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The Honorable Anthony J. Principi  
Chairman  
Defense Base Closure and Realignment Commission  
2521 South Clark Street  
Arlington, VA 22202

Dear Chairman Principi:

This is in response to the July 18, 2005 request from Mr. Timothy Abrell of your staff to provide data regarding the loss of personnel to Space and Naval Warfare Systems Command (SPAWAR) resulting from the implementation of the BRAC 1995 recommendation to move that activity from Washington D.C. to San Diego, CA.

The Navy does not have a record on file that identifies the personnel losses incurred regarding implementation of the BRAC 1995 recommendations. New personnel were gained from a number of different sources over a period of several years, and the funding for new personnel was also derived from different sources over that same time period. After contacting the commands involved in the BRAC 1995 relocation of SPAWAR, we have determined that we cannot recreate an accurate personnel count for the implementation of the recommendation.

I trust this information satisfactorily addresses your concerns. If we can be of further assistance, please let me know.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, reading "Anne Rathmell Davis".

Anne Rathmell Davis  
Special Assistant to the Secretary of the Navy  
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