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MEMORANDUM

From: Vertical Launching System and All-Up-Rounds Division Manager, Sensors, Weapons, and Launchers Department

To: Program Manager, United Precision Corp, Washougal, Washington

Subj: CERTIFICATION OF UNITED PRECISION CORP, WASHOUGAL, WASHINGTON AS A MK 41 VERTICAL LAUNCHING SYSTEM UPTAKE HATCH OVERHAUL SITE

Ref: (a) MK 41 Vertical Launching System Uptake Hatch Certification Program of 2 Sep 2022
(b) IMS-4810-6692849-0019 REV B, MK 41 Vertical Launching System Uptake Hatch Overhaul Manual

Encl: (1) MK 41 VLS Uptake Hatch Certification Program Site Checklist

1. Program Executive Office, Integrated Warfare Systems 3 has established a certification program, reference (a), to ensure MK 41 Vertical Launching System (VLS) uptake hatch assemblies are being properly inspected and overhauled. The certification program mandates that each uptake hatch overhaul site be inspected and annually certified by Naval Surface Warfare Center, Port Hueneme Division (NSWC PHD).

2. In accordance with reference (a), NSWC PHD representative [REDACTED] conducted a site survey on 2 Dec 2024 at United Precision Corp (UPC), Washougal, Washington to certify their capability to overhaul MK 41 VLS uptake hatch assemblies. UPC, Washougal, Washington met the requirements of the facilities, tools and equipment listed in reference (b) and enclosure (1).

3. UPC, Washougal, Washington is hereby certified to perform MK 41 VLS uptake hatch overhauls in accordance with reference (b). This certification shall be in effect for 18 months and will expire at the end of June 2026.

4. NSWC PHD point of contact is [REDACTED], and email at [REDACTED]

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