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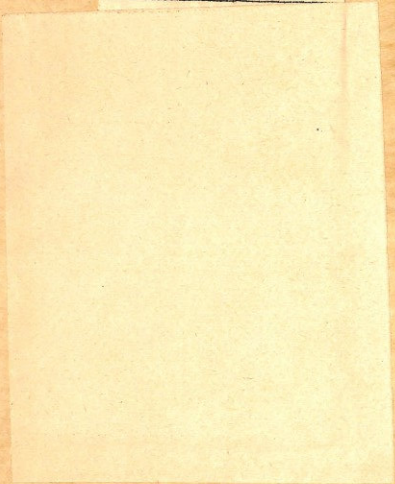
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MORNING REPORT LOCATOR CARD

REMARKS

GAINS
 A PRESENT - assigned & joined.
 B ABSENT - assigned not yet joined.
 C PRESENT - arrival & assignment, from other theaters; or in cont. US from outside cont. US.
 D PRESENT - to military control from dropped as AWOL.
 E PRESENT - arrival & assignment from the cont. US.

LOSSES
 J TRANSFER - within cont. US or within theaters.
 K TRANSFER - cont. US to outside cont. US/inter theater.
 L SEPARATION - battle casualty; missing/captured/death.
 N SEPARATION - other than by death or battle casualty.
 O SEPARATION - all deaths except killed in action.
 P SEPARATION - dropped from rolls as AWOL.
 Q TRANSFER to the cont. US from outside cont. US.

DETACHED SERVICE
 I PRESENT, NOT ASSIGNED - arrival on DS.
 R DEPARTED - relief from attachment

OTHERS
 S ABSENT - from duty to AWOL.
 T PRESENT - return to duty from AWOL.
 - PRESENT - arrival at new station, transfer of an intact unit within the cont. US/theaters.
 2 ABSENT - sick.
 3 PRESENT - from; not yet joined/absent sick.
 4 ABSENT - departure on TD/DS from cont. US to theaters, or between theaters.
 PRESENT - returned from TD/DS.
 6 ABSENT - departure on DS within cont. US or within theaters.
 7 ABSENT - departure on TD/DS to the cont. US from outside the cont. US.

NOTE - "Theaters" includes bases & departments

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DEL PILAR REGT'L BAND, BALL DIV.
NAME OF UNIT

Alejandro DelRosario
UNIT COMMANDING OFFICER

1. Complaints
2. Investigating Officer's Notes
3. Request for Recognition, ltr, dated 21 Jan, 1946, w/roster
4. NFG ltr. Hq. AEWESPAC, dated 13 Feb, 1946



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HEADQUARTERS
UNITED STATES ARMY FORCES WESTERN PACIFIC
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

APO 707
13 February 1946

091PI *Guerrilla*

Mr. Alejandro del Rosario
15 Langit, Sampaloc
Manila, P. I.

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Dear Sir,

The request for recognition of the Del Pilar Regimental Band, Ball Division has been received and investigated by this Headquarters.

There does not appear to be any evidence in the attached papers to indicate that this unit was an active guerrilla organization the members of which devoted their entire efforts while in the unit to operations in the field, to the exclusion of normal civilian pursuits.

In view of the lack of evidence to substantiate claims of Guerrilla activities it is considered that recognition of the unit under your nominal control is not warranted.

Very sincerely yours,

W. P. MOORE
Colonel AGD
Ass't Adj Gen

Lt Col H. L. Shaftoe

Request for Recognition of the Del Pilar Regiment Band, Ball Division from Mr. Alejandro del Rosario, not favorably considered because of no evidence of any activity.



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15 Langit, Sampaloc, Manila, P. I.
January 21, 1946

To: The Commanding General, AFWESPAC, Manila
Subject: Recognition of Guerrilla Unit (Del Pilar Regimental Band,
Ball Division.)

Sir:

I have the honor to apply for recognition of the Del Pilar Regimental Band, Ball Division, Bulacan Military Area, as a unit which cooperated in the resistance movement during the pre-Liberation period.

