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I—DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 25 July 1963, the Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism in action against an enemy is awarded posthumously to:

Captain *Hugh R. Nelson, Jr.*, O99098, Artillery, United States Army, distinguished himself by extraordinary heroism on 5 June 1966 while serving as a member of the 114th Aviation Company (Airmobile Light) and engaged in military operations in the Republic of Vietnam. Captain *Nelson* was acting as Aircraft Commander of a Cobra aircraft when it was struck by hostile gun fire, downed in the middle of many insurgent positions, and had all weapons destroyed in the crash. Upon the initial impact, all persons aboard the aircraft were unconscious. As the first person to regain consciousness with the physical ability to aid the other three crew members, Captain *Nelson* ignored his own injuries, debarked the aircraft, and started to evacuate his fellow soldiers. Proceeding to the left side of the aircraft, he ripped off the door with his bare hands and removed a dazed Specialist who had been pinned in the cargo compartment. After placing the Specialist on the ground and observing that the injured pilot had managed to get out of the aircraft, Captain *Nelson* climbed into the Cobra to assist another Specialist who was still trapped in the aircraft. Although the insurgents began a heavy volume of automatic and small arms fire at a range of approximately thirty feet from the aircraft, he continued his brave efforts until he freed the trapped crew member. He then forced the Specialist to the ground and, using his own body as a human shield to cover his comrade, saved the life of his fellow soldier at the sacrifice of his own. Through his gallant efforts, he enabled a crew member to send a signal with a smoke grenade to supporting aircraft which responded immediately and resulted

in the successful evacuation of the survivors. Captain *Nelson's* extraordinary heroism on the battlefield reflects great credit upon himself, the United States Army, and the armed forces of his country.

II—DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 25 July 1963, the Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism in action against an enemy is awarded posthumously to:

Platoon Sergeant *Clifton Winningham*, RA14317635, United States Army, distinguished himself by extraordinary heroism on 5 March 1966 while serving as a member of the 1st Platoon, Company C, 2d Battalion, 28th Infantry and engaged in military operations in the Republic of Vietnam. During a vicious assault by the Viet Cong, Platoon Sergeant *Winningham* displayed indomitable courage. When informed that a man stationed at a listening post was wounded and unable to return to the friendly lines, Platoon Sergeant *Winningham* attempted to reach the wounded man by crawling out of the perimeter but was stopped by hostile gun fire. He then rallied four men to follow behind him to cover his movement to the listening post. After they reached this position and found their comrade dead, he unhesitatingly volunteered to remain alone at the listening post to cover the return of the men with their deceased comrade. With complete disregard for his own safety, he remained at the post until the men reentered the friendly lines before proceeding behind them. As the hostile action intensified, he continued to encourage the men and to demonstrate his gallant efforts until felled by hostile gun fire. Platoon Sergeant *Winningham's* extraordinary heroism on the battlefield reflects great credit upon himself, the United States Army, and the armed forces of his country.

III—DISTINGUISHED SERVICE MEDAL. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 9 July 1918, the Distinguished Service Medal for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in a position of great responsibility is awarded to:

Brigadier General *Walter B. Bess*, O20151, United States Army. August 1964 to October 1966.

Brigadier General *Omer S. Dews*, O40079, United States Army. June 1956 to October 1966.

Lieutenant General *Harry J. Lemley, Jr.*, O91756, (then Major General), United States Army. August 1961 to July 1966.

Major General *Walter E. Lotz, Jr.*, O21090, United States Army. September 1965 to July 1966.

Colonel *Vernon McKenzie*, O84312, Medical Service Corps, United States Army. April 1963 to October 1966.

Brigadier General *George P. Warner*, O32462, United States Army. July 1963 to October 1966.

Colonel *Anthony L. P. Wermuth*, O23252, Infantry, United States Army. June 1959 to October 1966.

General *William C. Westmoreland*, O20223, United States Army.
August 1964 to December 1965.

Brigadier General *John M. Wright, Jr.*, O23057, United States Army.
June 1965 to August 1966.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 9 July 1918, the Distinguished Service Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious and distinguished service in a position of great responsibility is awarded to:

General *Paul D. Adams*, O17306, United States Army. October 1961 to October 1966.

IV—LEGION OF MERIT. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded posthumously to:

Colonel *James R. Kent*, O34678, Infantry, United States Army.
August 1965 to July 1966.

V—LEGION OF MERIT. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded posthumously to:

Colonel *Jack R. Metzdorf*, O62139, Armor, United States Army. July 1959 to April 1966.

