

CONSEIL DE L'ATLANTIQUE NORD
NORTH ATLANTIC COUNCIL

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ORIGINAL: ENGLISH
21st February, 1974

ACTION SHEET
PO/74/13

NOMINATION OF FINANCIAL CONTROLLER FOR SACLANT

Action Sheet

On 20th February, 1974, the Council approved,
by the silence procedure, the nomination contained in
document PO/74/13.

(Signed) G. SEKERIS
Executive Secretary

Note: This Action Sheet is part of, and shall be attached
to document PO/74/13 as the top sheet.

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6th February, 1974

PO/74/13

To: Permanent Representatives (Council)

From: Secretary General

NOMINATION OF FINANCIAL CONTROLLER FOR SACLANT

The attached memorandum by the Supreme Allied Commander Atlantic has been considered by the Military Budget Committee(1) in accordance with the approved procedure(2) regarding the appointment of Financial Controllers to Military Headquarters.

2. The Military Budget Committee has agreed to recommend that the Council approve the nomination of Commander James H. Armitage, SC, USNR to the post of Financial Controller, SACLANT, the appointment to be for a period of three years with effect from the date of the Council's approval.

3. In accordance with the procedures defined by PO/66/35 and Corrigendum(3), the Council is hereby invited formally to approve the nomination of Commander James H. Armitage to the post of Financial Controller, SACLANT in accordance with the terms of the recommendation of the Military Budget Committee.

4. This nomination will be considered to have been approved by the Council if no objections have been received from delegations by close of business on 20th February, 1974.

(Signed) Joseph M.A.H. LUNS

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- (1) MBC-M(74)14; MBC-R(74)3, paragraph 2; MBC-R(74)4, paragraph 6
(2) C-R(56)1, paragraph 7 and C-R(61)59, paragraph 6
(3) C-R(66)1, Item VII and C-R(66)9, Item VII and Addendum

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ANNEX I to
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SUPREME ALLIED COMMANDER ATLANTIC
Norfolk, Virginia

22nd December, 1973

Dear Mr. Secretary General,

Because of exceptional circumstances I find it necessary to employ Captain William B. Murray, Jr., US Navy, the present SACLANT Financial Controller, in a different but most important billet in my Headquarters organization.

In the interest of continuity I had planned to nominate Commander James H. Armitage, SC, USNR to relieve Captain Murray later in 1974. Now I find it necessary to take this action at an earlier date. Commander Armitage is currently serving as the Deputy Financial Controller and is well qualified both professionally and through experience to fill the post of Financial Controller. A curriculum vitae is attached.

Articles 23 and 24 of the Financial Regulations of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization require that vacancies in the post be made known to the Secretary General, and further require that the Financial Controller be selected and nominated to the Council for approval.

In order that this proposal for the relief of my present Controller may be implemented, it is requested that this nomination of Commander James H. Armitage, SC, USNR to be SACLANT Financial Controller be forwarded to the North Atlantic Council for approval as soon as convenient.

Sincerely,

(Signed) Ralph W. COUSINS
Admiral US Navy

His Excellency,
Dr. J.M.A.H. Luns,
Secretary General,
North Atlantic Treaty Organization,
NATO Headquarters,
APO New York 09667

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CURRICULUM VITAE

Commander James H. Armitage, US Navy

<u>Marital Status</u>	Married - three sons, ages 15, 17 and 19
<u>Age</u>	43
<u>Education</u>	Bachelor of Arts degree, University of Washington, 1954 Master of Business Administration degree, George Washington University, 1968
<u>Professional Qualifications</u>	Certified Public Accountant (CPA)
<u>Languages</u>	English mother tongue
<u>Present Employment</u>	Deputy ACLANT Financial Controller, Staff, Supreme Allied Commander, Atlantic
<u>Previous Positions</u>	Logistics Plans Officer, Headquarters, Allied Forces Northern Europe Project Officer, Military Manpower Study Center for Naval Analysis (CNA) Member, Secretary of the Navy's Retention Task Force Assistant Supply Officer USS YORKTOWN (CVS-10) Director, Marine Marketing Research Hydrofoil Ships, The Boeing Company Supply Department, US Naval Station, Kodiak, Alaska Administrative Staff Officer, US Navy Postgraduate School Supply Officer, USS HENRY W. TUCKER (DDR-875)