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Middle East District

P970 BOD Achieved

WHERE: Bahrain

WHAT: Ship Maintenance Facility

BOD on P770 Ship Maintenance Facility was achieved 30 April. VADM Malloy (5th Fleet commander), RDLM Schlise (5th Fleet deputy), RDML Downey (Surface Warfare commander), CDRE Gilbertson (CNSS-5 commander), CAPT Vergara (FDRMC commander) and CAPT Guenther were in attendance. During his remarks APT Guenther made it a point in his speech to recognize USACE's efforts in bringing P970 across the finish line.

The facility will provide a laydown area to for LCS sea frame maintenance, mission module sustainment and exchange allowing the Navy to conduct more maintenance forward with less downtime. It also provides for LCS Squadron detachment command and control, and support for forward deployed LCS mission. This facility will also support maintenance and repair to combatant and patrol craft, and permanent intermediate level maintenance to service and maintain homeport vessels operating out of Bahrain, and deployed ships that use NSA Bahrain for maintenance and logistics.