VI—LEGION OF MERIT. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded posthumously to:

Colonel *Samuel W. Scarborough*, O44723, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. June 1964 to March 1966.

VII—LEGION OF MERIT. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Colonel *Stockbridge H. Barker*, O38949, Transportation Corps, United States Army. July 1958 to April 1966. (This award supersedes the Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) to Colonel *Barker* as an interim award for meritorious service from July 1965 to April 1966, as announced in General Orders Number 34, U.S. Army Transportation Center and Fort Eustis, Fort Eustis, Virginia, dated 5 April 1966).

Lieutenant Colonel *William C. Boehm*, O63051, Infantry, United States Army. August 1963 to February 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Lucien E. Bolduc, Jr.*, O62359, Infantry, United States Army. July 1964 to May 1966.

Major General *Louis D. Burkhalter, Jr.*, O280416, United States Army. December 1959 to July 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles E. Carlsen*, O1307367, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. July 1963 to March 1966.

Colonel *Leo Cawthron, Jr.*, O1172407, Artillery, United States Army. September 1957 to August 1966.

Brigadier General *Cuyler L. Clark, Jr.*, O22947, United States Army. November 1964 to September 1966.

Major General *William R. Douglas*, O373402, United States Army. December 1959 to April 1966.

Major *Bettie Lou Hadley*, L804191, Women's Army Corps, United States Army. April 1962 to August 1966. (In view of this award, the Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) awarded to Major *Hadley* as an interim award for meritorious service from April 1962 to August 1966, by Headquarters, United States Continental Army Command, Fort Monroe, Virginia, will be superseded when the award of the Legion of Merit is announced).

Colonel *Daniel W. Hancock*, O35281, Signal Corps, United States Army. January 1964 to August 1966.

Colonel *John C. Honea, Jr.*, O36175, Armor, United States Army. September 1964 to April 1966.

Colonel *Charles A. Jenkins*, O31369, Artillery, United States Army. June 1963 to October 1966.

Colonel *Alfred N. Kram*, O406275, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. July 1960 to June 1965.

Colonel *Marshall G. McBee*, O39015, Infantry, United States Army. February 1963 to June 1966.

Colonel *Howell E. Misdom*, O79930, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. January 1966 to October 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Edward J. Morris*, O1184265, Artillery, United States Army. June 1962 to April 1966.

Colonel *Charles F. O'Donnell, Jr.*, O81920, Artillery, United States Army. August 1962 to December 1965.

Colonel *Charles B. Schweizer*, O21418, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. August 1964 to September 1966.

Colonel *William A. Stanford*, O43808, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. September 1963 to May 1966.

Brigadier General *Hugh R. Thompson, Jr.*, O342933, United States Army. February 1949 to May 1966.

Colonel *Warren E. Walters*, O24200, Infantry, United States Army. September 1958 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Howell T. Whiting*, O88227, (then Major), Signal Corps, United States Army. October 1963 to May 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Walter D. Williams*, O2036846, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. July 1963 to April 1966.

Brigadier General *Gilbert H. Woodward*, O23102, United States Army. December 1964 to September 1966.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Brigadier General *Max K. Bitts*, O342244, United States Army. November 1955 to July 1966.

Major General *Herbert B. Brand*, O916491, United States Army. May 1961 to September 1966.

Colonel *John J. Carusone*, O21295, Armor, United States Army. August 1963 to July 1966.

Colonel *McGlachlin Hatch*, O25578, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. August 1963 to August 1966.

Colonel *Douglas H. Lane*, O40338, Transportation Corps, United States Army. December 1958 to July 1966. (This award supersedes the Army Commendation Medal awarded to Colonel Lane for meritorious service during the period August 1960 to July 1966, as announced in General Orders Number 59, Headquarters, Fourth United States Army, Fort Sam Houston, Texas, dated 1 July 1966).

Colonel *James V. Milano*, O46052, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. November 1958 to September 1966.

Colonel *Kurtz J. Miller, Jr.*, O65024, Armor, United States Army. June 1964 to September 1966.

Major General *Dillman A. Rash*, O274004, United States Army. June 1952 to August 1964.

Colonel *Bernard W. Rogers*, O25867, Infantry, United States Army. September 1962 to October 1966.

Brigadier General *Ross H. Routh*, O287602, United States Army. September 1953 to September 1965.

Brigadier General *George M. Seignious, II*, O47226, United States Army. June 1965 to October 1966.

3. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Colonel *Morris J. Lucree*, O33401, Military Police Corps, United States Army. July 1959 to August 1966.

