMSEC Executive Agent for the Commander, U. S. Naval Forces, Vietnam on 1 July 1970. Reference (a) is quoted in part:

"The COMSEC mission of your command has been performed in an exceptionally commendable manner. A dynamic program of COMSEC education and training has been established and maintained consisting of frequent hostile threat briefings and formal classroom instruction, numerous special studies and surveys have been initiated and conducted with a high degree of professionalism providing the many supported commands with a continuing assessment of their COMSEC status and recommendations for the elimination of security weaknesses, other COMSEC advise and assistance efforts have been carried out with extraordinary technical competence and effectiveness. Optimum use of limited manpower has been made through perseverance and a high incidence of temporary additional duty travel in an environment confronted with personal hardship and the threat of enemy attack."

2. Through your outstanding professional competence, exceptional initiative, and capacity for hard work, you were instrumental in the success and effectiveness of this command's COMSEC mission as cited in reference (a) while assigned to the COMSEC Department.

3. It is, therefore, with particular pleasure that I commend your outstanding professional contribution and exemplary dedication to duty.

T. J. MCKEOWN Jr.