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SPEEDLETTER

From: CinCLant.
To : BuShips.

Ref : (a) BuShips speedletter C-S19-7(631-814) of
16 July 1944 (Re: Camouflage).

In reply to reference -

- (a) the Bureau is requested to make available at East Coast Navy Yards camouflage plans for painting all DD's of this Fleet measure 32 - design 3D,
- (b) it is expected that ships of DesRons 3, 8, 9 and 15 and ODD's of this Fleet will be painted measure 32 - design 3D when they need repainting,
- (c) it is not known now what measure or measures will be used in the future for other DD's of this Fleet,
- (d) DE's being converted to APD's should be painted as directed by CNO. Fleet Maintenance Division (Destroyers and Destroyer Escorts), OpNav, states this information has been furnished to the Bureau.

The Bureau is requested to furnish CinCLant data as necessary to bring Ships-2 (including supplement dated March 1943) up to date.

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