Colonel *Harold E. Nelson*, O24487, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. July 1963 to September 1966.

4. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Third Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Brigadier General *Hal D. McCown*, O23532, United States Army. August 1965 to August 1966.

VIII—LEGION OF MERIT. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Degree of Commander) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Division General *Alvaro Alves De Silva Braga*, IG55921, Brazilian Army. January 1966 to July 1966.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (Degree of Officer) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services is awarded to:

Commodore *Yi Kyong Won*, 80109, Republic of Korea Navy. June 1964 to June 1965.

IX—DISTINGUISHED FLYING CROSS. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 2 July 1926, a Distinguished Flying Cross (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Captain *Bradley T. Foote*, FV3033772, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Captain *Foote* demonstrated unique flying ability and indomitable courage while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Captain *Foote's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

Lieutenant Colonel *James M. Knotts*, FR33794, United States Air Force distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Colonel *Knotts* demonstrated unique flying ability and indomitable courage while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment was required to maintain a

tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Colonel *Knotts'* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

Captain *Roger G. McKee*, FV3025527, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Captain *McKee* demonstrated unique flying ability and indomitable courage while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Captain *McKee's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

Colonel *Silas J. Minton*, FR33157, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Colonel *Minton* demonstrated unique flying ability and indomitable courage while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Colonel *Minton's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 2 July 1926, a Distinguished Flying Cross for extraordinary achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Richard T. Heard*, O955112, Infantry, United States Army. 24 March 1966.

X—SOLDIER'S MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of the Act of Congress, approved 2 July 1926, a Soldier's Medal for heroism not involving actual conflict with an enemy is awarded to:

Specialist Four *William Barnes*, RA53347692, United States Army, as a member of Company D, 188th Infantry Battalion, 11th Air Assault

Division, Fort Benning, Georgia, distinguished himself by heroism on 9 February 1965 in the vicinity of Apparri Heliport, Fort Benning. Specialist *Barnes* was a passenger on board a helicopter when it failed to gain altitude after take off, struck a tree, traveled approximately three hundred and fifty yards, and began to burn as it came to rest on its left side. As he was in the act of leaving the burning aircraft, he noticed that the pilot was slumped over in his seat and appeared to be unconscious. Although his own clothing was saturated with fuel, Specialist *Barnes* completely ignored his own safety, turned his attention toward the pilot, and, with the assistance of the crew chief, succeeded in pulling the pilot from the seat and removing him from the helicopter. Despite the danger of an explosion, he worked diligently to assure the safety of the pilot before leaving the helicopter himself. Specialist *Barnes'* deep concern for the welfare of others and his heroic conduct in this hazardous situation are in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflect great credit upon himself and the military service.

Staff Sergeant *Ludwig Berndt*, RA19410408, United States Army, distinguished himself as assistant instructor and platoon sergeant on 4 February 1966 at Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, while his unit was engaged in training with hand grenades. Staff Sergeant *Berndt*, upon observing a live fragmentary hand grenade fall from the hand of a basic trainee, with complete disregard for his own safety, unhesitatingly and quickly retrieved the activated device and threw it backhanded over the concrete retaining wall a fraction of a second prior to it exploding, at the same time pulling the trainee to the ground shielding him from the explosion. Staff Sergeant *Berndts'* alertness, professional ability, and heroism have brought great credit upon himself and the United States Army.

Captain *Leonard A. Curcio*, O2281337, (then First Lieutenant), Signal Corps, United States Army, as a member of the 101st Signal Battalion, New York Army National Guard, distinguished himself by heroism on 20 October 1963 near Hasings, New York. Captain *Curcio* was driving on a New York highway when he came upon a vehicle accident with one of the cars on fire. Observing that the injured occupants of both vehicles had been placed on the road in close proximity to the burning vehicle, he tried to smother the fire in the car trunk by inserting a fire extinguisher into an opening between the frame and the trunk door. Then, with the assistance of a patrolman on the scene Captain *Curcio* succeeded in getting the trunk key from the ignition and, after a series of maneuvers, managed to yank open the trunk door and apply the fire extinguisher to the blaze until the foam was expended. Although forced back momentarily by the intense heat, he darted forward again, and tore the burning material from the trunk. In this effort he sustained severe burns on both arms. Through his courageous actions and determination, he prevented a possible explosion and further injury to the people on the scene. Captain *Curcio's* heroic conduct is in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service.

