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Biographic Sketch: Almirante (Admiral) (Ret) Paulo BOSISIO

Present Position: Minister of Navy

Date & Place of Birth: 27 Sep 1900;
Niteroi, State of Rio de Janeiro, Brazil

Description: 5'9", 160 lbs, medium build; grey hair, balding; wears glasses. Impeccable appearance and habits.

Education: Naval Academy - 1915-18; Gunnery Crs - 1928; Naval War College - Comd Crs - 1940; Senior Comd Crs.

Travels: U.S. - naval cruise - 1951; U.S. - official visit - 1965.

Career: Numerous command and staff positions.
Positions recent years:

1956	Director, Naval Shipyard
1956-59	Director, Naval War College
1959	Retired
1964-65	Supervised Government's anti-subversion/corruption investigations subsequent to April 1964 revolution
1965	Minister of Navy (Jan 65)



Remarks: BOSISIO has reputation as strong, honest, demanding leader of outstanding intelligence and judgment. He has a practical approach to problems; is capable of understanding both sides of a discussion and reaching a compromise decision.

Respects and admires the U.S.

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