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## **AFTER-ACTION REPORT**

### **OPERATION: PINNACLE**

Incontinental Fleet Theatre  
Packlid Class Corvette USS Reginod  
Innocuous Class Patrol Ship USS Iguana

### **PREFACE**

It should be known that this operation was in no way sanctioned by the CFUSE. It was on the initiative of this officer alone, and while the intent may not have been appropriate or in accordance with current Slabovian Military policy, the results were not problematic.

It should also be known that while they may appear to have been involved, Capt. M Dosenbach and Lt(JG) S. Clarke should not be held accountable for this operation. As usual, Capt Dosenbach was blissfully unaware of what was happening around him, and Lt(JG) Clarke although unauthorized, acted, I believe, in the best interests of Slabovian National Security.

### **OVERVIEW**

I have long been dissatisfied with the laid-back attitude of SHC with regards to ASO relations. There has been a lot of talk about un-signing the Treaty of Michiganopolis and breaking away from the ASO's once and for all.

Talk is cheap. This mission has been on the table too long, and in a misguided moment, I decided that someone must start things rolling and force Slabovia to stand up to the ASO's and take action. My plan began to take shape when Lt Robertson arrived for temporary duty at the Op Ctr. I relieved him of command of the USS Reginod and shipped him out to the SOB in Nude Bunswitch in order to get him out of the way.

I contacted the Benevolent Administrator down in Sinsinnati and claimed that I wished to defect and make a present of the Reginod. My intent however, was to rig it to self-destruct using recent nucular technology, thus nobly sacrificing my own life, taking as many of them with me as I could, and initiating a war.

Some of my message traffic with Capt. Dosenbach crossed Lt(JG) Clarke's desk as SO Fleet Ops, and he managed to put all the pieces together. Reading that I had made

it look as though the USS Iguana \*and\* USS Reginod were participating in a sanctioned operation, when he knew the Iguana was not involved, was the piece of the puzzle that allowed him to figure it out.

Without adequate time to seek the necessary approvals, Lt(JG) Clarke fueled and provisioned the USS Iguana and gave chase to me, confronting me just outside the ASO compound in Sinsinnati. After a lengthy heated exchange, he managed to convince me that this wasn't the way to achieve my goals and that we had to stop. Unfortunately, by that time, the ASO's knew I was there and they wanted the Reginod. We needed a way to deprive the ASO's of the Reginod whilst allowing us to escape.

In a flash of genius, we contrived a long-shot by which we could convince the ASO's that the Reginod was destroyed while perhaps having a chance to recover it in the future. We remembered reading a document entitled "TimeMaster - More effective time management" published by DELPHI and applied one of the theories outlined therein, hoping that it would work.

We deposited the Reginod in the compound and rigged it to syphon some of the energy from the ASO TimeMaster experiments underway there during the daylight-to-standard time shift, and hopefully prevent it from being carried into Eastern Standard Time and leave it trapped in Eastern Daylight Time. I then assumed command of the USS Iguana and we made haste for Llamatown.

We planned on being back at the Op Ctr when EST kicked in, hoping that at that moment, the Reginod would vanish right before their eye. However, in order to ascertain beyond doubt whether this theory would work, we went to Morrow and had a look. The Reginod was nowhere to be seen. As tomorrow was already in EST, and the Reginod wasn't there (see photos), that proved that she did in fact remain in EDT.

For the moment, the status quo remains undisrupted except for the fact that the Reginod will be unavailable to us until the fall at which time the Op Ctr can mount another operation in an effort to recover her.

## CONCLUSION

There is considerable unrest within the upper ranks of the Slabovian Military. Senior staff are tired of bowing to the ASO's, especially after all the efforts and sacrifices that have been made in order to solidify relations with the Hoover-Damites to gain the strength necessary to separate. This operation is a blatant example of this unrest.

Fortunately, due to the quick-thinking and fearless action of Lt(JG) Clarke, catastrophe was averted. How long will it be before this might happen again?

## RECOMMENDATIONS

1. It is imperative that CEF2 (the Treaty Un-signing) be given top priority on the operations roster. The Op Ctr is proposing 19-21 June 97...possibly marrying it with an expedition to the Minnesota Twineball.
2. Greater control be imposed upon fleet operations in order to prevent future indiscretions of this nature.
3. A board of inquiry be convened to review the actions of those involved in Operation Pinnacle in order to exonerate Capt. Dosenbach, Lt. Robertson, and Lt(JG) Clarke, and decide what action to take WRT myself.