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From: Chief of Naval Operations

Subj: ESTABLISHMENT OF COMMANDER, FLEET AIR MEDITERRANEAN
AIRCRAFT INTERMEDIATE MAINTENANCE DETACHMENT
(COMFAIRMED DET AIMD), U.S. NAVAL AIR STATION (NAS)
SIGONELLA, ITALY, AND COMMANDER, FLEET AIR
MEDITERRANEAN AIRCRAFT INTERMEDIATE MAINTENANCE UNIT
(COMFAIRMED DET AIMU), ROTA, SPAIN

Ref: (a) OPNAVINST 3111.14V
(b) BUPERSINST 7040.6
(c) OPNAVNOTE 5400 of 15 Jun 03

1. Purpose. To approve establishment of Commander, Fleet Air Mediterranean, AIMD, Sigonella, Italy, and AIMU, Rota, Spain, under the administrative chain of command of the Chief of Naval Operations per reference (a).

2. Background. All shore-based aviation aircraft maintenance support activities have been directed to realign from the Shore Installation Management (SIM) organization to the Warfighting Commander. This action brings back the direct lines of financial responsibility in budget execution and formulation, manpower management and the day-to-day control of maintenance operations to the warfighting assistant. Under the SIM organization, all of the above responsibilities have been convoluted. Effective immediately, AIMD Sigonella, Italy, will become a stand-alone activity under the Commander, Fleet Air Mediterranean, Naples, Italy. AIMD DET Rota will become an Aircraft Intermediate Maintenance Unit under the control of AIMD Sigonella.

3. Organizational Change. Effective immediately, the following activities are established as fleet detachments:

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Establishment

Officer in Charge
COMFAIRMED DET AIMD SIGONELLA
PSC 812 Box 3130
FPO AE 09645-2100

(SNDL: 42E1) (UIC: 44330, 44378)
(PLA: COMFAIRMED DET AIMD SIGONELLA IT)
(PDS: Sigonella, IT)

Officer in Charge
COMFAIRMED DET AIMU ROTA
PSC 819 Box 15
FPO AE 09645-2100

(SNDL: 42E1) (UIC: 44374)
(PLA: COMFAIRMED DET AIMU ROTA SP)
(PDS: Rota, SP)

a. Mission. To provide Aircraft Intermediate Level Maintenance and Support Services to all U.S. Naval and Allied Air Forces, deployed to the Mediteranean, FIFTH and SIXTH Fleet AORs.

b. Major Claimant. COMUSNAVEUR

c. OPNAV Resource Sponsor. N78

d. Administrative Assignment.

Echelon

2 Commander, U.S. Naval Forces Europe
3 Commander Fleet Air, Mediterranean
(Officer-in-Charge, COMFAIRMED DET AIMD
Sigonella IT)
(Officer-in-Charge, COMFAIRMED DET AIMU
Rota, SP)

4. Action

a. For COMFAIRMED DET Aircraft Intermediate Maintenance Detachment (AIMD) Sigonella and COMFAIRMED DET Aircraft Intermediate Maintenance Unit (AIMU) Rota: Action is required by applicable sections of reference (b).

b. This is advance change 08-04 to enclosure (5) of reference (c). N09B16 will revise the SNDL.

c. Master Update Authority, Honolulu, HI will revise the Plain Language Address (PLA) in the Central Directory Component effective immediately unless otherwise directed via official correspondence. Correspondence concerning the PLA should be forwarded to NAVNETSPAOPSCOM DET (Code N31), 5280 Fourth St., Dahlgren, VA 22448-5300.

5. Cancellation Contingency. This notice may be retained for reference purposes. The organization action will remain effective until changed by DNS.

P. A. TRACEY
Vice Admiral, U.S. Navy

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