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SUBJ/U.S. NAVY SEA CADET CORPS//

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AMPN/REF A IS OPNAVINST 5760.5C, NAVY SUPPORT AND ASSISTANCE TO YOUTH GROUPS//

RMKS/1. THE NAVY SEA CADET CORPS (NSCC) IS A NON-PROFIT YOUTH ORGANIZATION SPONSORED BY THE NAVY LEAGUE OF THE UNITED STATES. THEIR GOAL IS TO ACQUAINT HIGH SCHOOL STUDENTS WITH THE NAVY AND INTRODUCE THEM TO THE VALUES OF MILITARY SERVICE. FOLLOWING HIGH SCHOOL, THE MAJORITY OF SEA CADETS ENTER THE SEA SERVICES IN EITHER AN ENLISTED OR OFFICER PROGRAM. APPROXIMATELY 12 PERCENT OF EACH ENTERING CLASS AT THE U.S. NAVAL ACADEMY IS PRIOR SEA CADETS.

2. IN EVERY STATE THROUGHOUT OUR NATION, SEA CADETS ACTIVELY INTRODUCE OUR NAVY TO TODAY'S YOUTH - WE MUST SUPPORT THEIR EFFORTS. THE PROGRAM'S GREATEST NEEDS ARE QUALIFIED ADULT LEADERS AND TRAINING OPPORTUNITIES ON BOARD SHIPS, BASES, AND STATIONS. NAVY PERSONNEL, THROUGH INVOLVEMENT AND SUPPORT OF THE NSCC, DIRECTLY IMPACT THE READINESS OF TOMORROW'S NAVY BY MENTORING THE NEXT GENERATION OF LEADERS. REF A PROVIDES GUIDANCE CONCERNING COMMAND ASSISTANCE TO THE NSCC.

3. NAVY COMMANDS AND PERSONNEL ARE ENCOURAGED TO FULLY SUPPORT SEA CADET UNITS, PARTICULARLY THOSE UNITS LOCATED IN AREAS WHERE NAVY PRESENCE IS LIMITED. OPERATIONAL COMMANDS ARE ENCOURAGED TO INVITE NSCC UNITS TO TRAIN ON BOARD, IF SCHEDULES PERMIT. ADDITIONAL INFORMATION CAN BE OBTAINED BY CONTACTING NAVY RECRUITING COMMAND OR THE NSCC HEADQUARTERS. DIRECT LIAISON WITH NSCC UNITS IS AUTHORIZED AND ENCOURAGED.

4. POINTS OF CONTACT:

-NSCC PROGRAM MANAGER, NAVY RECRUITING COMMAND, AT (901) 874-9469.

-NSCC NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS, AT (703) 243-6910.

5. RELEASED BY ADMIRAL G. ROUGHEAD, CHIEF OF NAVAL OPERATIONS.//

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