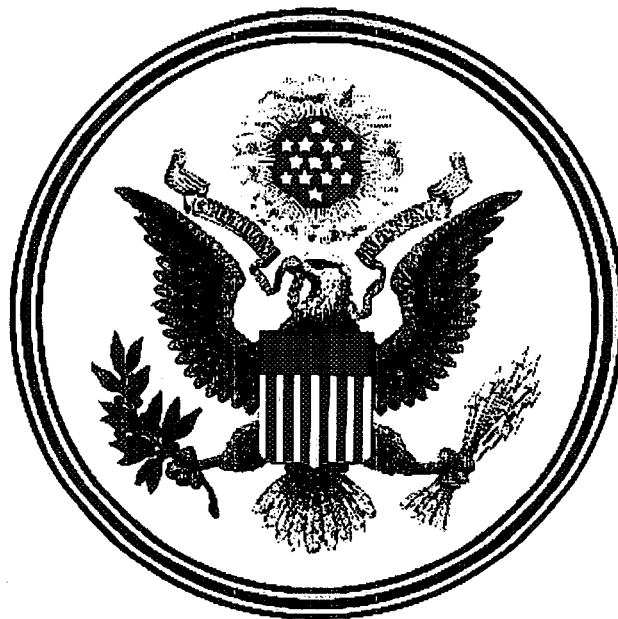


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WE HAVE HEARD

CNO

VICE CNO

REP FROM FLEET FORCES COMMAND

REP FROM COMMANDER NAVAL AIR FORCE

~~RE~~ COMMANDER, FIGHTER WINGS

~~RE~~ ONE OF THE CARRIER AIR WING COMMANDERS

ALL SAY THE NOISE ABATEMENT PROCEDURES
IN EFFECT AT OCEANA CREATES A ONLY
MANAGEABLE AND NOT A SERIOUS
PROBLEM

WHO ELSE ~~SHOULD~~ SHOULD WE
REQUIRE TO TELL US THE SAME
THING?