HEADQUARTERS Commander Air Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet U.S. Naval Air Station Norfolk 11, Virginia

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SECOND ENDORSEMENT on CO, **USS BENNINGTON** ltr ser 5025 of 26 Aug 1954

From: Commander Air Force, U.S. Atlantic Fleet

To: Senior Member, Board of Decorations and Medals

Via: (1) Commander in Chief U.S. Atlantic Fleet

(2) Chief of Naval Operations

Subj: Awards for meritorious actions; recommendations for

- 1. Forwarded, readdressed.
- 2. Each case has been considered by the members of the Board of Awards of this command. The recommendation of the Commanding Officer, **USS BENNINGTON** are concurred in with the following exception:
- a. It is recommended that CDR Clyde W. NORMAN, MC, USN, (enclosure 2-3) be awarded a Commendation by the Secretary of the Navy with authority to wear the Commendation Ribbon.

If the above recommendation is approved, the enclosed citation should be modified accordingly.

3. The Commanding Officer, **USS BENNINGTON** is to be commended for the excellent and detailed compilation submitted in basic correspondence.

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CO, USS BENNINGTON (CVA-20)