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July 6, 1989

Mr. James T. Reilly  
239 Miller Avenue  
Mill Valley, CA 94941

Dear Mr. Reilly:

As requested in your letter under the Freedom of Information Act (5 U.S.C. § 552 (1982)), you will find attached a copy of the Manual of the Judge Advocate General final investigative report concerning the June 3, 1969, collision between the USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD754) and the HMAS MELBOURNE.

Portions of the enclosed material have been withheld, because the unauthorized release of this information would result in a clearly unwarranted invasion of personal privacy (5 U.S.C. § 552 (b)(6) (1982)).

For the enclosed material, please remit your check or money order for \$172.95, made payable to the Treasurer of the United States. The fee was computed as follows:

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Because your request has been denied in part, you are entitled under the Act to appeal this determination in writing to the designee of the Secretary of the Navy. Such an appeal, if any, should be addressed to:

Department of the Navy  
Office of the Judge Advocate General (Code 34)  
200 Stovall Street  
Alexandria, Virginia 22332-2400

To be considered, the appeal must be received within 60 days from the date of this letter. The enclosed copy of this letter should be attached. Both the letter of appeal and the envelope should bear the notation, "Freedom of Information Act Appeal."

I must inform you that the undersigned is the official responsible for the partial denial of your request.

I hope this material assists you.

Sincerely,



C. H. MITCHELL  
Colonel, U.S. Marine Corps  
Assistant Judge Advocate General  
(Military Law)

Encl:

(1) Copy of investigative report