

OPERATIONS DEPARTMENT

QUARTERMASTER

THE QUARTERMASERS AREAS OF RESPONSIBILITY IS THE SAFE NAVIGATION OF THE SHIP, AND THE CONDUCTING OF HONORS AND CEREMONIES. UNDERWAY WATCHES INCLUDE (QNOW) QUARTERMASTER OF THE WATCH AND (OOD) OFFICER OF THE DECK.

MARINE SCIENCE TECHNICIAN

THE MARINE SCIENCE TECHNICIANS AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY IS THE GATHERING OF OCEANOGRAPHIC AND METEOROLOGICAL INFORMATION, AND FORECASTING THE WEATHER IN OUR AREA. MST'S UNDERWAY WATCH IS STOOD IN THE O'LAB. THEY REPORT TO VARIOUS STATIONS THE CURRENT WEATHER IN OUR AREA.

RADARMAN

THE RADARMENS AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY IS THE TRACKING AND MONITORING OF OBJECTS IN OUR VICINITY. WHEN CONDUCTING HELICOPTER OPERATIONS THEY ACT AS THE CONTROL CENTER, MAINTAINING COMMUNICATIONS AND TRACKING THE HELICOPTERS. THE RD UNDERWAY WATCH IS STOOD IN (CIC) COMMAND INFORMATION CENTER.

ELECTRONIC TECHNICIAN

THE ELECTRONIC TECHNICIANS AREA OF CONCERN INCLUDE THE MAINTENANCE AND REPAIR OF ALL THE ELECTRONICS EQUIPMENT ABOARD. UNDERWAY WATCH IS TO STAND AN ON CALL WATCH TO REPAIR ANY EQUIPMENT WHICH BECOMES INOPERATIVE.

RADIOMAN

THE RADIOMENS AREA OF RESPONSIBILITY IS THE RECEIVING AND TRANSMITTING OF ALL MESSAGE TRAFFIC ABOARD THE SHIP. THE UNDERWAY WATCH INCLUDES A LIVE RADIO WATCH FOR MESSAGE TRAFFIC, AND ANY OTHER RADIO COMMUNICATIONS.