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SIGNAL CO, SPECIAL UNIT, BATAAN BD, ECLGA

NAME OF UNIT

TEOFILO SIOSON

UNIT COMMANDING OFFICER

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1. Complaints
  2. Investigating Officer's Notes
  3. FC letter dtd 18 Apr 47 w/TLR by Lt Jernills Jr
  4. Acknowledgment dtd 26 Sep 47 to Sioson's Request for Inclusion of 25 additional names dtd 12 Aug 47

REMARKS:



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: OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3: RADIO CITE  
OFFICER STAINED RECORD

G-3 File No. GSCP U 091 PI : Date: 25 Sept 47

SUBJECT: Reconsideration, Request for : Type of Communication  
FROM : Mr. Teofilo Sioson : Ltr

GROSS REFERENCES

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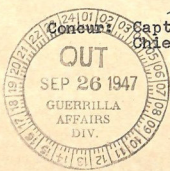
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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

Lt Col Wallace M Hanes:

Basic, ltr fr Mr. Teofilo Sioson to CG PHILRYCOM  
dtd 12 August 47, requesting inclusion of twenty five ad-  
ditional names on the roster of the Signal Company, BMD,  
ECLGA recognized in a strength of 227 men on 18 April 1947 by this Hq.  
*William D MacMillan*  
2nd Lt W D MacMillan



Concur: *E R Curtis*  
Capt E R Curtis  
Chief, Unit Branch

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PHILIPPINES-RYUKYUS COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

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APO 707

26 SEP 1947

Mr. Teofilo Sioson  
Balanga, Bataan  
Philippines

Dear Mr. Sioson:

This will acknowledge receipt of your letter dated 12 August 1947, requesting inclusion of twenty five additional names on the roster of the Signal Company, BMD, ECLGA.

The request for recognition of this unit in a strength of twenty seven men was favorably considered by this headquarters on 18 April 1947. The commanding officer was assigned the task of screening the roster of the unit to include those members whose activities made them most deserving of recognition. It is considered that this recognition constitutes just and adequate acknowledgement of services rendered by this unit, and your request is therefore not favorably considered.

The documents submitted with your letter of 12 August 1947 have been included with the unit file for record purposes.

Sincerely,

It Col Wallace M Hanes:

THOMAS J. BROWN  
CWO, USA  
ASST ADJ GEN

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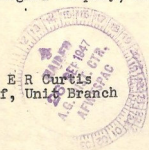
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Balanga, Bataan  
August 12, 1947.

SUBJECT: RECONSIDERATION, Request for

TO : Commanding General  
Fairycorn, Apo 707

1. Hereunder are the names and ranks of enlisted men or of the Signal Co., Bataan Military District, BOLGA, who were not carried in the recognized roster of said unit recently released by Fairycorn:

Capt. Jose P. Pascual-Mo	USAFB (from July 2, 1942 to Mar./44)
Sua Lt. Marcos Simpas	(from May 15, 1942 to Mar. 20/45)
2nd Lt. Damaso Santos	(from Mar. 11, 1944 to Mar. 30/45)
Enc. Alfredo Rivera	Alberto Sison
Pablo Joaquin	Tomás Yandoc
Jorge de Jesus	Agapito Pejardo
Iniego Tantiangco	Jose Soriano
Vicente Samaniego	Francisco Morales
Espiridion Royen	Miguel Santos
Bernabe Vicente Sna.	Osmando Sangalang
Carlos Canlas	Alejandro Yandoc
Francisco del Rosario	Salvador Lim
Jose S. Santos	Jose Vicente
Misao Lomco	Primitivo Quiamaco

2. Above-named persons are deserving and bonafide members of the Signal Co. Bataan Military District, BOLGA, who rendered full and part time service with said unit from their respective dates of induction and continuously to and including the date they were discharged.

3. As other members of the same outfit with similar nature and extent of service rendered as the above-listed persons, were carried in the recognized roster, reason and justice only requires that said persons be included in the same recognized roster.

4. In support hereof, following papers are herewith attached and made part hereof:

a. Certificate of Col. John P. Boone;

b. Chronological history of the Signal Co., on file with the records of the original request for recognition of said unit (by reference);

c. Rosters, and other pertinent papers of said unit also on file with the original request for recognition of said unit (by reference).

5. Therefore, request is hereby made that the names of the above-listed persons be included in the recognized roster of the Signal Co., Bataan Military District, BOLGA.

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*Scoble Diagram*  
THOMAS SISON  
Ex-CC, Signal Co.  
Bat MD, BOLGA.

