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OPNAV INSTRUCTION 3121.1D

From: Chief of Naval Operations

Subj: DISTRIBUTION OF OPERATION ORDERS/PLANS OF NAVAL COMMANDERS

1. Purpose. This instruction is issued to standardize the distribution of operation orders (OPORDs) and operation plans (OPLANS) of Naval Commanders to the Chief of Naval Operations (CNO).
2. Cancellation. OPNAVINST 3121.1C.
3. Directive. The CNO requires access to OPORDs and OPLANS of Naval Commanders. For the below orders and plans, Naval Commanders shall ensure links to the orders and plans are available on their Secret Internet Protocol Router Network (SIPRNET) or Non-Secure Internet Protocol Router Network (NIPRNET) as appropriate:
 - a. Standing OPORDs and OPLANS of Fleet and Task Force Commanders in operational control of important phases of major fleet exercises.
 - b. OPORDs and OPLANS other than those above are at the discretion of the Commanders concerned. OPORDs concerning routine movements, type, and refresher or shakedown training exercises are not required.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "J. G. Morgan, Jr.", with a stylized flourish at the end.

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