



COMMANDANT OF THE MARINE CORPS

The Secretary of the Navy takes pleasure in presenting the
NAVY COMMENDATION MEDAL to

CAPTAIN WARREN P. AVERILL
UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

for service as set forth in the following

CITATION:

For meritorious service while serving as Project Engineer for the Field Expedient Antenna (FEA) Kit Program and Instructor, Electrical Engineering Department, United States Naval Academy, Annapolis, Maryland, from October 1985 to November 1986. During this period, Captain Averill consistently performed his duties in an exemplary and highly professional manner. Devoting many off-duty hours to the FEA kit program, he performed this task over and above his regular duties as an instructor. He was able to produce superb results within a short period of time. These results included assembling components for the FEA kit and writing the antenna handbooks which provided guidance on antenna selection. So successful were his efforts that one of his handbooks on very high frequency wire antennas was made a permanent part of the curriculum in the Marine Corps basic, advanced, and reserve communications officers course. Captain Averill's sustained superior performance, initiative, and total dedication to duty reflected great credit upon himself and were in keeping with the highest traditions of the Marine Corps and the United States Naval Service.

For the Secretary of the Navy,

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "T. X. L.", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

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