The undersigned who is in command of the unit, has been in the resistance movement since shortly after the surrender of Bataan, having helped in such activities as:

a. The sheltering, treatment, feeding, clothing (with civilian clothes,) securing of forged residence certificates, and transportation home of Bataan boys who did not surrender but escaped from the Japanese.

b. In May, 1942, at the solicitation of Dr. Jesus Lava of Bulacan, Bulacan, the collection of clothing and cash for the maintenance of such of our boys who decided to continue the resistance.

c. In November, 1942, the induction into the unit under then Lt. Col. Gregorio Panganiban (assassinated by a Huk at Malolos late in 1944.) This unit was under Major Lapham whose H. Q. was somewhere in Pangasinan.

d. In May, 1943, a new induction into the Del Pilar Regiment. (Inducting officer was Major Wataanael de Pano, now regimental chaplain of the Buenavista Regiment, stationed at Bacnotan, La Union.) The undersigned was assigned S-2 for the 2nd Bn. of the Del Pilar Regiment, with specific duty of apprehending and investigating those who were suspected of pro-Japanese espionage. To avoid suspicion as to their movements, the undersigned selected as operatives musicians of the local town band who were 100% loyal. These, under the command of the undersigned, functioned as such until the Liberation when they were allowed to function as a real regimental band. As such they functioned, playing for parades and other public functions until the Del Pilar Regiment was absorbed by the Buenavista Regiment, which cooperated with the 37th and 32nd Divisions in the Northern Luzon campaign from April to August, 1945.

e. Gathering and dissemination of short-wave broadcasts until the power lines were cut in 1944. It is not known why: (1) the undersigned, with his unit, was not notified when the whole regiment was being mobilized for operation with the 32nd Division, U. S. Army despite assurances of the undersigned to the regimental C.O., Lt. Col. Serafin Vasquez, that he and his men were ready to serve as a combat unit; (2) all the responsible officers of the Bulacan Military Area, from the Divisional Commander, down

made no efforts to have the unit recognized, despite assurances to us subordinate officers that our division had direct contact with Gen. MacArthur's H. Q.

Enclosed herewith is the latest roster of this band, minus members who had (a) resigned (b) or were processed into the Philippine Army. Authenticity of this roster will be vouched for by the following officers: Lt. Col. Serafin Vasquez, Buenavista Regiment, Bacnotan, La Union; Captain Alejandro Balatbat (now resigned), former Regimental S-1, Del Pilar Regiment, Hagonoy, Bulacan; Major Francisco Francisco, Regimental Adjutant, Hagonoy, Bulacan; Major Platon Guevarra, Corps of Engineers, P. A., formerly Regimental Executive Officer, del Pilar Regiment.

LIST OF MEMBERS, DEL PILAR REGIMENTAL BAND

Name	Instr.	Rank	Period of Activity
1. Asis, Bienvenido de-Alto Sax	Mus.	2nd Class	August 1944-April 1945
2. Atienza, Julian -Tenor Sax	"	"	"
3. Ballester, Luis - Bb Cornet	"	"	"
4. Baltazar, Francisco-Eb Clar.	Band	Corporal	"
5. Baltazar, Gabriel-Bb Cornet	Band	Sergeant	"
6. Bernabe, Gabino-Bass Drum	Mus.	1st Class	"
7. Bernabe, Pedro -Bass Horn	"	"	"
8. Castro, Nicanor-Bb Cornet	Band	Corporal	"
9. Cruz, Juan de la-Eb Baritone	Mus.	1st Class	"
10. Cuartero, Pedro-Snare Drum	Mus.	3rd Class	"
11. Gonzales, Hermogenes-Trombone	Band	Corporal	"
12. Gonzales, Vicente-Eb Alto Horn	"	"	"
13. Nabong, Maximo-Bass Horn	"	"	"
14. Reyes, Eugenio-Bb Clarinet	"	" (DRum. Major)	"
15. Macario Reyes -Bb Clarinet	Mus.	2nd Class	"
16. ROSARIO, ALEJANDRO DEL	1st LT.	BAND LEADER	May, 1942
17. Rosario, Belticezar del-Cymb.	Mus.	3rd Class	"
18. Rosario, Ricardo del-Bb Clar.	"	"	"
19. Tan Juan, Bustaquio-Bb Cornet	"	"	"
20. Tayson, Alberto-Solo Clarinet	Band	Sergeant	"
21. Umali, Damaso-Solo Cornet	"	Corporal	"
22. Pacifico Carasig-Alto Sax Dr.	Mus.	3rd. Class	"
24. Jose Ramos -Asst. Investigator-Sergeant			

I hereby certify that the above is a true and correct list of the members of the Del Pilar Regimental Band and that their services with the said band are as stated above.

ALEJANDRO DEL ROSARIO
1st Lt., Uspif -Band
Leader

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