

DEATH REPORT

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NAVJAG 5800/16 (5-68)
S/N-0105-100-8100

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), ZPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:

Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D.C. 20370VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU ONECOPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|---|---|--|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME PETERAL, Craig Allen | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER E36 80 71 | 3. GRADE SA | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOURLY TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| | | | | |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | |
| NONE | | | | |

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with EMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

B. J. Cordes

DATE

5 June 1969

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USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|--|---|--|----------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME DICKETT, Jerome (JMN) | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER B53 31 99 | 3. GRADE SA | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
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| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| DOOR OF ALCOHOL | | TRUCULENT | | UNCOORDINATED |
| STAGGERING | | UNSTEADY | | HICCOUGHING |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | | INCOHERENT | | NORMAL |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOOR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |

11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

NONE

12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

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13. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

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| 14. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER <i>B. J. Cordes</i> | DATE 5 June 1969 |
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USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

1. NAME
PRINCE, Earl Frederick Jr.

2. SERVICE NUMBER
D11 16 48

3. GRADE
YT2

4. BRANCH OF SERVICE
USN

5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH

3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E

5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH

About 030315G June 1969

6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

TIME

PLACE

LOST AT SEA

DEAD OR ALIVE

7a. DIAGNOSIS IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN

LOST AT SEA

7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN

LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning)

8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE

8a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF

☐ ALCOHOL

☐ BARBITURATES

☐ NARCOTICS

8b. ☐ NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a

☐ OTHER
(Specify)

☒ UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION

9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE

ODOR OF ALCOHOL

TRUCULENT

UNCOORDINATED

STAGGERING

UNSTEADY

HICCUGHING

SEMICONSCIOUS

INCOHERENT

NORMAL

10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION

WAS TAKEN

☒

WAS NOT TAKEN

HOUR TAKEN

TYPE OF TEST

RESULT

11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

NONE

12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

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13. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

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14. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

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COMASWGRU ONE

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USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

| | | | | |
|--|------|--|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME WILLY, Lawrence John | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER 677 37 43 | 3. GRADE FM | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
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|---|---|
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | |
| 8a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | 8b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION |

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| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL |

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|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------|----------------|------------------|
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| 11. WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | 12. WAS NOT TAKEN | 13. HOUR TAKEN | 14. TYPE OF TEST |
| | | | | 15. RESULT |

16. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

NONE

17. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

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| 18. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
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IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

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|---|---|-------------------------|
| 19. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | 20. SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER <i>B. J. Cordes</i> | 21. DATE 5 June 1969 |
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|---|---|--|------------------------------------|
| 1. NAME RIKAL, [REDACTED] | 2. SERVICE NUMBER 1301500 | 3. GRADE E-7 | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE [REDACTED] |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | |
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| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOURLY TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) NONE | | | |
| 12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION | | | |

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| 11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
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| 12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER [REDACTED] |
| DATE 5 June 1969 | |

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|---|---|-------------------|---|----------------------|
| 1. NAME | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | 3. GRADE | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE |
| SAGE, Gary Loren | | B60 86 79 | BM2 | USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH | | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH | |
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| A. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| | | | | |
| B. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | |
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| B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | | <i>B. J. Cordes</i> | 5 June 196 |

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|--|--------------------------------|--|------------------------------|
| 1. NAME SANE, Gregory Allen | 2. SERVICE NUMBER B60 93 22 | 3. GRADE R03 | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE NAVY |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | |
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13. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

14. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER
B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

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|---|---|--|--------------|----------------------|
| 1. NAME | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | 3. GRADE | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE |
| SAGE, Kelly Jo | | 063 97 91 | SN | USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH | | |
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| | | LOST | AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | |
| LOST AT SEA | | LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | <input type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| A. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
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| B. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | |
| NONE | | | | |

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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| 11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL | | |
| 12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE |
| B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | <i>B. J. Cordes</i> | 5 June 1969 |

NOTE: THERE ARE NO BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

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S/N-0105-100-8100

REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:

Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|--|------|--|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME SAUVEY, John Alan | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER 542 62 62 | 3. GRADE SN | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | LOST | AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |

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| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL | <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES | <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| A. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |

B. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

NONE

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER
B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

