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Amended by GO 22-XVI-?

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 is awarded to:

Captain *Frederick D. Ledfors*, , Infantry, United States Army, for action on 11 July 1972. (This award supersedes the Silver Star awarded under the provisions of paragraph 1–17, AR 672–5–1, for gallantry in action on the same day). This award is authorized under the provisions of paragraph 1–13, AR 672–5–1.

II—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 (Degree of Officer) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

Major General *Gonzalo Rodriguez de Rivera y Fagoaga*, Spanish Army, May 1971 through May 1973.

Colonel *Angel Galvan Hernandez*, Spanish Army, November 1953 to June 1974.

Brigadier General *Do Kien Nhieu*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, June 1968 to February 1973.

Major General *Chumpon Thongthap*, , Royal Thai Army, April 1971 to October 1973.

III—BRONZE STAR MEDAL. **1.** By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962, A Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device for heroism in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to:

Sergeant *Herman C. Ballard*, , United States Army, for action on 15 December 1973.

2. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962, a Bronze Star Medal (First Oak Leaf Cluster) with "V" Device for heroism in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to:

Staff Sergeant *Edgar L. Blakemore*, , United States Army, for action on 15 December 1973.

3. By direction of the President, under the provisions of Executive Order 11046, 24 August 1962, A Bronze Star Medal (Fourth Oak Leaf Cluster) with

"V" Device for heroism in connection with military operations against hostile forces is awarded to:

Lieutenant Colonel *Richard K. Pfabe*, , (then Major), Field Artillery, United States Army, for action from 24 February 1973 to 21 March 1973.

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

Chief Warrant Officer *William D. Powers*, , United States Army, for action on 29 November 1968. This award is authorized under the provisions of paragraph 1-13, AR 672-5-1.

V--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:

First Lieutenant *Maynard R. Jean*, , Infantry, United States Army, for heroism on 24 May 1973.

Private First Class *Jay S. Miller*, , United States Army, for heroism on 30 June 1974.

Private First Class *Michael D. Pippin*, , United States Army, for heroism on 18 January 1974.

Specialist Four *James E. Pollock*, , United States Army, for heroism on 18 January 1974.

VI--ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraph 2-18, AR 672-5-1, the Army Commendation Medal for meritorious service is awarded to:

Major *Trieu Van Bang*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, November 1971 to August 1972. This award is authorized under the provisions of paragraph 1-13, AR 672-5-1.

Captain *Tran Van Cam*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, November 1971 to February 1973.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ha Quang Giac*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, May 1972 to February 1973.

Lieutenant Colonel *Tran Cao Lau*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, November 1971 to February 1973.

Major *Nguyen Van Nghe*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, November 1971 to February 1973.

Lieutenant Colonel *Nguyen Ba Nhan*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, December 1971 through January 1973.

Colonel *Shigeki Oniyama*, , Japan Ground Self Defense Force, February 1972 to March 1974.

Lieutenant Colonel *Nguyen Dung Sam*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, November 1972 to March 1973.

Sergant First Class *Nguyen Van Tham*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, February 1970 to March 1973.

Major *Dang Dinh Than*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, November 1971 to February 1973.

Lieutenant Colonel *Vo Ngoc Trat*, Army of the Republic of Vietnam, March 1972 to February 1973.

Lieutenant Colonel *Ton That Van*, , Army of the Republic of Vietnam, May 1972 to February 1973.

VII—BRONZE STAR MEDAL. So much of paragraph 2, section XI, General Orders number 19, Headquarters, Department of the Army, dated 18 June 1974, as pertains to award of the Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device to Major *John P. McAnaw*, , Infantry, United States Army, on 26 June 1971, as reads: "Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device for heroism" is amended to read: "Bronze Star Medal (Fifth Oak Leaf Cluster) with "V" Device".

By Order of the Secretary of the Army:

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