Specialist Four *William E. Johnson*, RA15459004, United States Army, as a member of Company A, 97th Quartermaster Battalion, distinguished

himself by an act of heroism on 4 January 1966 near Gamburg, West Germany. Riding as assistant driver in the rear of a convoy, Specialist *Johnson* observed a 5,000 gallon gasoline tanker skid off the road and down and embankment. The vehicle's engine and lights were still on and gasoline was leaking from the cracked tanker. At any moment a spark from the electrical system could have caused an explosion. The driver and assistant driver were trapped in the crushed cab of the tanker. Specialist *Johnson* leaped from his own vehicle and scrambled down to the aid of the trapped soldiers. Ignoring the threat of imminent explosion, he ripped open the crushed cab of the vehicle and pulled out the injured driver. Having helped the driver to a safe area, Specialist *Johnson* returned to free the unconscious assistant driver. He returned a third time to shut off the engine and lights to prevent an explosion. Specialist *Johnson's* quick thinking and daring action in the face of great danger to himself was in the highest tradition of the United States Army and reflects great credit upon himself and his unit.

Specialist Four *Conrad C. Uttal*, ER13797437, United States Army, as a member of the 304th Civil Affairs Group, United States Army Reserve Center, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, distinguished himself by heroism on 2 September 1965 in the vicinity of Darien, Connecticut. Specialist *Uttal* was on the Connecticut Turnpike enroute to annual active duty training when his detail came upon an overturned tractor trailer in which a female passenger was trapped in the cab of the vehicle. With complete disregard for his own safety, he approached the vehicle with its engine smoking and fuel escaping. Determining the uselessness of a fire extinguisher, he quickly obtained tools and diverted the flow of fuel from the engine, exhaust, and electrical areas. His prompt actions, bravery, and professional skill enabled others on the scene to evacuate the injured woman. Through his courage and initiative, he also prevented further injury to others on the highway as well as additional property damage. Specialist *Uttal's* heroic conduct in this emergency is in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service.

First Lieutenant *Richard E. Wallace*, O5217547, Infantry, United States Army Reserve, as a member of Headquarters Company, Committee Group, United States Army Training Center, Armor, distinguished himself by heroism on 16 December 1965 at Fort Knox, Kentucky. As Safety Officer of a hand grenade range, Lieutenant *Wallace* was in a bunker with a trainee when the trainee threw a live grenade in a manner which caused it to fall inside the bunker and at the feet of the soldier. In the face of great danger, Lieutenant *Wallace* quickly pushed the soldier to a prone position, leaped over him, seized the grenade, and threw it outside the protective wall of the bunker moments before it exploded. His prompt actions, indomitable courage, and complete disregard for his own safety in this hazardous situation prevented injury or possible loss of life to the trainee. Lieutenant *Wallace's* heroic conduct in this emergency is in the highest traditions of the United States Army and reflects great credit upon himself and the military service. (This award supersedes the award of the Army Commendation Medal to Lieutenant *Wallace* for meritorious

service on 16 December 1965 as announced in General Orders Number 15, Headquarters United States Army Armor Center, Fort Knox, Kentucky, dated 24 January 1966.)

XI—BRONZE STAR MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962, a Bronze Star Medal with "V" device for heroic achievement in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to:

Major *Ronald A. Shackleton*, O67367, (then Captain), Infantry, United States Army, distinguished himself by heroic achievement on 1 August and 2 August 1962 in the Republic of Vietnam. Upon learning that a battalion of Viet Cong had overrun a Vietnamese village, Major *Shackleton* led a Strike Force company to reinforce the position. The village was immediately secured, the wounded treated, and the defense reestablished. Then when patrols reported that the Viet Cong were preparing to attack the village at night, he quickly evacuated the wounded and United States personnel while he voluntarily remained to direct the operation. Exposing himself to sniper fire, he checked each defensive position, weapons emplacement, and avenue of approach. When the Viet Cong attacked and attempted to penetrate the village three times in the hours of darkness, he responded to each instance by moving from his command post to the scene of action to direct the defense operation. Through his indomitable courage and professional skill, he encouraged the defenders to engage in a battle which completely repelled the Viet Cong. Major *Shackleton's* heroic conduct and outstanding achievements in a hazardous situation reflect distinct credit upon himself and the United States Army.

XII—BRONZE STAR MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962, a Bronze Star Medal for meritorious service in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert C. Boatright*, O2083542, Transportation Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to January 1966.

