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Subject: Commendation

To : All Officers and Enlisted Men
72nd Division

The Officers and Enlisted Men of East Negros Sector are hereby highly commended for their fine and successful operation against a superior enemy at La Libertad garrison on July 4, 1944, on a well-detailed plan, thus inflicting, 9 dead and 8 wounded on enemy's side and 2 slightly wounded on our side. They have manifested in themselves high qualities of leadership and have shown splendid courage under an exceptionally heavy barrage of mortar and machine gun fire.


FRANK C. BATA (O-1566)
Lieut.-Colonel, Infantry
Division Commander

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