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CWO4 Lee R. Green, USCG
Chairman, National Council
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Washington, D.C.

Dear Mr. Chairman:

In accordance with Article II, Section 3(c) of the Constitution and By-Laws of the Chief Warrant & Warrant Officers Association, we the undersigned would like to place in nomination for DISTINGUISHED MEMBERSHIP in the Association the name of CWO HENRY J. HARRIS, USCG, Retired.


Mr. Harris first became a member of the Association in 1943 and was forced to drop his membership on 1 August 1946 because of reverting to enlisted status. He again became eligible for membership and rejoined the Association on 1 December 1949, giving him at present 23 years membership. For most of those 23 years he has been a member of the NATIONAL COUNCIL, and has served on or chaired several Committees during this time. He was elected to, and served as, Chairman, National Council for the years 1960 and 1961.

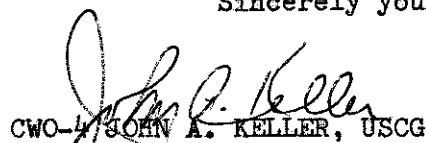
Even though Mr. Harris has lived in the Baltimore area during most of his membership, there were few meetings of the National Council, until age caught up with him, that his name did not appear on the list of members present. Even now, when he is more than 70 years of age, he attends all meetings held in the Baltimore area.

He, more than any other, has been primarily a dissenter at our meetings, but only to bring out the other side of the issue at hand for the benefit of those present less informed. At the end of discussion or debate he was usually in agreement with the majority, at which time he would wholeheartedly support the decision agreed upon. He has been as quick to praise as he has been to rebuke fellow members or Association Officers for their efforts and stand on issues at hand, and he, probably more than any other single member, has been responsible for the support or non-support of many pieces of legislation by the Association. His support of the Association is beyond question.

It is with great pleasure that we nominate CHMACH HENRY J. HARRIS, USCG, Retired, for DISTINGUISHED MEMBERSHIP.

Sincerely yours,


CWO-4 KEITH R. BRUHL, USCG(Ret)
Association Member


CWO-4 JOHN A. KELLER, USCG
Association Member


CWO-2 DALLAS W. PALMER, USCG(Ret)
Association Member

Approved
National Council
Meeting 20 March 1970
Allen, Chairman