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The following Regulations are issued, in accordance with the provisions of section 1547 of the Revised Statutes of the United States, for the government of all persons attached to the naval service.

It is hereby required and directed that all officers and other persons belonging to the Navy, so far as the duties of each are concerned, make themselves acquainted with, observe and comply with the Regulations of the United States Navy contained herein.

These Regulations set forth the duty, responsibility, authority, distinctions and relations of the various bureaus, offices and individual officers each to the other. Details coming exclusively under the cognizance of a particular bureau or office which might properly be incorporated in a separate manual by the bureau or office concerned have been omitted.

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