



*To all who shall see these presents, greeting:*

*Know Ye, that reposing special trust and confidence in the fidelity and abilities of*

\_\_\_\_\_  
GENE WAYNE LEWIS

*I do appoint*

HIM A

DENTAL TECHNICIAN THIRD CLASS

*in the*

## United States Navy

*to rank as such from the* \_\_\_\_\_ SIXTEENTH \_\_\_\_\_ *day of* \_\_\_\_\_ NOVEMBER \_\_\_\_\_, *nineteen*  
*hundred and* \_\_\_\_\_ SIXTY-FIVE \_\_\_\_\_.

*To the Appointee*

*Your appointment as a petty officer in the United States Navy carries with it the obligation that you exercise additional authority and willingly accept greater responsibility.*

*You have not only the authority, but the responsibility to ensure that subordinates comply with the provisions of United States Navy Regulations, General Orders, and supporting orders and directives. You have the obligation to report to proper authority all offenses committed by persons in the naval service which you may observe, and have the authority, as delineated in the Uniform Code of Military Justice, to apprehend known offenders. These responsibilities apply whether you are in a duty or liberty status.*

*You are legally and morally obligated to show in yourself a good example of subordination, courage, zeal, sobriety, neatness and attention to duty. Your every action must be governed by a strong sense of personal moral responsibility in order that this personal leadership will strengthen the character of subordinates so that they will contribute their utmost to the effectiveness and efficiency of the United States Navy.*

*Given under my hand at* \_\_\_\_\_ FLAG ALLOWANCE, COMSERVPAC \_\_\_\_\_ *this* \_\_\_\_\_ SIXTEENTH \_\_\_\_\_ *day of*  
NOVEMBER \_\_\_\_\_ *in the year of our Lord nineteen hundred and* \_\_\_\_\_ SIXTY-FIVE \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_  
C. J. ROZELL, LCDR, USN  
Commanding Officer

*I acknowledge receipt of the above appointment and do hereby pledge that I shall, in all my actions, faithfully discharge the duties and responsibilities of this office.*