

# EXECUTIVE OFFICER

**LCDR James E. Law, USN**



LCDR James E. Law was born in Newark, New Jersey on 16 January 1936. Following high school, he entered Washington and Lee University and in June 1957 received his commission as an Ensign under the ROC program. His first duty station was the Office of Naval Intelligence in Washington, D.C.

In the years 1958 through 1961, LCDR Law served in the USS JOHN R. PERRY (DE-1034) which he helped place in commission and in which he became Operations Officer. In 1961, he became Executive Officer of the USS EXULTANT (MSO-441). LCDR Law attended U.S. Naval Post Graduate School in 1962 and became an instructor in the school in 1963.

Leaving Post Graduate School, LCDR Law became Operations Officer aboard USS DAHLGREN (DLG-12). After 1 year aboard USS DAHLGREN, his tour was split and he was transferred to the USS AULT in December 1966 as Executive Officer.

LCDR Law supervises all administration aboard the ship. He is responsible for the handling of all official correspondence, the timely submission of all reports by AULT, and the personnel administration aboard the ship. LCDR Law is also responsible for the safe navigation of the ship as the ship's navigator.

LCDR Law is married to the former Betty George of Brunswick, Georgia. They have two children, Jimmy and Cindy.