Monday, October 22, 2007

8:00 a.m. Annual Golf Tournament-Shotgun Start Nicklaus Golf Course

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3:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. Early Registration St. Andrew's Foyer

3:00 p.m. Cyber Café Opens Spanish Moss "A"

3:00 p.m. - 4:30 p.m. Spouse Welcoming Tea Palms Court Terrace

Spouses are invited to get acquainted and plan their activities during the conference

6:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m Hosted Reception Display Area

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7:00 p.m. - 9:00 p.m. Dinner Grand Lagoon Ballroom

Guest Speaker: To Be Determined

Tuesday, October 23, 2007

Opening Session

6:45 a.m. Registration

6:45 a.m. Continental Breakfast Display Area

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7:30 a.m. - 8:00 a.m. Welcome and Opening Remarks St. Andrews

Mr. Duane Covert, Northrop Grumman MS, NDIA EWC Chairman

Rear Admiral Steven G. Smith, USN (Ret), ViaGlobal Group, LLC, Chairman, EW Division Captain Andrew Buduo, USN, Commanding Officer, Naval Surface Warface Center, Panama City

8:00 a.m. - 8:45 a.m. Brigadier General Joseph E. Martz, USA, Director, Concepts Development and

Experimentation, Army Capabilities Integration Center, TRADOC

8:45 a.m. - 9:30 a.m. General James T. Conway, USMC

Commandant of the Marine Corps

9:30 a.m. - 10:00 a.m. Break

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10:00 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Chief of Naval Operations Representative

10:45a.m. - 11:30 a.m. Rear Admiral Thomas Atkin, USCG, Commander, USCG Deployable Operations Group

11:30 a.m. - 12:45 p.m. Networking Luncheon

12:45 p.m. - 1:30 p.m. Lieutenant General James F. Amos, USMC

Deputy Commandant for Combat Development and Integration and Commanding

General Marine Corps Combat Development Command

Operations and Warfighter Needs

Session Chairman: Major General Harry Jenkins, USMC (Ret)

Session Focus: Address current operations within the "Arc of Instability," from Southeast Asia through the Middle East. Where the stress is, and what has developed as the emerging requirements for the warfighters. What do they need now and in the future?

1:30 p.m. - 2:10 p.m. Marine Corps Aviation Issues

Lieutenant General George J. Trautman, III, USMC

Deputy Commandant for Aviation, HQMC

2:10 p.m. - 2:50 p.m. Experiences as a MEU(SOC) Commander

Brigadier General Ronald J. Johnson, USMC

Assistant Deputy Commandant for Plans, Policies and Operations, HQMC

2:50 p.m. - 3:20 p.m. Break

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3:20 p.m. - 4:00 p.m. Ground Equipment Issues

Brigadier General Michael M. Brogan, USMC Commander, Marine Corps Systems Command

4:00 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. Amphibious and MPF Shipping

Mr. James N. Strock, Director, Seabasing Integration Division

Marine Corps Combat Development Command

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Wednesday, October 24, 2007

6:45 a.m. Registration

6:45 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast Display Area

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7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. Rear Admiral Bernard J. "Barry" McCullough, USN

Special Assistant and Assistant DCNO for Warfighting Programs, OPNAV

8:15 a.m. - 8:30 a.m. Short Break

The Acquisition Process---Issues and Challenges

Session Chairman: Rear Admiral William Fogarty, USN (Ret)

Session Focus: To address the many Issues & Challenges facing the Department of the Navy (DoN) decision makers.

Some of the major issues to be addressed include:

* Acquisition - the roles of industry and the defense establishment.

* CNO 30-year Shipbuilding Plan.

* Can the warfighting requirements be integrated? If not, what are the obstacles?

8:30 a.m. - 9:15 a.m. Keynote Speaker:

Vice Admiral Terrance T. Etnyre, USN Commander, Naval Surface Forces

9:15 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Panel Members:

Rear Admiral Charles H. Goddard, USN, PEO (SHIPS) Rear Admiral William E. Landay, USN, Chief of Naval Research

Colonel William Taylor, USMC, PEO (Land Systems)

Mr. James Thomsen, PEO (LMW)

Moderated by: Vice Admiral Henry Mustin, USN (Ret)

10:15 a.m. - 10:45 a.m. Break

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10:45 a.m. - 11:45 a.m. Panel Question and Answer Period

11:50 a.m. - 1:15 p.m.

Lunch Speaker:

The Honorable Donald C. Winter, Secretary of the Navy

The Defense Industry - Challenges and Issues

Session Chairman: Mr. Terry O'Brien, Northrop Grumman Corporation

Session Focus: In recent remarks, SECNAV has discussed the lack of understanding industry by DoN and the need for dialogue between the Navy and Industry to forge a way ahead in developing and executing Programs of Record. This session will focus on Industry and how it views the defense establishment, the acquisition processes and the interaction between industry partners and "competimates."

1:30 p.m. - 2:15 p.m. Keynote Speaker:

The Honorable George A. Sawyer (former ASN RDA)

2:15 p.m. - 3:15 p.m. Panel Members:

Large Company -

Mr. Daniel L. Smith, President, Raytheon Integrated Defense Systems

Medium Company -

Mr. John F. Michitsch, Executive Vice President, AAI Corporation

Small Company -

Ms. Pamela Braden, President and CEO, Gryphon Technologies

Moderated by: Mr. Terry O'Brien

3:15 p.m. - 3:45 p.m. Break

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3:45 p.m. - 4:45 p.m. Panel Question and Answer Period

4:45 p.m. First bus departs for NSWC-PC

5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. NSWC-PC Open House

Networking Reception

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7:00 p.m. - 10:00 p.m. Pig Roast

10:00 p.m. Last bus departs NSWC-PC for Bay Point Marriott

Thursday, October 25, 2007

6:45 a.m. - 7:30 a.m. Continental Breakfast

Display Area

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7:30 a.m. - 8:15 a.m. Rear Admiral John N. Christenson, USN

Vice Commander, Naval Mine & Anti-Submarine Warfare Command

Requirements in Support of Expeditionary Warfare

Session Chairman: Mr. Skip Gaskill, AAI Corporation

Session Focus: Today the DoN's major transformation initiatives are being executed, while simultaneously adapting to the ever-changing landscapes/threats at home and abroad. OIF/OEF, U.S. and world politics, and the challenging fiscal environment all play significant roles in a decision-making process that influences our management of valuable resources, in order to meet the demand for equipment and services that will enable us to win today and tomorrow. The speakers will provide you with their Joint Expeditionary Warfare functional area requirements, priorities, and rationale.

8:15 a.m. - 9:00 a.m. Keynote Speaker:

Major General Thomas A. Benes, USMC

Director, Expeditionary Warfare Division, OPNAV (N85)

9:00 a.m. - 9:45 a.m. Panel Members:

Brigadier General (Select) Andrew O'Donnell, USMC, Marine Corps Combat Development Command

Captain Edward Barfield, USN, OPNAV N853 (Amphibious Warfare) Moderated by: Major General Ronald Beckwith, USMC (Ret)

9:45 a.m. - 10:15 a.m. Break

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10:15 a.m. - 11:15 a.m. Captain Ted Lucas, USN, OPNAV N857 (EOD/NCW)

Captain Eugene Gray, USCG, Chief of the Office of Counterterrorism and Defense Operations

11:15 a.m. - 12:00 p.m. Panel Question and Answer Period

12:00 p.m. - 12:15 p.m. Wrap-Up - Speaker To Be Determined

12:15 p.m. Lunch

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