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LETTER OF COMMENDATION

Lt. Ronald L. Potts
Siss Zulu Project Officer

Lt. Ronald L. Potts spent laborious hours, long after normal duty hours, to insure that the quality of Siss Zulu's output was the best to be had. His insistence on quality data and his knowledge of the system naturally brought him into contact with all phases of the operational system. His thorough and enthusiastic approach insured that system errors were all accounted for and essentially minimized within the limitation available to a field site. Where improvements were needed, Mr. Potts never hesitated to suggest to appropriate persons those areas in need of improvement as well as his recommendations. Many times his advice has been sought out including special TDY trip to Washington representing the station.

When confronted with obtuse problems, Mr. Potts effectively supervised his men to insure that proper attention was given to all necessary details. Numerous times, he has taken initiative to investigate mathematical techniques for the processing of special data as well as perform thorough data analysis.

As a manager of his men and resources, Mr. Potts' accomplishments in planning, organization and implementation of standard operating procedures seem endless. He supplied a much-needed interface between a highly-complex processing system and the operator. The constant evaluation, updating, and creating of new SOP is a full-time task in itself since processing priorities varied aperiodically.

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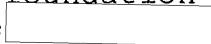
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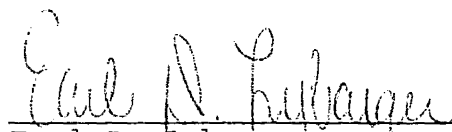
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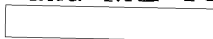
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With the vigorous and enthusiastic leadership he provided, it is not surprising to find that the morale of his subordinates is high. With the operational foundation built by Mr. Potts, I have confidence in the  team he will be leaving behind.



Earl D. Lybarger
HRB-Singer, Inc. Research Engineer
and NRL Technical Advisor to
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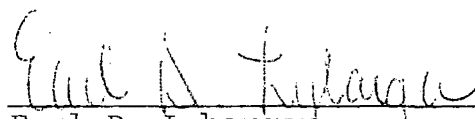
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CTC Paul L. Lenker
Maintenance Chief

CTC Paul L. Lenker's methodical approach insured that maintenance was never a serious problem. Maintenance of a special developmental project system of the complexity of this system is seldom an easy task. Not only did CTC Lenker have the "know-how" to maintain the Analog and Digital System, but he also had the ability to train his men effectively in an intense operational environment. Whenever a problem was present, CTC Lenker gave his talent (day or night) to insure that it was corrected. His constant attention to details insured that the total system was functioning properly. His meticulous monitoring of system delays insured that our product was of the highest order within the framework of a field site.

CTC Lenker has done an outstanding job in spite of the fact that documentation and maintenance schedules, at times, were sparse. He participated readily in reporting hardware problem areas to NRL engineers and temporarily corrected those areas within the resources available to field station.

I can say with certainty that without his diligent efforts, Siss Zulu development would have been handicapped.



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Commanding Officer
U. S. Navy Security
Group Activity
FPO, New York, New York 09513

Dear Sir:

It was indeed a privilege to work with the Siss Zulu team at [] as a program advisor for the last 20 months. During our time together, many significant technical advancements were made in developing the system. These achievements could not have been possible without the outstanding leadership and cooperation of the personnel at []

Undoubtedly, it is good teamwork that gets the job done; but teamwork is not spontaneous. It is outstanding leaders such as Lt. R. L. Potts and CTC P. L. Lenker that have enabled our project to enjoy the successes it has. I cannot avoid drawing special attention to these two gentlemen (see the enclosures). I can say, with no reservations, that without their efforts, our project would not have enjoyed the fast rate of operational development it has.

As I'm sure you appreciate, all station personnel have contributed in their assigned areas. All these gentlemen deserve recognition. It must be very gratifying to provide an environment where individual motivation is so high. I commend your team.

Thank you for your support. It has been a most rewarding assignment.

Sincerely yours,

Earl D. Lybarger

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