XIII—AIR MEDAL. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942, as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942, an Air Medal for heroism while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Staff Sergeant *Arthur J. Diamond*, AF11234296, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Sergeant *Diamond* demonstrated indomitable courage and outstanding professional ability while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment, was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the air-

craft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Sergeant *Diamond's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

Technical Sergeant *Robert J. Mallett*, AF14442244, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Sergeant *Mallett* demonstrated indomitable courage and outstanding professional ability while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment, was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Sergeant *Mallett's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United State Air Force, and the military service.

Staff Sergeant *Melvin M. Marsh*, AF14651040, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Sergeant *Marsh* demonstrated indomitable courage and outstanding professional ability while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment, was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Sergeant *Marsh's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

Technical Sergeant *Karl Stacey*, AF12107253, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Sergeant *Stacey* demonstrated indomitable courage and outstanding professional ability while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment, was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Sergeant *Stacey's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

Staff Sergeant *James J. Sullivan*, AF11280599, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while participating in aerial flight from July 1965 to November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. Sergeant *Sullivan* demonstrated indomitable courage and outstanding professional ability while participating in a hazardous flying operation. His determination and professional skill insured the success of a mission in which a helicopter, equipped with special electronic equipment, was required to maintain a tight orbit position at an altitude of less than five hundred feet in the close proximity of hostile troop concentrations. Although the aircraft was required to orbit for one hour and often exposed to hostile gun fire and adverse weather, he repeatedly volunteered for these perilous missions. Sergeant *Sullivan's* heroic actions, perseverance, and flying experience contributed to the success of these dangerous aerial missions and reflect great credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the military service.

XIV—AIR MEDAL. 1. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942, as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942, an Air Medal for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Chief Warrant Officer *Carleton J. Nysewander*, W2207996, United States Army. 9 October 1962 to 27 November 1962.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 9158, 11 May 1942, as amended by Executive Order 9242-A, 11 September 1942, an Air Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious achievement while participating in aerial flight is awarded by the Department of the Army to:

Chief Warrant Officer *Carleton J. Nysewander*, W2207996, United States Army. 2 December 1962 to 21 December 1962.

XV—ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal with "V" device for heroism is awarded posthumously to:

Captain *Joseph I. Machowski*, A031303931, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism on 28 July 1965 while engaged in military operations against a hostile force in the Republic of Vietnam. As a pilot of United States military aircraft, Captain *Machowski* supported a military operation against the Viet Cong with outstanding effectiveness. He provided ground elements with timely information and made low passes over the hostile position to mark targets for airstrikes. When he saw a Vietnamese unit withdrawing from the battle, noticed American advisors bringing up the rear and knowing that one of the advisors was wounded, and also observed the Viet Cong leaving their well-entrenched positions and pursuing the withdrawing unit, he exposed himself to the intense hostile gun fire and made low passes over the insurgents, firing his weapon

at them. Through his professional skill, indomitable courage, and complete disregard for his own safety, the American advisors were able to rejoin their unit and to assist the friendly Vietnamese unit in a safe withdrawal. Captain *Machowski's* heroic conduct in this hazardous situation reflects distinct credit upon himself, the United States Air Force, and the armed forces of his country.

XVI—ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal with "V" Device for heroism is awarded to:

Captain *Robert J. Herculson, Jr.*, FR58764, United States Air Force, distinguished himself by heroism while serving with the 524th Tactical Fighter Squadron, attached to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Brigade, 1st Infantry Division on 12 November 1965 in the Republic of Vietnam. On this date, Captain *Herculson* was flying forward air control in support of 1st Division units engaged in combat at Ap Bau Bang. He observed three separate attacks on armored personnel carriers by hostile recoilless rifle fire. From Captain *Herculson's* normal controlling altitude of 1,500 feet, the source of the fire could not be pinpointed. Disregarding his personal safety, Captain *Herculson* descended to an altitude of 50 feet in order to locate the weapon crew's exact position. During this maneuver his aircraft sustained direct hits from small arms fire. Despite the damage, he climbed to his original altitude and directed fighter aircraft into the gun position. The strike was a complete success. In addition, Captain *Herculson* directed fighters against a mortar emplacement and a village. Following the fighters' departure, armed Viet Cong were observed fleeing from the ruined village. He again descended and engaged the insurgents with an M-16 rifle. Two of the Viet Cong were observed to be hit in this action. Captain *Herculson's* actions are in keeping with the finest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, the 1st Infantry Division, the United States Army, and the United States Air Force.

XVII—ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. 1. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service is awarded to:

Sergeant First Class *Louis T. Armour*, RA10610832, United States Army. October 1963 to May 1966.

Colonel *Jerry T. Baulch*, O340964, Infantry, United States Army. January 1963 to June 1966.

