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NAVY'S ECONOMIC IMPACT TO HAMPTON ROADS AREA RISES

Norfolk, Va. – Commander, Navy Region Mid-Atlantic has released the fiscal year 2007 (Oct. 1, 2006 through Sept. 30, 2007) Department of the Navy impact statistical data for the Hampton Roads area.

Total direct economic impact to the region rose by more than \$1.3 billion, from approximately \$12.6 billion in fiscal year 2006 to almost \$13.6 billion in fiscal year 2007. Total annual payroll (military and civilian) rose by \$604 million.

Navy civilian employment figures for the Hampton Roads area increased by approximately 3,100 people, and the number of active duty military decreased by approximately 3,500.

Operationally, the number of ships homeported in Hampton Roads increased from 93 to 94, and the number of aircraft squadrons remained the same at 34.

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MEDIA NOTE: Questions concerning these statistics may be directed to the Commander, Navy Region Mid-Atlantic Public Affairs Office at 322-2853.

“The Navy in Hampton Roads”

A Statistical Report for Fiscal Year 2007 (1 October 06 – 30 September 07)
Information compiled at Navy Region Mid-Atlantic, Norfolk, Virginia

EMPLOYED PERSONNEL

<u>Military (Navy and USMC)</u>	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
Shore Based Commands	24,114	22,836
Fleet Units	56,656	54,911
Students and Other Transients	3,136	2,642
Total Active Duty	83,906	80,389
Retired and Survivors (est)	40,600	58,268
Military Family Members (est)	119,100	100,796
Total Military and Family	243,606	239,453
 <u>Civilian Employees</u>		
Civil Service	22,702	26,055
Non-appropriated Fund	5,234	4,991
Total Civilian Employees	27,936	31,046
Total Navy “Family”	271,542	270,499

HOMEPORTED OPERATING UNITS

Ships Homeported	93	94
Aircraft Squadrons Homeported	34	34

Military Family Housing

Occupy Government Housing	300	300
Occupy Government PPV Housing	3,931	3,929
Own Private Dwellings	19,911	19,997
Rent Private Dwellings	23,109	28,034
Total	47,251	52,260

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PERSONNEL WORK LOCATIONS	<u>2006</u>	<u>2007</u>
Norfolk		
Military	58,902	54,696
Civilian	9,972	14,362
Virginia Beach		
Military	11,013	10,461
Civilian	3,543	3,469
Portsmouth		
Military	4,202	4,093
Civilian	10,554	10,236
Peninsula		
Military	1,100	1,443
Civilian	1,280	518
Chesapeake		
Military	412	362
Civilian	273	167
Little Creek		
Military	8,213	9,262
Civilian	1,937	1,906
Suffolk		
Military	64	72
Civilian	377	388
Total		
Military	83,906	80,389
Civilian	27,936	31,046

ECONOMIC IMPACT: ANNUAL PAYROLL (\$ MILLIONS)

Active Duty Military	\$4,639	\$4,542
Retired Military/Survivors (estimated)	\$883	\$1,309
Civil Service	\$1,626	\$1,564
Non-appropriated Funds	\$115	\$118
Total Annual Payroll	\$7,263	\$7,533

GOODS AND SERVICES (\$ MILLIONS)

Includes contract awards for ship construction, conversion and repair in private yards; military construction, maintenance, repair and alterations; utilities; materials, equipment, supplies, services and transportation (freight and passenger).

Total Procurement	\$5,336	\$6,056
TOTAL DIRECT ECONOMIC IMPACT	\$12,599	\$13,589