28 May 1993

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the enclosed show mere about my activities then you want to know. at state I was a member of the honorory chemistry society Delta Kappa chapter of hunde Detta hunde after ganduating from state in 1938 = taught chemistry and one math class there per one year while doing P6 work at use the permer Jenice Edits that's of Son Diego and work at use. I were morried on March 28, 1942. She was a theta chi which has now become Detta Alpha theta Jonice Transperred from state & Beakely and was in The class of 1940. We have four children : Denvis Eugene 4/11/44 stephen Jomes 8/22/45 Marian Lyan 8/12/48 Rodney David 7/15/49 We travel a lot . Last year we joined a 200 sponsoral Apricon Saparie, vacationed por 3 mm/4 > in austrolea to alebrate our soth wedding andwersony enjoyed a course to alaska, and made several mine miners this to store, seattle, austin, phoenix, chicage visiting children and Grinds, in the staks. This year we've beed to an amazon cruise, MAdu Ricchu in rew, Berveo, sugapre, Bali, a spree Island cruise, and Jopan - so for Next Month it's Atherte, New Lunder, stowe, sea the. In September were to king our drughter to hindow and see than ( We are semi-retired and kive in del MAR. But, I still work part time being choirman of ile Board of Mom Engineering long and a beer other Things

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## **BIOGRAPHY OF**

## VICE ADMIRAL EUGENE P. WILKINSON, UNITED STATES NAVY (RETIRED)

Vice Admiral Eugene P. Wilkinson, USN, was born in Long Beach, California, on August 10, 1918, the son of the late Mr. and Mrs. Dennis William Wilkinson. In 1938, he graduated from San Diego State College and subsequently instructed in chemistry and mathematics there.

He received his commission in December 1940, and reported to the heavy cruiser LOUISVILLE for his first tour of duty. After a year on board LOUISVILLE, Vice Admiral Wilkinson entered the U. S. Naval Submarine School in New London, Connecticut, graduating March 1942. During World War II, he participated in eight submarine war patrols, earning the Silver Star Medal and the Navy Unit Commendation while attached to the DARTER.

Vice Admiral Wilkinson has had duty as Executive Officer of three submarines: the MENHADEN, RATON, and CUSK, the latter of which was the first submarine to fire guided missiles. He has commanded four submarines: the VOLADOR, SEA ROBIN, WAHOO, and was the initial Commanding Officer of the Navy's first nuclear-powered submarine, the NAUTILUS (SSN-571). For his performance as the first Commanding Officer of the NAUTILUS, Vice Admiral Wilkinson was awarded the Legion of Merit.

After attending the Naval War College in Newport, Rhode Island, in 1957-58, he was Commander of Submarine Division 102 for a year. In September 1961 he was assigned as the initial Commanding Officer of the first nuclear-powered surface ship, the guided missile cruiser USS LONG BEACH. On November 1, 1963 he reported as Director of the Submarine Warfare Division, in the Office of the Chief of Naval Operations, Navy Department.

In November 1966 he became Chief of Staff, Headquarters, U.S. Forces, Japan and "for exceptionally meritorious service. .." in that capacity was awarded the Distinguished Service Medal. He assumed command of Submarine Flotilla TWO in June 1969 and in February 1970 reported as Commander Submarine Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet with additional duty as Submarine Operations Advisor for Polaris Operations Atlantic Command and Supreme Allied Command, Atlantic; Commander Submarines Allied Command and Commander Submarine Force, Western Atlantic Area. In April 1972 he was designated Deputy Chief of Naval Operations (Submarine Warfare), Office of the Chief of Naval Operations.

Mr. Wilkinson retired from the Navy in 1974 as a Vice Admiral.

Vice Admiral Wilkinson is married to the former Miss Janice Thuli of San Diego, California. They have four children.

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50	1st comdg. officer USS Nautilus (1st nuclear-powered submarine), 1953-57; 1st comdg. officer USS Long Beach, 1959-63,			
50 70 080 90	<pre>1st nuclear-powered surface ship; ret., 1974; exec. v.p. Data Design Labs., Cucamonga. Calif., 1977-80; pres., chief exec. officer Inst. Nuclear Power Ops.,</pre>			
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- EDUCATION: B.A. Chemistry, San Diego State College 1938

Two years Post-graduate Chemical Engineering, University of Southern California 1939-40

Naval War College, Newport, Rhode Island 1958

- EMPLOYMENT: 1940-1974 U.S. Navy Ensign to Vice Admiral
  - 1976-1980 Executive Vice President Data Design Laboratories

1980-1984 President and CEO Institute of Nuclear Power Operations

1984-Present Member of various Boards of Directors, member of several nuclear oversight committees

AFFILIATIONS: Chairman, MDM Engineering Corporation

Member Board of Advanced Resource Development Corporation

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SOCIETY MEMBERSHIPS: National Academy of Engineering

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American Society of Naval Engineers

Navy League

Submarine League

# AWARDS AND HONORS:

National Academy of Engineering 1990

Uranium Institute Gold Medal Award 1989

Oliver Townsend Medal 1984, AIF

George Westinghouse Gold Medal ASME 1983

Navy Meritorius Public Service Citation 1978

Distinguished Service Medal and 2nd and 3rd Awards 1969, 1972, 1974

Second Order of Sacred Treasure, Japan 1969

Defense Commendation Medal 1964

Legion of Merit 1957

Golden Fleece Award 1955

Navy Unit Commendation 1944

Silver Star Medal 1944

## PUBLICATIONS AND PATENTS:

Contributed to numerous publications of the Institute of Nuclear Power Operations

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## OTHER PROFESSIONAL ACTIVITIES:

Acted as Consultant to the Navy, NRC, DOE, CIA, National Laboratory, 105, and numerous companies and organizations in the electric generation field

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