5 June 1969

NOTE: THERE ARE NO BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

DEATH REPORT

NAVJAG 5800/16 (5-68)
S/N-0105-100-8100

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:

Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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| 1. NAME SEARLE, Robert James | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER B33 23 32 | 3. GRADE BTFA | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) NONE | | | | |

12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIAL, REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER
B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

5 June 1969

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DEATH REPORT

NAVJAG 5800/16 (5-68)
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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:

Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|---|---|--------------------------------|--|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME SITH, Gerald Wayne | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER B51 27 77 | 3. GRADE FM | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| 8a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | | 8b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | |
| 8c. <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | | 8d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | | TRUCULENT | | UNCOORDINATED |
| STAGGERING | | UNSTEADY | | HICCUGHING |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | | INCOHERENT | | NORMAL |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| 10a. WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | 10b. HOUR TAKEN | 10c. TYPE OF TEST | 10d. RESULT |
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| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) NONE | | | | |
| 12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION | | | | |

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with EMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER
B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

5 June 1969

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DEATH REPORT

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5200.7

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| FROM: (Name and Command) | | TO: |
| USS FRANK E. EVANS (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601 | | Judge Advocate General Navy Department Washington, D. C. 20370 |
| VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority) | COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority) | |
| OFFICER'S NAME | USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) | |

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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| 1. NAME | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | 3. GRADE | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE |
| FRANK E. EVANS | 003 35 00 | SI | 0012 |
| 5a. PLACE AND TIME OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH | |
| 3400' S South China Sea 08°58' N, 116°30' E | | About 030315G June 1969 | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE |
| LOST AT SEA | | | |
| 7a. INJURIES, IF NOT DECLARED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECLARED WHEN FIRST SEEN | |
| LOST AT SEA | | LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | |

CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE

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| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | b. |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL | <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES | <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED ITEM |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | c. |
| | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION |

BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE

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| 8a. DEGREE OF ALCOHOL | 8b. TRUCULENT | 8c. UNCOORDINATED |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING |
| SEMICONSIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL |

BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION

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| 9. WAS TAKEN | 10. WAS NOT TAKEN | 11. HOUR TAKEN | 12. TYPE OF TEST | 13. RESULT |
| <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> | <input type="checkbox"/> | | | |

14. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

15. NAME

16. ADDRESS (If known) NAME INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

17. SUMMARY OF CASE: In USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with the merchant ship FRANK E. EVANS was out in bulk with the forward section collapsed. Member was initially declared missing by COMASUB on 031412Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after 031412Z JUN 69 for 1 1/2 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search on 031412Z JUN 69 COMASUB on 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

18. AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

19. IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

20. SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

21. NAME (Typed) USN

22. SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

23. DATE (Typed) BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

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USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|--|---|--|------------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME SPRAY, John Raymond | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER 920 07 13 | 3. GRADE ST32 | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER DATE | TIME LOST | PLACE AT SEA | DEAD OR ALIVE | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| 8a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | 8b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
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| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) NONE | | | | |
| 12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION | | | | |

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with EMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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| 11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO | |
| IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL | |
| 12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER <i>B. J. Cordes</i> |
| DATE 5 June 1969 | |

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1. NAME OF INDIVIDUAL
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| COMASWGRU ONE | USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) | |

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|---|---|---|--------------|----------------------|
| 1. NAME | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | 3. GRADE | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE |
| THIDODEAU, Ronald Arthur | | E30 12 91 | RD2 | USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH | | |
| 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | |
| LOST AT SEA | | LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| 8a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | 8b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| | | | | |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | |
| NONE | | | | |
| 12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION | | | | |

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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| 11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | | YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL | | | |
| 12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE |
| B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | | <i>B. J. Cordes</i> | 5 June 1969 |

NOTE: THERE ARE NO BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

NAVJAG 5000/16 (5-68)
S/N-0108-100-8100

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800.7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:

Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)

COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)

USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|--|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME THOMAS, Jon Wayne | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER B52 74 43 | 3. GRADE RD3 | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE LOST AT SEA | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a. | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) NONE | | | | |

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER
B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

5 June 1969

NOTE: THERE ARE NO BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

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NAVJAG FORM 1A (5-64)
S/N-0105-100-0100

REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS INTADARGE (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:
Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

1. NAME: Tolson, John Edgar 2. SERVICE NUMBER: 3. GRADE: 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE:

5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH: 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH: About 030315G June 1969

6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER: DATE: TIME: PLACE: LOST AT SEA DEAD OR ALIVE:

7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN: LOST AT SEA 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN: LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning)

8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE
a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF: ☐ ALCOHOL ☐ DRUGS ☐ NARCOTICS ☐ OTHER (Specify)
b. ☐ NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a
c. ☒ UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION

9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE
a. DEGREE OF ALCOHOL: b. TRUCULENT: c. UNCOORDINATED:
d. STAGGERING: e. UNSTEADY: f. HICCOUGHING:
g. SEMI-CONSCIOUS: h. INCOHERENT: i. NORMAL:

10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION
a. WAS TAKEN: ☒ b. WAS NOT TAKEN: ☐ c. HOUR TAKEN: d. TYPE OF TEST: e. RESULT:

11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify): NONE
12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION:

13. Description of incident in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with IRIAN INTELLIGENCE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030704Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

14. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

15. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER: R. J. COMBES LCDR MC USN SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER: DATE: 5 June 1969

NOTE: THIS REPORT IS BLOCKS 11 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

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NAVJAG FORM 16 (5-68)
N-100-100-8100

REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

| | |
|---|---|
| FROM: (Name of Reporting Command) USS Kearsarge (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601 | TO: Judge Advocate General Navy Department Washington, D. C. 20370 |
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| VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority) COMASWGRU ONE | COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority) USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) |
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PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

| | | | |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|
| 1. NAME Wagner, Gary Joseph | 2. SERVICE NUMBER 12 34 56 | 3. GRADE LTJG | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE N |
|--------------------------------|-------------------------------|------------------|---------------------------|

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| 5a. DATE, TIME, AND PLACE OF DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 |
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| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER DATE TIME PLACE LOST AT SEA | DEAD OR ALIVE |
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| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) |
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| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION |

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|--|------------|---------------|--|
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCUGHING | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | |

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|--|---|------------|--------------|--------|
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |

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|-------------------------------|
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) |
| HONE |

12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was on duty in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with BRIG HELMHOUS. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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|---|---|
| 13. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL | |

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| 14. TYPE, NAME, AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE 5 June 1969 |
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NOTE: THE REMAINING BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

NAVJAG 5900/16 (5-68)
7/N-0105-100-0100

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5900-7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

TO:

USS KIDABARGE (CVG-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|--|---|--|------------------------|------------------------------------|
| 1. NAME [Redacted] | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER [Redacted] | 3. GRADE [Redacted] | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE [Redacted] |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER DATE TIME PLACE DEAD OR ALIVE | LOST AT SEA | | | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | |

NOTE:

12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crew member in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with JMSA HULL NUMBER. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

13. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

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| 14. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER B. J. COOPER LCDR MC USN | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE 5 June 1969 |
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DEATH REPORT

NAVJAG 5800.7 (5-63)
S/N-0105-100-0100

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800.7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), TPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:
Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
CCMASWGRU ONE

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USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

| | | | | |
|---|---|--|----------------|-----------------------------|
| 1. NAME HUNT, Henry Dennis III | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER 033 03 52 | 3. GRADE EN | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| 8a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | 8b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | | TRUCULENT | | UNCOORDINATED |
| STAGGERING | | UNSTEADY | | HICCUGHING |
| SEMI-CONSCIOUS | | INCOHERENT | | NORMAL |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| | | | | |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) NONE | | | | |

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELECOMBE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was hit in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by CCMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a heavy sea. Following cessation of search activities, CCMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO
IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER
B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

5 June 1969

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NAVJAG 5800.7
S/N-0105-10

REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800.7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEAR (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