Master Sergeant *Mary L. Biggerstaff*, WA8206216, United States Army. June 1963 to August 1966.

Major *Richard W. Bloomingdale*, FV856872, United States Air Force. July 1963 to July 1966.

Sergeant First Class *William P. Bostic*, RA33839313, United States Army. August 1963 to October 1966.

Master Sergeant *Robert W. Brack*, RA14352892, United States Army. December 1962 to October 1966.

Captain *Joseph E. Brown*, O84930, Infantry, United States Army. September 1964 to February 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Thomas F. Burdett*, RA18089970, United States Army. February 1963 to July 1966.

Captain *Vaughn W. Camerson*, O2309125, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. May 1965 to October 1966.

Colonel *Earl J. Cobey*, O54909, Signal Corps, United States Army. July 1964 to June 1966.

Colonel *William R. Condos*, O430198, Artillery, United States Army. March 1963 to December 1965.

Captain *Richard F. Corcoran*, O84623, United States Marine Corps. June 1965 to July 1966.

Captain *Oliver J. Crews*, O80738, United States Marine Corps. June 1964 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Donald P. Doerflein*, O60547, Infantry, United States Army. April 1965 to July 1966.

Lieutenant *William L. Edwards*, 552626/6302, United States Navy. April 1964 to May 1966.

Captain *Charles H. Freed*, O5201957, Signal Corps, United States Army. April 1964 to July 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Richard S. Friedman*, O2202240, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. April 1966 to October 1966.

Specialist Six *Lucy Garcia*, WA8522054, Womens Army Corps, United States Army. September 1963 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Bryan E. Gill, Jr.*, O56005, Infantry, United States Army. July 1963 to April 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles P. Graham*, O62354, Armor, United States Army. June 1965 to July 1966.

Airman Second Class *Glen M. Graybill*, AF13760220, United States Air Force. July 1965 to February 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *James C. Harper*, O63379, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. October 1963 to July 1966.

Staff Sergeant *Frank J. Hasler*, AF17356866, United States Air Force. July 1965 to February 1966.

Master Sergeant *David L. Hazelwood*, RA14574151, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. August 1962 to September 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Charles E. Horton*, FR26831, United States Air Force. June 1964 to December 1965.

Major *Willard S. Jansen*, O1917880, Signal Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to September 1966.

Major *Herbert E. Knight*, O69518, Artillery, United States Army. July 1964 to June 1966.

Airman First Class *Josef L. Kopicka*, AF19748736, United States Air Force. July 1965 to February 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Jean E. Lessor*, RA22893012, United States Army. August 1963 to July 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Anton L. Litzenburger*, O1043404, Artillery, United States Army. July 1963 to January 1966.

First Lieutenant *David A. Malmquist*, O5707824, Signal Corps, United States Army. September 1964 to June 1966.

Sergeant *Joseph C. Matyga*, RA16514908, United States Army. January 1965 to May 1965.

Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph M. McKeehen*, FV578443, United States Air Force. June 1960 to May 1966.

Master Sergeant *Edward K. Miller*, RA13458615 (then Sergeant First Class), United States Army. January 1965 to May 1965.

Specialist Seven *Orrin H. Miller*, RA13293812, United States Army. August 1948 to October 1966.

Colonel *Thomas B. Miller*, FR10036, United States Air Force. February 1965 to February 1966.

Staff Sergeant *Richard H. Milligan*, RA19578182, United States Army. April 1965 to October 1966.

Master Sergeant *Edmond A. Moreau*, RA11173866, United States Army. July 1959 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *John G. Moses*, O25528, Signal Corps, United States Army. August 1965 to October 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *John W. Moses*, O26170, Artillery, United States Army. February 1963 to July 1966.

Staff Sergeant *James Napier*, RA15568718, United States Army. April 1965 to September 1966.

Major *Alice L. Oberg*, L2287142, Womens Army Corps, United States Army. May 1962 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Richard I. Paul*, O36814, Infantry, United States Army. November 1965 to July 1966.

First Lieutenant *Ralph D. Pemsel*, O5226754, Signal Corps, United States Army. November 1964 to October 1965.

Lieutenant Colonel *Herbert L. Prevost*, FR36760, United States Air Force. October 1963 to July 1966.

Technical Sergeant *Herbert L. Reeves*, AF20429531, United States Air Force. May 1965 to April 1966.

First Lieutenant *Harry M. Rezer, Jr.*, O5224829, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. November 1964 to August 1966.

Specialist Seven *Donald L. Rice*, RA13233244, United States Army. October 1963 to June 1966.