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c/o Fleet Post Office  
San Francisco, California

25 July 1947

C E R T I F I C A T I O N

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

I, JOHN P. BOONE, Major Inf ASN 2027636 AUS (Res.) formerly the overall commander and organizer of the Bataan Military District (Boone's Guerrilla, ECLGA) do hereby certify the following to be true and correct to the best of my knowledge and belief:

That I personally know Messrs. Teofilo Sison, Adelle P. Leonzon, Delfin Lapid and Montano Balsalubre, Capt. Jose P. Pascual ASN-0-29899 USAFFE having met them in Sept. '48 in the fishpond of Teofilo Sison.

That Teofilo Sison assumed the "nomme de Guerre" of Capt. Raymundo Armas so much so that Teofilo Sison and Capt. Raymundo Armas are the same and only one person, and had served under my guerrilla command.

That Adelle P. Leonzon, Delfin Lapid, Montano Balsalubre, Capt. Jose P. Pascual and Teofilo Sison, command and guided by the latter served the resistance movement continuously since 1948 by aiding and supporting Americans and Filipino USAFFE stragglers whom they hid and maintained in the fishpond owned by Mr. Teofilo Sison.

That among the few Americans stragglers supported and maintained by them were Capt. Lester J. Chase, Lt. Robert Chapin, John Scott, Ernest Day and John Dice.

That since 15 May 1942 led by Teofilo Sison and helped by Messrs. Adelle P. Leonzon, Delfin Lapid, Montano Balsalubre and some other more formally organized the Signal corps, a guerrilla unit under my command which said unit had rendered valuable services to the cause of the underground movement. On 2 July 1942 Capt. Jose P. Pascual MC served as Medical officer of the said outfit.

That due to lack of contact and other material facilities inherent in a jungle life, the signal corps was not issued the official induction papers until Jan. 1944.

That the supplementary roster being submitted by Mr. Teofilo Sison, CO of the signal corps with the rank of EMT captain is true and correct and the unrecognized persons thereat are deserving in every respect.

The list below deserve to be recognized too:

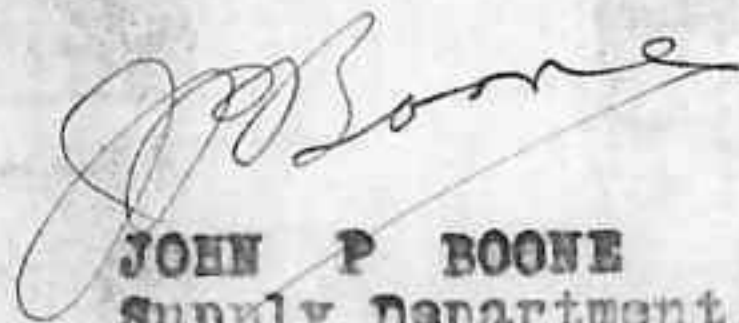
Capt. Jose P. Pascual - MC USAFFE  
2nd Lt. Marcos Simpa (who was planted as spy in the Grand P.C. Hqs.)  
2nd Lt. Damaso Santos (who joined the said unit on March 11, 1944)

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Rfc. Alfredo Rivera  
Pablo Joaquin  
Jorge de Jesus  
Iniego Tantiango  
Vicente Samaniego  
Espiridion Reyes  
Bernabe Vicente 2nd  
Carlos Canlas  
Francisco del Rosario  
Jose S. Santos  
Eliseo Lembo

Alberto Sison  
Tomas Yandoc  
Agapito Fajardo  
Jos - Soriano  
Francisco Morales  
Miguel Santos  
Osmundo Sangalang  
Alejandro Yandoc  
Salvador Lim  
Jose Vicente  
Pacifico Quiambao



**JOHN P BOONE**  
Supply Department, Proc. Division  
Former, Overall Commander, Bat MD  
(Boone's Guerrilla, ECLGA)

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HISTORY OF THE SIGNAL COMPANY  
BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT

ORGANIZATION:

The Signal Company of the Bataan Military District started from a group of inhabitants from Hermosa, Bataan, under the leadership of Captain Teofilo Sioson.

This group, composed of members who by heart disliked the Nippon invaders, immediately after the collapse of the last Fil-American lines of defenses in Bataan and Corregidor, began gathering arms from the hills and mountain fastness of this province which were the scenes of the last conflict, and started a sort of sabotage work by encouraging the civilians to steal and destroy gasoline, oil, and other war supplies of the Japanese at Orani, Tapulao, and Gulis.

