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CHPHOT Harold E. Whitwer Chairman, National Council.

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Mr Chairman,

With reference to Article 11 section 3 (c) ammended as of January 1963, I respectfully nominate LtCmdr. William A. Skeen U.S.C.G. (ret) to be the initial DISTINGUISHED MEMBER of the Chief Warrant and Warrant Officers Association.

To paraphrase a wery famous quotation,

He gave not only "BLOOD" "SWEAT" and "TOIL", he also gave Financial support and assistance, and in them days finance was hard to come by. He has been referred to as THE DEAN of ex-presidents.in fact L would not be remiss in addressing him as MR Association.

He , along with other foundling fathers placed their careers and future in jeopardy in the launching of the association, nursing, coaxing, cajoling, augmenting and unstintingly giving their all to perpetuat and nuture this foundling association into its present robust stature.

CHMACH Henry J. Harris
U.S.C.G. (RETO)

c.c.Mr President Chairman Membership Committee Secretary.

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CHSPCK Harry S. Hayman, President, Chief Warrant and Warrant Officers Association, U.S. Coast Guard, Box 574, Benjiman Franklin Station, Washington, 4, D.C.

Dear Mr. Hayman:

Enclosed in sealed envelope is my ballot.

I have not dated this letter for this reason:

Just as soon as the ballots are counted and the election and voting is over, and if Proposed Change to the By-Laws is adopted - and I feel it will be -

Please deliver this letter to the Chairman of the National Council who I then authorize to date this letter accordingly and -

To consider it as my nomination of Past President Bill Skeen for DISTINGUISHED MEMBERSHIP.

I am doing it this odd way because I'd like the honor of being the first to nominate him.

I am sure I do not have to say anything in his behalf - he needs no introduction - and his service to the Association for many many years speaks for itself.

Respectfully.

Frank C. Herold, Lt. USCG (Ret).

PS Sorry for the bad typing above where I emphasized the Change #1. My stupid Remington thinks No. #1 was the other ammendment. Glad I caught it in time. In any event I am sure both will pass but wanted to make sure there was no technicality over it.