

Executive Officer

LCDR P.H. Case

U.S. Navy

LCDR Paul H. Case was born in Bristol, Conn., on 26 August 1952. He graduated from John Bapst Preparatory High School, Bangor, Maine, in 1971.

He then attended the College of the Holy Cross on an NROTC scholarship, and graduated in May 1975 with a Bachelor of Arts degree and was commissioned an Ensign.

LCDR Case's first assignment was the ammunition ship **USS BUTTE (AE 27)** where he served as the Electronics Material Officer and Assistant First Lieutenant.

Subsequent sea tours have included duty as the Electronics Officer aboard the destroyer **USS MANLEY (DD 940)**, Weapons Officer aboard the frigate **USS AYLWIN (FF 1081)**, and First Lieutenant aboard the amphibious assault ship **USS NASSAU (LHA 4)**.

LCDR Case had his first shore duty in 1980 when he was assigned as an instructor at the Naval Officer Candidate School in Newport, R.I., where he taught seamanship and naval warfare.

He is a graduate of the Surface Warfare Officer School Command Department Head Course, and the Armed Forces Staff College.

He served as **USS SAMUEL GOMPERS'** Executive Officer from May 1988 to May 1990. He was then assigned to duty with the Joint Chiefs of Staff, in Washington, D.C.

LCDR Case is married to the former Alice L. VanPetten of Virginia Beach, Va. They have one daughter, Sarah Elizabeth, who was born in 1985.

