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The Honorable J. Dennis Hastert
Speaker of the House of Representatives
U.S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Speaker:

On behalf of the Secretary of Defense, I have authorized the officers whose names appear on the enclosed list to wear the insignia of the next higher grade in accordance with title 10, United States Code, section 777. These officers will not be allowed to wear the authorized grade prior to the expiration of the required 30-day congressional notification period. The Senate previously confirmed these officers to their authorized grades. This action will not cause the Department to exceed the number of frocked officers authorized.

Sincerely,


Charles S. Abell
Principal Deputy

Enclosure:
As stated

cc:
The Honorable Duncan Hunter
Chairman, House Armed Services Committee
The Honorable Ike Skelton
Ranking Member, House Armed Services Committee

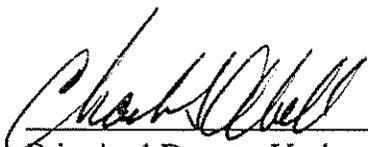
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Name	Frocted Grade	Date Frocking Required	Duty Requirements	Projected Date of Promotion
Cullison, Thomas	O7	Upon Approval	Medical Officer to the Marine Corps	1 Jan 05
Bozin, Stanley	O8	Upon Approval	Cdr, Navy Region Europe/Cdr Fleet Air Mediterranean/Cdr, Maritime AF Mediterranean	1 Jul 05
Kelly, James D.	O8	Upon Approval	Cdr, Carrier Group FIVE	1 Apr 04
Stanley, Paul S.	O8	Upon Approval	Cdr, Submarine Group EIGHT/Cdr Allied Submarines Mediterranean/Dir, Ops and Plans US Naval Forces Europe	1 Apr 05

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Approved for the Secretary of Defense


September 29, 2004
 Principal Deputy Under Secretary of Defense (Date)
 (Personnel & Readiness)