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MEMORANDUM FOR REAR ADMIRAL RICHARD H. TRULY, U.S. NAVY

Subj: PRESIDENTIAL CITIZENS MEDAL

1. The U.S. Navy is extremely proud that President Ronald Reagan awarded you the Presidential Citizens Medal on 18 January 1989. You are authorized to wear this prestigious award on your uniform.
2. The Navy-Marine Corps Awards Manual and U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations do not list precedence for this non-military award. Until such precedence is formally established, you should wear the medal and ribbon immediately after all U.S. Unit Awards.
3. I join the President in saying "... (You) are a major force in keeping space moving forward..." Well done!

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09E	SUBJECT: PRESIDENTIAL CITIZENS MEDAL AWARDED TO RADM R. H. TRULY	
09R	BACKGROUND/BRIEFING (If required, list references and enclosures immediately below, in naval letter format. It is not necessary to list references and enclosures to the basic incoming and outgoing documents. Duplication of information contained in the attached incoming or outgoing document, or that inserted elsewhere on this sheet, should be avoided wherever practicable.)	
090	Ref: (a) SECNAVINST 1650.1F (b) NAVPERS 15665F	
092	<u>ISSUE</u>	
093	Authorization for RADM R. H. Truly to wear the Presidential Citizens Medal.	
094	<u>BACKGROUND</u>	
095	President Reagan awarded the Presidential Citizens Medal to RADM Richard H. Truly, USN and 34 others on 18 January 1989. (See TAB A.)	
096	<u>CURRENT STATUS</u>	
098	Neither the Navy-Marine Corps Awards Manual (reference (a)) nor U.S. Navy Uniform Regulations (reference (b)) list the Presidential Citizens Medal. This award, established in 1969, is the second highest award that can be given by the President. RADM Truly is the first Navy recipient of this award. The Presidential Medal of Freedom (the highest Presidential Award) is listed in both reference (a) and (b), immediately following all U.S. Unit Awards.	
007	<u>RECOMMENDATION</u>	
008	Sign facing memo to RADM Truly authorizing him to wear this medal with precedence after all U.S. Unit Awards.	
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Chapter 5. - UNITED STATES NON-MILITARY DECORATIONS

SECTION 1. - General

511. DEFINITION

A U.S. non-military decoration is any U.S. decoration not classified as a military decoration.

512. PRECEDENCE

U.S. non-military decorations take precedence immediately after all U.S. unit awards. They take precedence in the order earned except when more than one decoration has been established by the same agency. The precedence then is as established by the awarding agency. The following is a selective list of non-military decorations awarded to members of the Naval Service:

- a. Presidential Medal of Freedom*
- b. National Security Medal
- c. National Sciences Medal
- d. Gold Life Saving Medal*
- e. Silver Life Saving Medal*
- f. Medal for Merit
- g. National Intelligence Distinguished Service Medal*
- h. National Intelligence Medal of Achievement*
- i. Navy Distinguished Civilian Service Award
- j. Navy Award for Distinguished Achievement in Science
- k. President's Distinguished Federal Civilian Service Medal
- l. Department of Defense Distinguished Civilian Service Award
- m. Navy Distinguished Public Service Award
- n. National Aeronautics and Space Administration Distinguished Service Medal*
- o. National Aeronautics and Space Administration Flight Medal*
- p. National Aeronautics and Space Administration Medal for Exceptional Bravery*
- q. National Aeronautics and Space Administration Medal for Exceptional Service*
- r. Merchant Marine Distinguished Service Medal
- s. Merchant Marine Meritorious Service Medal
- t. Merchant Marine Mariners Medal
- u. Selected Service Distinguished Service Award
- v. Selective Service Exceptional Service Award
- w. Selective Service Meritorious Service Award
- x. Congressional Space Medal of Honor

*NOTE: May be earned while a member of the naval service.

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THE WHITE HOUSE

Office of the Press Secretary

For Immediate Release

January 17, 1989

The President will award the Presidential Citizens Medal at a ceremony to be held at the White House on January 18, 1989. The Presidential Citizens Medal was established by Executive Order 11494 of November 13, 1969, for the purpose of recognizing citizens of the United States who have performed exemplary deeds of service for their country or their fellow citizens.

The following individuals will be given this prestigious award by the President.

David Abshire
Richard Armitage
Arnold O. Beckman
James Scott Brady
William F. Buckley, Jr.
Chester A. Crocker
Arthur B. Culvahouse, Jr.
Kenneth M. Duberstein
Edwin J. Feulner, Jr.
Max M. Fisher
Malcolm S. Forbes
Donald R. Fortier (posthumously)
Dorothy I. Height
John S. Herrington
Charlton Heston
Don Hodel
Herman Kahn (posthumously)
Max M. Kampelman
Russell Kirk
John O. Marsh, Jr.
Ann McLaughlin
Samuel R. Pierce, Jr.
Colin L. Powell
Arnold Lewis Raphel (posthumously)
Rozanne L. Ridgway
Edward L. Rowny
Stuart K. Spencer
William H. Taft, IV
Edward Teller
Richard H. Truly
Armando Valladares
Vernon A. Walters
John C. Whitehead
Charles Z. Wick
Joseph R. Wright, Jr.