TO:
Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|--|--|-------------------|--|--|--|----------------------|--|
| 1. NAME | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | | 3. GRADE | | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE | |
| | | 732570 | | LTJG | | U. S. NAVY | |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH | | | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH | | | |
| 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | | | About 030315G June 1969 | | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | | DATE | | TIME | | PLACE | |
| | | | | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | | |
| LOST AT SEA | | | | LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEMS 8a | | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | | | | | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | | TRUCULENT | | UNCOORDINATED | | | |
| STAGGERING | | UNSTEADY | | HICCOUGHING | | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | | INCOHERENT | | NORMAL | | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | | | | |
| A. WAS TAKEN | | X WAS NOT TAKEN | | HOUR TAKEN | | TYPE OF TEST | |
| | | | | | | RESULT | |
| B. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | | | | |
| NONE | | | | | | | |
| 11. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION | | | | | | | |

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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| 11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO | |
| IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL | | | |
| 12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | |
| B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | | <i>B. J. Cordes</i> | |
| | | DATE | |
| | | 5 June 1969 | |

NOTE: THERE ARE NO BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:
Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

| | | | |
|---|------------------------------------|---|---|
| 1. NAME <u>ONEA, [illegible]</u> | 2. SERVICE NUMBER <u>716383</u> | 3. GRADE <u>INSTC</u> | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE <u>U. S. NAVY-R</u> |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH <u>3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E</u> | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH <u>About 030315G June 1969</u> | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE |
| | | | <u>LOST AT SEA</u> |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN <u>LOST AT SEA</u> | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN <u>LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning)</u> | |

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|--|---------------------------------------|---|---|
| 8. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL | <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES | <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a |
| <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | |

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| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING |
| SEMICONSIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL |

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| A. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |

B. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

NONE

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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| 11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
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IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

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| 12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER <i>[Signature]</i> | DATE 5 June 1969 |
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NOTE: THERE ARE NO BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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DEATH REPORT

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5900-7

FROM: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-794), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO: Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
COMASWEN (CNS)

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-794)

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| PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 1. NAME | | | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | | 3. GRADE | | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE | | | |
| 5. INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 3 JUL 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 6. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH | | | | | | | | | | | |
| About 030315G June 1969 | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | | | | DATE | | TIME | | PLACE | | DEAD OR ALIVE | |
| LOST AT SEA | | | | | | | | LOST AT SEA | | | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LOST AT SEA | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | | | | | | | | | | |
| LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | | | | | | | | | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> HALLUCINATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | | | | | | | | | | | |
| b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | | | | | | | | | | |
| c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | | | | | | | | | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | | | | | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | | | | TRUCULENT | | | | UNCOORDINATED | | | |
| STAGGERING | | | | UNSTEADY | | | | HIC COUGHING | | | |
| SEMICOUSCIOUS | | | | INCOHERENT | | | | NORMAL | | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | | HOUR TAKEN | | TYPE OF TEST | | RESULT | | | |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | | | | | | | | |
| NONE | | | | | | | | | | | |

12. ALL ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member of crew in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-794) involved in a collision with USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seconds. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWEN message 030704Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and continued for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWEN message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

13. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? ☐ YES ☒ NO

IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL

14. TYPE, GRADE, AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

D. J. C. MEDICAL OFFICER MC USN

SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER

DATE

5 June 1969

NOTE: THE DEATH REPORT BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

DEATH REPORT

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NAVJAG FORM 1
57N-010-100-000

REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800.7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS LORRAINE (CVG-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:
Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
CGMAGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|--|------|-------------------|--|----------------------|
| 1. NAME FRANK E. EVANS, JR. | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | 3. GRADE | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE |
| 5. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH About 030315G June 1969 | | | | |
| 6. PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | | | |
| 7a. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7b. DIAGNOSED IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA | | | 7c. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | |

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| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS | b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a |
| c. <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | d. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION |

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| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | |
| ORDER OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCUGHING | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | |

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| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOUR TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |

11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

NONE

12. ALL OTHERS INSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

1. A collision occurred in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HMAS SHELL (H202). USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within 10 minutes. Member was initially declared missing by CGMAGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and continued for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, CGMAGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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| 13. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL | |

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| 14. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER F. J. COOPER JR. LCDR MC USN | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE 5 June 1969 |
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NOTE: THIS REPORT IS DUE 13 THROUGH 15

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800.7

FROM: (Name of Reporting Command)

USS KEARSARGE (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO:
Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)

COMASWGRU ONE

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command if Report is Made by Another Authority)

USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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|---|---|---|--------------|----------------------|
| 1. NAME | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER | 3. GRADE | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE |
| 5a. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING DEATH | | 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH | | |
| 3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E | | About 030315G June 1969 | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE | TIME | PLACE | DEAD OR ALIVE |
| | | | LOST AT SEA | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS, IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | 7b. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN | | |
| LOST AT SEA | | LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning) | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE | | | | |
| 8a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | 8b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCOUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | HOURLY TAKEN | TYPE OF TEST | RESULT |
| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify) | | | | |
| NONE | | | | |

12. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Member was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with EMAS MELBOURNE. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within seven minutes. Member was initially declared missing by COMASWGRU ONE message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and extended for 14 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, COMASWGRU ONE message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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| 11. WAS AN AUTOPSY CONDUCTED? | | <input type="checkbox"/> YES | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> NO |
| IF YES, ATTACH COPY OF AUTOPSY PROTOCOL | | | |
| 12. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE |
| B. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | | <i>B. J. Cordes</i> | 5 June 1969 |

NOTE: THERE ARE NO BLOCKS 13 THROUGH 16

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REPORTS SYMBOL: JAG 5800-7

RECEIVED (If Applicable)

1. NAME (If Applicable)

U. S. NAVY (CVS-33), FPO, San Francisco 96601

TO: Judge Advocate General
Navy Department
Washington, D. C. 20370

VIA: (Officer Exercising GCM Authority)
CGIANT-311-01

COPY TO: (Individual's Own Command If Report Is Made by Another Authority)
USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 12) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

1. NAME 2. SERVICE NUMBER 3. GRADE 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE

5a. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH 5b. DATE AND TIME OF DEATH

3 JUN 69 South China Sea 08°58' N, 110°30' E

About 030315G June 1969

6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER 7. DATE 8. TIME 9. PLACE 10. DEAD OR ALIVE

LOST AT SEA

11. MAINTAINED IF NOT DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN 12. APPARENT CAUSE OF DEATH, IF DECEASED WHEN FIRST SEEN

LOST AT SEA

LOST AT SEA (Death is attributed to either traumatic injuries or drowning)

CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION, IF MADE

a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF 1. ALCOHOL 2. DRUGS 3. NARCOTICS 4. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a

c. UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION

BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE

1. COORD. OF ALCOHOL 2. TRUCULENT 3. UNCOORDINATED 4. STAGGERED 5. UNSTEADY 6. HICCOUGHING 7. SEMI-CONSCIOUS 8. INCOHERENT 9. NORMAL

BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION

10. WAS TAKEN 11. WAS NOT TAKEN 12. HOUR TAKEN 13. TYPE OF TEST 14. RESULT

15. ANY OTHER TESTS (Specify)

16. NAME

17. PLACE AND CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

18. The following information in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with RMS PRINCE OF WALES. USS FRANK E. EVANS was cut in half with the forward section sinking within minutes. Member was initially declared missing by CGIANT-311-01 message 030714Z JUN 69. Intensive sea and air rescue effort began immediately after collision and continued for 1 1/2 hours in a glassy sea. Following cessation of search activities, CGIANT-311-01 message 031412Z JUN 69 declared that conclusive evidence of death existed in the case of those members originally reported as missing.

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USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 16) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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| 1. NAME RODRIGUEZ, Marcos Jr. | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER 004 62 47 | 3. GRADE O1 | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
| 5. DATE AND PLACE OF INCIDENT CAUSING INJURY 3 June 1969 South China Sea 0° 50' N, 110° 30' E | | | | |
| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE 3 JUN 69 | TIME 0900G | PLACE HEAS HARBOR | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS | | 7b. PROGNOSIS Guarded | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | b. <input type="checkbox"/> NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a c. <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
| 9. BASIS FOR OPINION IN 8a OR 8b ABOVE | | | | |
| ODOR OF ALCOHOL | TRUCULENT | UNCOORDINATED | | |
| STAGGERING | UNSTEADY | HICCUGHING | | |
| SEMICONSCIOUS | INCOHERENT | NORMAL | | |
| 10. BLOOD SPECIMEN FOR ALCOHOL DETERMINATION | | | | |
| A. WAS TAKEN | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAS NOT TAKEN | 11. HOUR TAKEN | 12. TYPE OF TEST | 13. RESULT |
| B. ANY OTHER TESTS FOR INTOXICATION (Specify) | | | | |

None

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Patient was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision
with HMAS MELBOURNE. He was thrown from the signal bridge of EVANS to flight
deck of MELBOURNE with his
received first aid aboard HMAS MELBOURNE, was flown by helicopter to KWAISANGIE,
extranet, given blood, and MEDVAC to 12th USAF Hospital, Cam Ranh Bay, RVN.

