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FROM : WASHINGTON

18 APRIL 1946

TO : CINCPAC (PERSONAL FOR MARSHALL)

NR : WCL 34038

Distinguished Service Cross 2nd Oak Leaf Cluster awarded General MacArthur. Due to time since act desire you notify recipient and arrange immediate presentation with citation as follows:

General of the Army Douglas MacArthur, on 26 Jan 45, while visiting the 25th Division in combat, at San Manuel, Luzon, PI, advanced within 75 yds of the enemy lines to a point where 2 men had just been killed and several wounded by Japanese fire and which was still under heavy attack by enemy small arms, mortar and cannon. Hidden enemy machine gunners and riflemen were opposing the advance with deliberately aimed cross fire that intermittently covered the area from which he was observing. General MacArthur's example in the face of enemy fire was a source of inspiration for the men of the 25th Division.

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