



## Executive Officer CAPT. R. G. Hubbard

Captain Hubbard, a native of Birmingham, Michigan, received his commission via the Regular NROTC Program at Miami University, Oxford, Ohio. Graduating in 1961, he served in the destroyer **USS EPPERSON (DDE 719)** before commencing submarine training. Following submarine school, he served in **USS CUBERA (SS 347)**, **USS Robert E. Lee (SSBN 601)** (GOLD) and (BLUE) crews before serving on the Staff, Commander Submarine Force, U. S. Pacific Fleet. Following these tours, he was assigned to the **USS GRAYBACK (LPSS 574)** as the Navigator and Project Diving Officer followed by a tour in the **USS PICUDA (SS 382)** on the Joint Strategic Staff followed by a tour of duty as Commanding Officer, **USS COUCAL (ASR 8)** in Hawaii. Before reporting to **USS DIXON (AS 37)** in June 1979 as Executive Officer, he served as the Diving Systems Officer on the Staff of Commander Submarine Development Group One.

Captain Hubbard is a qualified Mixed Gas (Helium Oxygen) Diving and Salvage Officer.

Captain Hubbard has been awarded the Joint Service Commendation Medal, Navy Commendation Medal and Navy Achievement Medal.

