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SUBJECT: Congratulations

Commander
US Army Support Group
Joint Security Area
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1. As a soldier, I take great pride in soldierly qualities and the professional execution of missions. For this reason, I am particularly pleased to extend my best wishes and congratulations to the US Army Support Group, Joint Security Area.
2. The US Army Support Group, Joint Security Area has been charged with the unique and demanding mission to provide security and support for the United Nations Command component of the Military Armistice Commission and its related activities in Panmunjom. For over 22 years this mission has been performed in an exemplary manner and has resulted in the superb reputation which the unit presently enjoys.
3. With such a proud and deserved history, we often tend to overlook that an organization is the composite of the personnel assigned. Consequently, the praise which has been lavished on your unit has been won by the individuals who serve with and represent the organization. Therefore it is to you, the officers and men of the US Army Support Group, Joint Security Area, that the praise and laudits belong, for you have earned - and will continue to earn - the respect and admiration of professionals. You are truly ... "IN FRONT OF THEM ALL".
4. My sincere thanks and appreciation for your efforts and performance. I look forward to my continued associations with you all.

T. W. McCLAIN
Colonel, Infantry
Secretary
United Nations Command
Military Armistice Commission



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All Members
United States Army Support Group
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1. Rarely in the course of a soldier's career is one given the opportunity to render special service to his nation and to the preservation of peace in such a direct way. The comments of the Secretary, Military Armistice Commission, United Nations Command, attest to the great confidence that has been placed in you in accomplishing this most critical and demanding mission.
2. Throughout the Republic of Korea and all of the free world, you, by your daily performance in the face of a belligerent counterpart, engender confidence and pride in our armed forces resolve and determination to preserve peace and, if necessary, repel aggression.
3. The proud heritage of the USASG-JSA gives us all strength and comfort. Most of all, it demands our very best to not only maintain the lustre of that heritage but to add our own stamp of professionalism, courage and dedication.
4. "In Front of Them All" - not an idle slogan about a location on a map - but a way to soldier that has no parallel in the Republic of Korea Army and the United States Army. You deserve and have the admiration of all who know you.

VICTOR S. VIERRA
LTC, Armor
Commander

