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TO: Operation Officer

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7. In view of the foregoing, the following recommendations are made:

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b. That index cards be made and cards placed in master card file in Records Section.


c. Photostat copy of Special Order Number 61, be filed in folder number 86-A decimal equivalent 300.4.

d. Cross index sheets, containing synopsis of Special Order Number 61, be placed in pertinent 201 folders.

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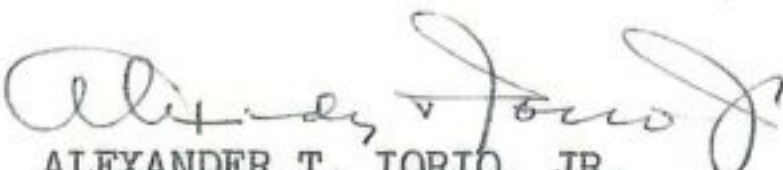
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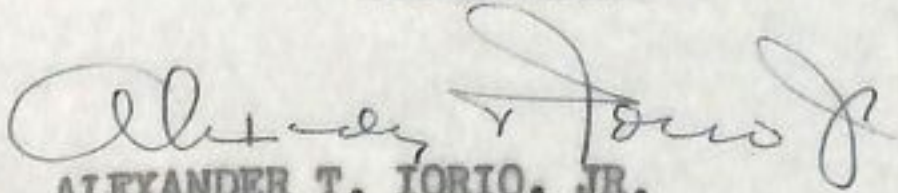
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SUBJECT Project 038-Special Order Number 61
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THRU: Chief, RPR Br

FROM Chief, Rec Sec
RPR Br

DATE

3 DEC 1959

COMMENT NO. 1

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TO: Operations Officer

1. Project initiated to verify the authenticity of Special Order Number 61, dated 22 April 1942, Hqs 81st Division, CPK, Lanao, Philippines, Subject: Promotions

2. Subject order contains nine (9) names. Nine files were located. Comparison of organizations claimed on Form 23, with the Special Order revealed the following:

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Eight (8) individuals claimed Major Martin Javelosa as C.O.

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5. Examination of the records of Francisco G. Montinola, Captain, Infantry, O-23514, whose signature appears on the order revealed the following information:

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Divisional organizations as alleged by individuals listed on order is compatible. Allegations pertaining to promotion are compatible in four (4) cases. Two (2) others claim promotion around the date shown on order. Seven (7) of the nine (9) individuals listed have pre-war archives, showing identical service numbers. Eight (8)

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								POS	NEG	POS	NEG	
LIMCHU, CARMELO SN: 035 216	✓	HQ SVC TRPS 81 st DIV.	S/SGT	22 APR 42 S.O.#6, PAR 2	NONE	NONE	MRS. JAVELOSA	NO	CLAIM			T/C OF S.O.#61 IN 201 FILE OF S/IZ CERTIFIED BY TELESFORO CANOY 25LT, INF (PA)
REDULA, FAUSTO SN: 132 241 841-HS-MS-11935	✓	HQ SVC TRPS 81 st DIV.	CPL	22 APR 42	NSLI	S.O.#81 DTD 26 MAY 41	"	✓				NO POW ALLEGED
PETRALBA, PEDRO SN: 001 627 841-HS-I-11896	✓	HQ SVC TRPS 81 st DIV.	CPL ORIGINAL GRADE	NONE	N/R	"	"	NO	CLAIM			NO POW ALLEGED
TALISAY, VICTORIANO SN: 156 096 841-ROTC-12374	✓	QMS, 81 st DIV.	CPL	14 MAR 42	N/R	"	"	NO	CLAIM			NO CLAIM
LAPUS, MAXIMO SN: 157 425 841-HS-I-11985	✓	HQ SVC TRPS 81 st DIV.	PFC	22 APR 42	N/R	"	"		NEG			NO POW ALLEGED
NUYAD, FLORENCIO SN: 132 985 841-HS-I-11890	✓	HQ SVC TRPS 81 st DIV.	PFC	16 APR 42	N/R	"	"		NEG			NO POW ALLEGED
ALMENDRALA, ANTONIO SN: 121 270	✓	F.S., 81 st DIV.	PFC	3 JAN 42	POW	NONE	LT. BAUTISTA	✓				✓
PARADELA, FRANCISCO SN: 001 911 841-HS-I-11894	✓	HQ SVC TRPS 81 st DIV.	S/SGT PFC	22 MAY 42 S.O.#73, PAR 2 22 APR 42 S.O.#61, PAR 2	(ON FILE)	S.O.#81 DTD 26 MAY 41	MRS. JAVELOSA	NO	CLAIM			NO POW ALLEGED
PERITO, SERGIO SN: 049 059 841-HS-I-11895	✓	QMS, 81 st DIV.	CPL ORIGINAL GRADE	NONE	N/R	"	"	NO	CLAIM			NO POW ALLEGED
MONTINOLA, FRANCISCO G.	✓	G.I., 81 st DIV.	CAPT	17 APR 42	NSLI	YES			NO CLAIM			NO POW ALLEGED

UNITED STATES FORCES IN THE PHILIPPINES
HEADQUARTERS 31ST DIVISION
C P K
Lanao, Philippines

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2. The following promotions of enlisted personnel in the Hq Service Troops are hereby announced effective this date:

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TO BE CORPORALS

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Pvt PEDRO PETRALBA 841-HS-1-11896
Pvt VICTORIANO TALISAY 841-ROTC-1-12374

TO BE PRIVATES FIRST CLASS

Pvt MAXIMO LAPUS 841-HS-MS-11990
" FLORENCIO NUYAD 841-1-11894
" ANTONIO AMENDRALA (No serial number)
" FRANCISCO PARADELA 841-HS-1-11894
" SERGIO PRIETO 841-HS-1-11895

By command of Brigadier General FORE:

F. Montinola
F. MONTINOLA
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Assistant Adjutant General

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