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MEMO FOR: ADM R.A. Sloan DTG 12/15/41
(RE: INSTRUMENTS FOR SUBSTITUTION OF BATTERY)

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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL
MANILA, P. I.

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MEMORANDUM FOR:

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July 26, 1941.

PRESIDENT'S PROCLAMATION

Under and by virtue of the authority vested in me by the Constitution of the United States by Section two (A) (12) (of the Philippine Independence Act of March 24, 1934) and by the corresponding provision of the Ordinance appended to the Constitution of the Commonwealth of the Philippines and as Commander in Chief of the Army and Navy of the United States I hereby call and order into the service of the armed forces of the United States for the period of the existing emergency and place under the command of a General Officer, U. S. Army to be designated by the Secretary of War from time to time, all of the organized military forces of the Govt. of the Commonwealth of the Philippines: provided, that all Naval components thereof shall be placed under the command of the Commandant of the 16th Naval District, U. S. Navy.

This order shall take effect with relation to all units and personnel of the organized military forces of the Govt. of the Commonwealth of the Philippines from and after the dates and hours respectively indicated in orders to be issued from time to time by the General Officer, U. S. Army, designated by the Secretary of War.

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UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES IN THE FAR EAST
Manila, P.I.

5 August, 1941.

GENERAL ORDERS.
No. 5.

Pursuant to the provisions of the proclamation of the President of the United States dated July 26, 1941, the active, organized units of Philippine Army Air Corps are hereby called into the service of the armed forces of the United States in the Philippines, effective 12:01 A.M., August 15, 1941, for the period of the existing emergency. The Philippine Army Air Corps and attached medical personnel, are assigned to the Air Force, United States Army Forces in the Far East. Lieutenant Colonel Charles Backes (O-11968), Air Corps, United States Army, Acting Chief of Air Corps, Philippine Army, is assigned to command of the Air Corps, Philippine Army, and will report to the Commanding General, Air Force, United States Army Forces in the Far East for duty accordingly.

By command of Lieutenant General MacARTHUR:

R. K. SUTHERLAND,
Lieutenant Colonel, Infantry,
Acting Chief of Staff.

OFFICIAL:

Carl H. Seals
CARL H. SEALS,
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OATH OF ALLEGIANCE

"I, _____ do solemnly swear (or affirm) that I will bear true faith and allegiance to the United States of America; that I will serve them honestly and faithfully against all their enemies whomsoever; and that I will obey the orders of the President of the United States and the orders of the officers appointed over me, according to the rules and Articles of War."

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