



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY
OFFICE OF THE CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS
2000 NAVY PENTAGON
WASHINGTON, D.C. 20350-2000

IN REPLY REFER TO

17 May 04

Dear Mr. Chairman:

The President, under the provisions of Section 601, Title 10, United States Code, has submitted to the Senate the nomination of Rear Admiral James G. Stavridis, United States Navy, for appointment to the grade of vice admiral.

Rear Admiral Stavridis is presently serving as Commander, Cruiser Destroyer Group TWELVE. He will be assigned as Senior Military Assistant to the Secretary of Defense. He is 49 years of age.

This action will not result in the Navy exceeding the number of authorized three-star positions.

For the information of the Committee, I am enclosing a career resume on Rear Admiral Stavridis which includes a summary of his joint duty assignment.

Most respectfully,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "R. S. Erskine", is written over a horizontal line.

R. S. ERSKINE
Director, Flag Officer
Management and Distribution

The Honorable Duncan Hunter
Chairman, House Armed Services Committee
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

cc: The Honorable Ike Skelton
Ranking Member
House Armed Services Committee
House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515



**TRANSCRIPT OF NAVAL SERVICE FOR
REAR ADMIRAL (SELECTEE) JAMES GEORGE STAVRIDIS
U.S. NAVY**

15 FEB 1955 Born in West Palm Beach, Florida
01 JUN 1976 Ensign
02 JUN 1978 Lieutenant (junior grade)
01 JUL 1980 Lieutenant
01 OCT 1984 Lieutenant Commander
01 NOV 1990 Commander
01 JUN 1997 Captain, Service continuous to date
08 JAN 2001 Designated Rear Admiral (lower half) while
serving in billets commensurate with that
grade
01 MAR 2002 Rear Admiral (lower half), Service
continuous to date



<u>ASSIGNMENTS AND DUTIES</u>	<u>FROM</u>	<u>TO</u>
U.S. Naval Academy (Instructor)	JUN 1976	AUG 1976
Naval Amphibious Base, Coronado, San Diego, CA (DUINS)	AUG 1976	MAY 1977
Service School Command, Naval Training Center, Great Lakes, IL (DUINS)	MAY 1977	JUN 1977
USS HEWITT (DD 966) (Anti-Submarine Warfare Officer)	JUL 1977	APR 1979
Surface Warfare Officers School Command Newport, RI (DUINS)	APR 1979	AUG 1979
USS FORRESTAL (CV 59) (Electrical Officer)	AUG 1979	MAR 1981
Office of the CNO (Strategic Concepts Group) (OP-603)	MAR 1981	AUG 1981
Tufts University (Student)	AUG 1981	OCT 1983
Surface Warfare Officers School Command Newport, RI (DUINS)	OCT 1983	MAY 1984
Combat Systems Engineering Development Site, Moorestown, NJ (DUINS)	MAY 1984	SEP 1984
USS VALLEY FORCE (CG 50) (Operations Officer)	OCT 1984	SEP 1987
Office of the CNO (Assistant for Long Range Requirements)	SEP 1987	JUL 1989

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Surface Warfare Officers School Command Newport, RI (DUINS)	JUL 1989	OCT 1989
XO, USS ANTIETAM (CG 54)	OCT 1989	JUL 1991
National War College (Student)	JUL 1991	JUL 1992
Office of the Secretary of the Navy (Special Assistant and Speechwriter)	JUL 1992	MAR 1993
Ships Material Readiness Group, Newport, RI (DUINS)	MAR 1993	JUN 1993
CO, USS BARRY (DDG 52)	JUN 1993	DEC 1995
Joint Staff (Branch Chief, Force Policy Branch) (J5)	DEC 1995	NOV 1997
Commander, Destroyer Squadron TWO ONE	NOV 1997	DEC 1998
Office of the Secretary of the Navy (Executive Assistant)	JAN 1999	MAR 2001
Office of the CNO (Deputy Director for Requirements Assessment, N81D/Director, CINC Liaison Division, N83)	MAR 2001	JAN 2002
Office of the CNO (Director, Naval Operations Group)	JAN 2002	AUG 2002
Commander, Cruiser Destroyer Group TWELVE	AUG 2002	TO DATE

MEDALS AND AWARDS

Defense Superior Service Medal	Navy and Marine Corps Achievement Medal
Legion of Merit with one Gold Star	Meritorious Unit Commendation
Meritorious Service Medal with two Gold Stars	National Defense Service Medal with one Bronze Star
Navy and Marine Corps Commendation Medal with three Gold Stars	

SPECIAL QUALIFICATIONS

BS (English) U.S. Naval Academy, 1976
 Designated Surface Warfare Officer, 1978
 PHD (Foreign Affairs) Tufts University, 1984
 Graduate of Naval War College, 1985
 Graduate of National War College, 1992
 Designated Joint Specialty Officer, 1999

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PERSONAL DATA

Wife: Laura Elizabeth Hall of Ann Arbor, Michigan
Children: Christina A. Stavridis (Daughter)
Born: 20 August 1985
Julia E. Stavridis (Daughter)
Born: 14 February 1991

SUMMARY OF JOINT DUTY ASSIGNMENTS

<u>Assignment</u>	<u>Dates</u>	<u>Rank</u>
Joint Staff (Branch Chief, Force Policy Branch) (J5)	DEC 95 - DEC 97	CDR/ CAPT