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| 11. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE FOLLOWING DISABILITY MAY RESULT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PERMANENT PARTIAL <input type="checkbox"/> PERMANENT TOTAL | | 12. ESTIMATED LOSS OF TIME FROM DUTY AS A RESULT OF INJURY OR DATE OF RETURN TO DUTY 60-90 Days. |
| 13. INFORMATION FOR RESERVISTS (Need Not be Supplied if Reservist was on Extended Active Duty) WILL HOSPITALIZATION BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO TERMINATION OF ACTIVE DUTY OR TRAINING PERIOD? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (State best estimate of date of release from hospital) | | 14. REMARKS |
| 15. Based on the above, the following finding is recommended: In Line of Duty, Not Due to Own Misconduct. | | |
| 16. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER D. J. CONDES LCDR MC USN | | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER D. J. Condes DATE 6 JUN 1969 |

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USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754)

PART I (BLOCKS 1 THROUGH 16) TO BE COMPLETED BY MEDICAL OFFICER

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| 1. NAME RODRIGUEZ, Marcos Jr. | | 2. SERVICE NUMBER SS4 62 47 | 3. GRADE SN | 4. BRANCH OF SERVICE USN |
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| 6. FIRST SEEN BY MEDICAL OFFICER | DATE 3 JUN 69 | TIME 0630G | PLACE HEAS MELBOURNE | |
| 7a. DIAGNOSIS | | 7b. PROGNOSIS Guarded | | |
| 8. CONDITION OF INDIVIDUAL AT TIME OF EXAMINATION | | | | |
| a. UNDER INFLUENCE OF | | b. NOT UNDER INFLUENCE OF ANY LISTED IN ITEM 8a | | |
| <input type="checkbox"/> ALCOHOL <input type="checkbox"/> BARBITURATES <input type="checkbox"/> NARCOTICS <input type="checkbox"/> OTHER (Specify) | | <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> UNABLE TO DETERMINE DUE TO PHYSICAL CONDITION | | |
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| 11. ANY OTHER TESTS FOR INTOXICATION (Specify) | | | | |

None

10. ALLEGED CIRCUMSTANCES INITIALLY REPORTED AND SOURCE OF INFORMATION

Patient was crewmember in USS FRANK E. EVANS (DD-754) involved in a collision with HEAS MELBOURNE. He was thrown from the signal bridge of EVANS to flight deck of MELBOURNE with his head. He received first aid aboard HEAS MELBOURNE, was flown by helicopter to KEARSARGE, examined, given blood, and MEDIVAC to 12th USAF Hospital, Cam Rahn Bay, RVN.

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| 11. IT IS POSSIBLE THAT THE FOLLOWING DISABILITY MAY RESULT <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PERMANENT PARTIAL <input type="checkbox"/> PERMANENT TOTAL | | 12. ESTIMATED LOSS OF TIME FROM DUTY AS A RESULT OF INJURY OR DATE OF RETURN TO DUTY: 60-90 Days. |
| 13. INFORMATION FOR RESERVISTS (Need Not be Supplied if Reservist was on Extended Active Duty) WILL HOSPITALIZATION BE COMPLETED PRIOR TO TERMINATION OF ACTIVE DUTY OR TRAINING PERIOD? <input type="checkbox"/> YES <input type="checkbox"/> NO (State best estimate of date of release from hospital) | | 14. REMARKS |
| 15. Based on the above, the following finding is recommended: In Line of Duty, Not Due to Own Misconduct. | | |
| 16. TYPED NAME AND GRADE OF MEDICAL OFFICER D. J. CORDES LCDR MC USN | | SIGNATURE OF MEDICAL OFFICER D. J. Cordes DATE 6 JUN 1969 |

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