



DEPARTMENT OF THE NAVY  
COMMANDER SERVICE FORCE  
UNITED STATES ATLANTIC FLEET  
NORFOLK, VIRGINIA 23511

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4 SEP 1973

From: Commander Service Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet  
To: Commanding Officer, Naval Mobile Construction  
Battalion SEVENTY-FOUR  
Via: Commander Naval Construction Battalions, U. S.  
Atlantic Fleet

Subj: Battle Efficiency Competition 1973

1. The annual review process for selecting the OUTSTANDING Naval Mobile Construction Battalion in the U. S. Atlantic Fleet has been completed. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion SEVENTY-FOUR was adjudged "BEST OF TYPE" for Fiscal Year 1973, and is a winner of the Battle Efficiency Award. *Seabers*

2. Commander Service Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet commends the Commanding Officer, the officers and men of Naval Mobile Construction Battalion SEVENTY-FOUR for the pursuit of a vigorous, long-term training program leading to the attainment of the Battle Efficiency Award.

3. The Commanding Officer, Naval Mobile Construction Battalion SEVENTY-FOUR is authorized to take the following action:

a. Paint or affix a white "E" to the front entrance of the Battalion's command headquarters building.

b. Display the battle efficiency pennant in the vicinity of the headquarters building. Article 324 of DNC 27 (A) gives a detailed description of the battle efficiency pennant.

c. Authorize enlisted personnel to wear the Navy "E" in accordance with U. S. Navy Uniform Regulations.

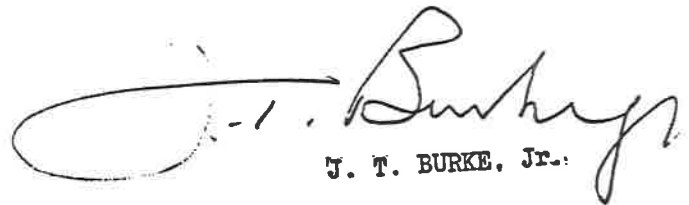
d. All of the above may be displayed until the winners of the Battle Efficiency Competition are announced for Fiscal Year 1974.

4. Further, the Commanding Officer, Naval Mobile Construction Battalion SEVENTY-FOUR is encouraged to take appropriate commendatory action in the case of those officers and enlisted men who made a significant contribution to the achievements of Naval Mobile Construction Battalion SEVENTY-FOUR.

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5. A suitable plaque commemorating the presentation of the Battle Efficiency Award will be forwarded to Commander Naval Construction Battalions, U. S. Atlantic Fleet, who will make arrangements for the official presentation on behalf of Commander Service Force, U. S. Atlantic Fleet.

6. Well done and best wishes to you, your officers and crew for such an outstanding performance. I am well aware that your recognition by this award is the result of a tremendous team effort on the part of all hands. Best of luck also for the coming year!



J. T. BURKE, Jr.

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From: Commander Naval Construction Battalions, U. S. Atlantic Fleet  
To: Commanding Officer, U. S. Naval Mobile Construction Battalion  
SEVENTY-FOUR

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1. Forwarded for action as authorized in the basic correspondence.
2. Your selection as "Best of Type" for Fiscal Year 1973 and as a winner of the Battle Efficiency Award reflect the outstanding leadership, professional competence and devotion to duty displayed by all hands. Each officer and man of NMCB SEVENTY-FOUR can take pride in his role in earning the Battle Efficiency "E" and pennant.
3. Arrangements for presentation of the Battle Efficiency "E" Plaque will be made upon your return to homeport.

  
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