

HII Delivers Virginia-Class Submarine New Jersey to U.S. Navy



NEWPORT NEWS, Va., April 25, 2024 (GLOBE NEWSWIRE) – HII (NYSE: HII) announced today that its Newport News Shipbuilding division has delivered *Virginia*-class fast-attack submarine *New Jersey* (SSN 796) to the U.S. Navy.

New Jersey is the 11th *Virginia*-class submarine delivered by NNS, and the 23rd built as part of the teaming agreement with General Dynamics Electric Boat.

“It is a proud day for our entire team when we deliver a high-quality submarine like *New Jersey* to the fleet,” said Jason Ward, NNS vice president of *Virginia*-class submarine construction. “The mission ahead for *New Jersey* and her crew is clear, and we applaud our shipbuilders for delivering this critical capability to the fleet, while maintaining our highest standards of safety and quality.”

More than 10,000 shipbuilders from NNS and Electric Boat participated in the construction of *New Jersey*, alongside thousands of suppliers across the country, including more than 100 in New Jersey who support submarine construction. It is the first *Virginia*-class submarine designed and built with crew gender integration.

New Jersey was christened in November 2021 at NNS by ship’s sponsor Susan DiMarco, a New Jersey resident, retired dentist and wife of former Secretary of Homeland Security Jeh Johnson. The submarine is expected to be commissioned later this year.

A photo accompanying this release is available at: <https://hii.com/news/hii-delivers-virginia-class-submarine-new>

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