With early success in this line of activity, the organization was joined by other inhabitants who felt upon their shoulders the heavy burden of the Japanese rule characterized by oppression, barbarism and atrocities. Later on others were attracted to membership thereof in order to ward off the civilians from the cruelties of the local officials of the Japanese sponsored government, and to curb out the abuses committed by dissident elements preying upon the weakness of the civilian population.

INCORPORATION TO THE BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT:

On or about September, 1943, Captain Teofilo Sioson, recognized leader and organizer of this unit, after a

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conference with Col. John P. Boone, overall commander of the Bataan Military District, and after the invitation of the latter, the Signal Company was formally incorporated into the Bataan Military District. Since then this unit became what is now known as the Signal Company, Bataan Military District, with Captain Teofilo Sioson as the CO.

ACTIVITIES:

1. Prior to Liberation:

As already stated above, as early as May, 1942, this unit did sabotage work, which it continued to do during the period of Japanese occupation in various forms, such as the destruction of Japanese lumber yards and supplies at Hermosa, Bataan, the concealment of food supplies, bull carts, and other materials to avoid them from falling into Japanese hands, the cutting of enemy communication lines and the destruction of log rafts of the Japanese intended for ship building.

To carry on anti-Japanese activities, men of this unit were intentionally planted into the Japanese sponsored government and other quasi military business enterprises in order to track down and spy their military activities. Information gathered by these men were transmitted to the Div. Hqrs.

As the headquarters of the Signal Company was situated in the fish-pond area of Hermosa, Bataan, a strategic point, it became the clearing station of men under the command of Col. Edgar Wright, to find their way to the PS camps a t mountains of this province with guides from this outfit. Also men from Maj. Ramsey, coming from the Sierra Madre Mts. Manila, and Mindoro, had to pass thru this unit's h e a d-

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quarters to get guides for Col. Boone's Div. Hqrs.

At the headquarters of the Signal Company, a radio station was maintained receiving short wave radiobroadcasts of war news and disseminating this information to the different units of the Bataan Military District thru the Div. Hqrs.

Repairs of all unserviceable arms of the whole district were done at the headquarters of this unit where a repair shop was then maintained.

Aside from the foregoing activities, this unit was also assigned by special agreement between Col. Wright and Col. Boone, to procure arms, ammunitions, food supplies and medicines for the PS units under the overall command of Col. Wright. Men of this command were also assigned to procure arms and ammunitions for the Div. Hqrs, which they did by picking from the mountains and hills and at times buying them from the civilians with funds of the company. So that on the later part of 1943, this unit was able to send to the Div. Hqrs, several pieces of arms and boxes of ammunitions, and also a radio set with generator and batteries for the Div. Hqrs. Food supplies and medicines were also sent periodically to the headquarters of Col. Boone.

2. During Liberation:

With the coming of the American liberation forces, the Signal Company was attached for duty with the 38th Div. US ARMY.

Valuable information about enemy position, movements, strength and activities were furnished to Capt. W. W. Walton, CO, "K" Co, 3d Bn, 149th Inf, 11th Corps, 38th Div, 6th ARMY.

In cooperation with allied units, the Signal Company furnished said outfits with guides and patrols. Helped them repair bridges, construct by-passes, pick up supplies dropped by allied transport planes, furnished them with bull carts to distribute supplies to other units especially before the opening of the Zig-Zag Road, and helped also in the construction of cub strips at Orani, Bataan, and other places. Men from this unit were assigned with the Alamo Scouts under Lt. Thompson to do patrol duties at the Pantingan Area. Col. Skeleton of the G-2 Section, 11th Corps picked up some men from this outfit to join in the operations at Orion and Limay as advance patrols.

This unit also participated in the mopping up operations at Hermosa, Bataan, and other places; had several encounters with the enemies wherein a big number of Jap stragglers were captured and about twenty (20) killed.

### 3. After Liberation:

The Signal Company was disbanded after the liberation of this province. Members thereof returned to their usual occupations and resumed normal living, thinking that they have done their part in the service of their country.

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Now, the survivors of the Signal Company, after those dark days of enemy occupation are over, are the most peaceful, law-abiding and civic spirited citizens of Hermosa, Bataan, upon whom the country could count upon as vanguards of her national peace, liberty, and security should the same be trampled upon by external aggression in the future.