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GERARD DOLE
SERAFIN THURMOND
JULIE MICHEL

CITIZENS MEDAL

BOB SHULTZ
MIKE MANSFIELD

MEDAL of FREEDOM



The President of the United States of America

Awards this

Presidential Citizens Medal

to

RICHARD H. TRULY

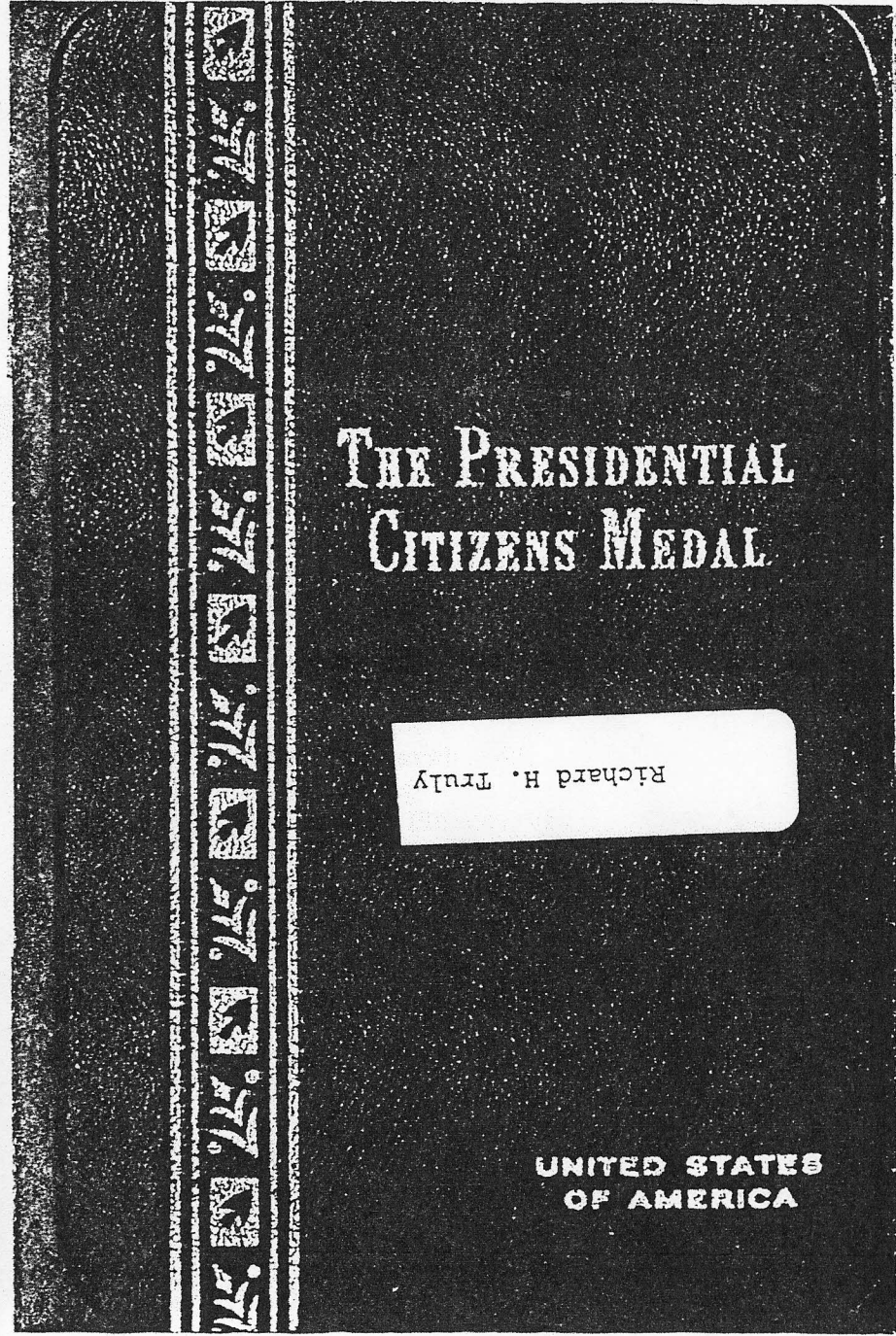
On the frontier of space, Richard H. Truly is among the pioneers. He has been a leader of America's space program for two full decades and a major force in keeping it moving forward in recent years.

Ronald Reagan

*The White House
Washington, D.C., January 18, 1989*

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THE PRESIDENTIAL CITIZENS MEDAL

Richard H. Truly

UNITED STATES
OF AMERICA

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