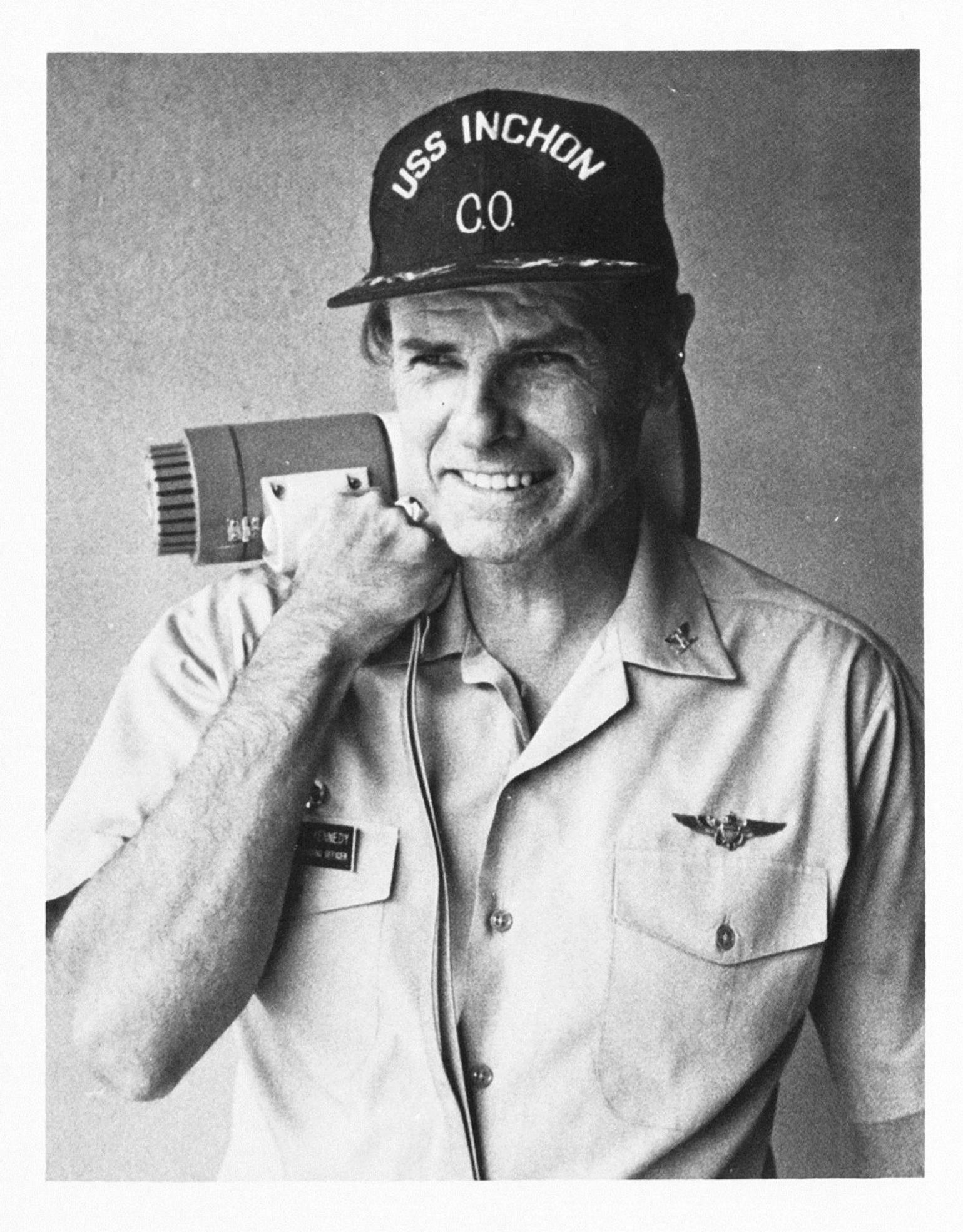
CAPT R.W. KENNEDY U.S. NAVY



Captain Kennedy confers with his predecessor, Captain J. J. McNally, at the change of command.



COMMANDING OFFICER



Captain Kennedy touches the flight deck to clear an AV-8A Harrier for take-off during carrier qualifications in Spring, 1977.

Captain Ronald W. Kennedy, USN, a native of Long Beach CA, assumed command of the USS INCHON in June, 1976 at the Norfolk Naval Shipyard. Captain Kennedy had previously served with various anti-submarine squadrons and air group staffs and has served a number of tours in Washington in strategic plans divisions of OPNAV. Prior to coming to INCHON, Captain Kennedy commanded the USS PAUL REVERE.