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MEMORANDUM FOR: SEE DISTRIBUTION

SUBJECT: Aegis Ballistic Missile Defense (BMD) Program Flight Mission-6

(FM-6) Mission Control Panel (MCP)

The Aegis Ballistic Missile Defense (BMD) Program Flight Mission-6 (FM-6) will be conducted by USS LAKE ERIE (CG 70) at the Pacific Missile Range Facility, Hawaii. Mr. Larry Rogers will chair the Mission Control Panel (MCP) to assess readiness for FM-6.

The FM-6 MCP will convene on November 18-20, 2003 at Port Hueneme Division Naval Surface Warfare Center, Building 1388, Port Hueneme, CA. The MCP will thoroughly assess mission objectives, measures of effectiveness, performance predictions, and readiness of Aegis BMD FM-6 System Elements. The MCP agenda, panel membership, security clearance information, seating allotments, and facility location are attached. There will be a \$25 conference fee for all attendees. Attire is Service Khaki for military and business casual for civilians.

Attendance is limited and will be controlled via allocations delineated in the enclosure. Please provide planned attendance by November 12, 2003 to Ms. Stephanie Fisher, Anteon Corporation, (703) 253-3384, sfisher@anteon.com.

The security classification for this meeting is SECRET. Please forward visit request and clearance information listed in the enclosure.

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Memorandum Date: From: AEGIS BMD Technical Director To: NAPM Mege Subj: Tm-6 Admiral -I believe we how year! consistent in the use of "flight" in stead of firing. Not only that, but the FM-6 objectives focus more on 72 mps engagement sequences then just on the SM-3 missola