Captain *Henry J. Sage*, O84243, United States Marine Corps. August 1964 to June 1966.

Captain *Jack Salmon*, FV3119061, United States Air Force. September 1964 to April 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Frank C. Sawyer, Jr.*, RA12488501, United States Army. August 1961 to November 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Arthur W. Scheier, Jr.*, RA53298900, United States Army. April 1965 to September 1966.

Commander *William A. Schrader, Jr.*, 589137/2100, United States Navy. July 1963 to July 1966.

Major *Robert L. Schroeder*, O68704, Artillery, United States Army. January 1965 to July 1966.

Colonel *Philip M. Schwartz*, O315754, Armor, United States Army. August 1961 to February 1966.

Colonel *William C. Scott*, O474745, Medical Corps, United States Army. July 1959 to February 1966.

Major *John M. Shea*, O65640, Armor, United States Army. June 1963 to August 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Donald R. Smith*, RA25285551, United States Army. March 1962 to May 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Clyde W. Strain*, A842082, United States Air Force. November 1962 to June 1966.

Master Sergeant *Smith H. Sutley*, RA18199580, United States Army. August 1948 to October 1966.

Aviation Ordnanceman First Class *Franklyn Swensen*, 3527944, United States Navy. August 1962 to August 1966.

Captain *Alvard M. Voegelin, Jr.*, FR47140, United States Air Force. July 1965 to February 1966.

Colonel *Harry N. Waggoner*, O372603, Medical Corps, United States Army. April 1963 to April 1966.

Colonel *Frank P. Warren*, O341161, Signal Corps, United States Army. May 1949 to March 1966.

Lieutenant *Harold L. Wheeler*, O60696, Infantry, United States Army. August 1963 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Lynn F. Williams*, O31361, United States Marine Corps. July 1963 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Allen H. Wood, III*, O28672, Adjutant General's Corp, United States Army. June 1965 to June 1966.

Captain *Jerome M. Wucher*, FR66350, United States Air Force. June 1962 to June 1965.

2. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Boyde W. Allen, Jr.*, O59230, Artillery, United States Army. July 1963 to June 1966.

Major *Willard G. Baldwin*, O1184345, Armor, United States Army. July 1958 to September 1966.

Major *Charles D. Barney, Jr.*, O78217, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. August 1964 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *John D. Burrer*, O61208, Infantry, United States Army. July 1964 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Lawrence E. Butler*, O67650, Armor, United States Army. June 1963 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *John W. Campbell*, O69613, Transportation Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert E. Carroll*, O1798647, Military Police Corps, United States Army. April 1966 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Keith G. Comstock*, O61376, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. June 1963 to June 1966.

Major *Arthur E. Dewey*, O73667, Corps of Engineers, United States Army. March 1965 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Howard H. Eichelsdoerfer*, O60718, Infantry, United States Army. July 1965 to June 1966.

Sergeant First Class *John L. Fish*, RO19262376, United States Army. October 1964 to September 1966.

Sergeant Major *Raymond R. Garofalo*, RA13267581, (then Master Sergeant) United States Army. January 1965 to May 1965.

Lieutenant *Donald C. Gibson*, 618491/6402, United States Navy. July 1965 to May 1966.

Major *J. A. Richard Guertin*, O66958, Artillery, United States Army. August 1964 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Philip D. Haisley*, O28380, Artillery, United States Army. February 1964 to July 1966.

Colonel *Paul J. Halin*, O55597, Transportation Corps, United States Army. March 1964 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Glenn H. Hathaway*, O985823, Artillery, United States Army. April 1962 to July 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Thomas S. Hinton*, RA14505625, United States Army. July 1965 to September 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Hal G. Jackson, Jr.*, O88753, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. June 1963 to August 1966.

Major *Richard F. Judge*, O77063, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. July 1963 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Edward L. King*, O65175, Infantry, United States Army. July 1963 to September 1966.

Major *James F. McFarland*, O1891559, Infantry, United States Army. January 1965 to May 1965.

Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph H. Moore*, OF103356, Armor, United States Army. March 1963 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Julius B. Moore*, O549347, Transportation Corps, United States Army. March 1963 to September 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Lee B. Moore*, O62026, Quartermaster Corps, United States Army. July 1963 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Lonnie L. Moseley*, O78998, Artillery, United States Army. March 1964 to May 1966.

Colonel *Joseph F. O'Connor*, O36411, Artillery, United States Army. September 1962 to September 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Joseph K. Paull*, O81127, Chemical Corps, United States Army. June 1964 to August 1966.

