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**Memorandum for the Record**

Subj: *CNA Integrated Ship Database*: Distribution of 4th Quarter 2009 Update

- Ref: (a) *The Integrated Ship Database — A Rapid-Access Database of Naval Ship Information — 4th Quarter 2009 Update*, by Gregory N. Suess, Lynette A. McClain, and Rhea Stone, Jul 2010 (CNA Interactive Software D0023209.A1/Final)  
(b) *The Integrated Ship Database. Basic Layout and Instructions*  
(c) *The Integrated Ship Database — A Rapid-Access Database of Naval Ship Information — A User's Manual*, by Gregory N. Suess and Lynette A. McClain, Dec 2005 (CNA Interactive Software D0012061.A2/Final)

We announce the update to CNA's Integrated Ship Database (ISDB) as of the end of the fourth quarter of CY09 [Ref (a)]. You can find the database file (ISDB 2009-12.xls) on CNA's web site. Look for it on the Operations and Tactics Analysis Division page with the address:

[www.cna.org/centers/operations-tactics/ship-database](http://www.cna.org/centers/operations-tactics/ship-database)

Here, you will see a link to a document titled *Basic Layout and Instructions* that describes basic features of the database and steps to take when first opening it [Ref (b)]. For additional background information, we refer you to the link identified as *User's Manual* for the original manual of December 2005 [Ref (c)].

For this update, we made the usual changes, bringing the Naval Vessel Register (NVR), MSC Ship Inventory, and the Maritime Administration's Property Management and Archive Record System (PMARS) data current as of 31 December 2009.

We welcome and encourage your suggestions for improvement of the database. Please contact Lynette McClain ([mcclainl@cna.org](mailto:mcclainl@cna.org) or 703-824-2855) or Greg Suess ([suessg@cna.org](mailto:suessg@cna.org) or 703-824-2231) if you have any questions or comments.

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