

## **MEDIA RELEASE**

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### **SURVEYOR STANDS DOWN**

CMDR Alan Regan, RFD, RANR recently stood down from 10 years of active membership on the Queensland Surveyors' Board, most recently dealing with governance issues with regard to the board.

At a 'farewell' function in Brisbane on 09 December 2004, CMDR Regan was presented with two gifts that highlight his surveyor's connection with the Navy's Hydrographic Service. He was given a copy of the book 'Nelson's Purse' and a framed limited edition print of the Battle of Trafalgar.

CMDR Regan serves on CFTS as Staff Officer Hydrographic Doctrine at the Australian Hydrographic Office, in Wollongong, NSW. He has been instrumental in developing the doctrine for the Navy's concept of Rapid Environmental Assessment for Geospatial products.

CMDR Regan said that during his tenure with the Board, they had "incorporated the Board's definition of surveying into Queensland legislation, and that this mirrored the Chief of Navy's concept of surveying within the Maritime Geospatial Branch of the RAN.



Photo: Shows CMDR Alan Regan, RANR receiving a presentation from the Qld Surveyors Board.

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