Major *Robert R. Phaneuf*, O4006966, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army. March 1966 to November 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Max F. Pokorski*, O2823056, Infantry, United States Army. May 1962 to July 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Alton G. Post*, O60317, Transportation Corps, United States Army. July 1964 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *James D. Potter*, O972924, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. April 1961 to October 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Robert S. Price*, RA12039884, United States Army. October 1963 to October 1966.

Major *Paul J. Raisig, Jr.*, O79437, Artillery, United States Army. July 1965 to September 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Chester C. Sargent*, O27653, Armor, United States Army. June 1964 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert L. Smith*, O65129, Infantry, United States Army. June 1964 to August 1966.

Captain *Walter M. Smith*, O5312206, Infantry, United States Army. September 1964 to October 1966.

Sergeant First Class *Edward A. Stubblefield*, RA14452574, United States Army. May 1965 to October 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Gordon O. Tamblyn*, O1950290, Transportation Corps, United States Army. May 1961 to April 1966.

Sergeant First Class *William A. Thomas*, RA13396378, United States Army. October 1964 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *William H. Tuttle, Jr.*, O62455, Artillery, United States Army. July 1963 to July 1966.

Sergeant Major *Edward W. Wallenborn*, RA6545774, United States Army. April 1965 to October 1966.

3. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal (Second Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *James Agresta*, O84582, Finance Corps, United States Army. February 1964 to September 1966.

Specialist Seven *Byron L. Bailey*, RA17423970, United States Army. February 1965 to August 1966.

Sergeant Major *Bernard L. Eldridge*, RA16268012, United States Army. July 1963 to August 1966.

Colonel *Benedict A. Karnosky*, O44878, Armor, United States Army. July 1963 to May 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *David M. Monihan*, O62707, Infantry, United States Army. August 1963 to June 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *James E. Townes, Jr.*, O59906, Infantry, United States Army. September 1965 to July 1966.

Chief Warrant Officer *Emery B. Trott*, W2205045, United States Army. December 1964 to October 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Henry N. Weggland, Jr.*, O59882, Artillery, United States Army. May 1965 to July 1966.

4. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal (Third Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service is awarded to:

Colonel *Robert C. Barthle*, O24246, Signal Corps, United States Army. July 1965 to April 1966.

Colonel *John P. Dring*, O37734, (then Lieutenant Colonel), Infantry, United States Army. October 1962 to July 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Earl W. Fletcher*, O50297, Armor, United States Army. January 1965 to July 1966.

Chief Warrant Officer *Ralph E. Gary*, W2214552, United States Army. July 1963 to July 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Raymond J. Gertie*, O76878, Ordnance Corps, United States Army. October 1963 to August 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Harold C. Kinne, Jr.*, O61212, Chemical Corps, United States Army. July 1964 to July 1966.

Major *Donald E. Rosenblum*, O64682, Infantry, United States Army. July 1963 to May 1966.

Lieutenant Colonel *Elbridge A. Smith*, O80188, Artillery, United States Army. February 1965 to September 1966.

Major *Robert S. Young*, O71633, Adjutant General's Corps, United States Army. January 1964 to June 1965.

5. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal (Fourth Oak Leaf Cluster) for meritorious service is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Robert F. Carrell*, O58855, Infantry, United States Army. April 1965 to September 1966.

6. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 33, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious achievement is awarded to:

Airman First Class *Glenn F. Browning*, AF16659503, United States Air Force. September 1965 to December 1965.

Airman Second Class *David L. Edwards*, AF14806538, United States Air Force. September 1965 to January 1966.

Captain *Jerry G. Malloy*, FV3023851, United States Air Force. September 1965 to December 1965.

Lieutenant Colonel *Russel J. Revel*, FR36582, United States Air Force. December 1965 to January 1966.

Private First Class *Maurice E. St Louis*, RA12715066, (then Private), United States Army. 5 December 1965.

XVIII—ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. 1. So much of General Orders Number 27, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 27 June 1966, as pertains to award of the Army Commendation Medal to Lieutenant *Homer H. Jones*, O80915, Army Intelligence and Security, United States Army, for meritorious service during the period 28 March 1963 to 23 May 1966 is revoked.

2. So much of paragraph 1, Section X, General Orders Number 36, Department of the Army, 19 August 1966, as pertains to award of the Army Commendation Medal to Sergeant First Class *David F. Sakas*, RA11311186, United States Army, as reads "Specialist First Class *David F. Sakas*", is amended to read "Sergeant First Class *David F. Sakas*".

By Order of the Secretary of the Army:

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