Submitted by:

*Teofilo Sison*

TEOFILO SISON  
Captain, GFCP  
Ex-08, Signal Co  
Bataan MD

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SUPPLEMENT TO THE HISTORY OF THE  
SIGNAL COMPANY, BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT

BRIEF ACCOUNT OF ENCOUNTERS AGAINST THE ENEMIES:

1. PANGLABONG A BUSHCADE

Date: - - - - January 10, 1945  
Place: - - - - Panglabong, Feramosa, Bataan  
Under command: Lt. Delfin Lapid  
Names of Men: Agapito Lapid  
Iniego Tantiangeo  
Delfin Santos  
Hermogenes Samaniego  
Enemy Strength: Three (3) Japanese

Brief Account: On the early morning of January 10, 1945, while our men were on patrol duty at the vicinity of Panglabong, Feramosa, Bataan, they saw three (3) Japanese soldiers rawing a banca for the swamps. Immediately thereupon our men attacked the enemies.

Result: - - - All Japanese soldiers were killed, with no casualty on our part.

2. DAMPALIT ENCOUNTER:

Place: - - - - Church yard of Dampalit, Malabon, Rizal

Date: - - - - February 18, 1945

Leader of Unit: Sgt Jose Majarais  
Members of Unit: Jose Sison  
Anastasio Sagan

Enemy Strength: Five Hundred (500) Japanese soldiers more or less.

Brief Account: While our aforementioned men were at Malabon, Rizal on special mission, they saw a big force of Japanese soldiers approximately 20 in the Barrio of Dampalit but around 500 in the whole poblacion of Malabon. On their way to the house of Jose

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sions, they were fired at by the enemies and they returned fire. After the encounter our men found out that they killed 4 Japanese soldiers.

Result of the Encounter: 4 Japanese soldiers killed  
No casualties on our part.

3. RANGLABONG ENCOUNTER:

Place: - - - - Panglabong, Hermosa, Bataan  
Date - - - - - On the month of April, 1945  
Leader: - - - - Adelio Leonzon, Lieut.  
Members: - - - - Arendio Lapid  
Anastasio Sagun  
Ignacio Pefiaflor  
Melquiades Samaniego  
Account: - - - - While said soldiers were on patrol duty at Panglabong, they saw one Japanese inside one hut. They captured him.  
Result: - - - - One Japanese soldier captured.

4. ALMACEEN ENCOUNTER:

Place: Almaceen, Hermosa, Bataan  
Date: - - - - - About April, 1945  
Leader - - - - - Lt. Damaso Santos  
Members - - - - Ricardo Sison  
Alberto Sison  
Bernabe Vicente  
Eufrenio Valencia  
Account: - - - - While on guard duty, two Japanese stragglers threw a hand grenade at our men, but it missed. Our men fired at them killing them both.

5. ALMACEEN AMBUSHCADE:

Place - - - - - Almaceen, Hermosa, Bataan  
Date - - - - - Later part of April, 1945  
Leader - - - - - Marcial Sison, Sgt.  
Members - - - - Argel Basi  
Salvador Lim  
Elisao Lembo  
Alfredo Rivera  
Account: - - - - - As our men were on guard duty six Japanese soldiers were seen riding a banca. They fired at the Japanese

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killing them all.

6. CULIS ENCOUNTER:

Place: - - - Culis, Hermosa, Bataan  
Date: - - - May, 1945  
Leader: - - - Lt. Delfin Lapid  
Members: - - Daniel Sagan  
Ricardo Ibasco  
Pedro Delejos  
Pedro Ibasco  
Apolinario Salonga  
Account: - - On patrol duty, a boy reported to  
our men the presence of one Japanese  
in the middle of the meadow getting  
the boy's carabao. Our men immediately  
assaulted the Japanese killing him at  
that very instant.

7. TAPULAO AMBUSHCADE:

Place: - - - Tapulao, Orani, Bataan  
Date: - - - About the end of May, 1945  
Leader: - - - Montano Balsealubre, ~~Staff~~ Sgt.  
Members: # - Joss Yandos  
Guillermo Arellano  
Maximo Peralta  
Francisco Santos  
Felizardo Jaring  
Account: - - Having heard that at the fish pond  
area of Tapulao there were Japanese  
soldiers, our men raided said place,  
killing 4 Japs.

Submitted by:

*Teofilo Sison*  
TEOFILO SISON  
Captain, G F C P  
Ex-CO, Signal Co,  
Bataan MD

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PHILIPPINES-RYUKYUS COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3  
OFFICE RETAINED RECORD

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G-3 File No. GSCPU 091 PI

Date:

16 April 1947

SUBJECT: Recognition of Grla Unit  
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1st Lt Delfin Jaranilla Jr

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TO:

FOR:

## MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

Col. Gerald F. Lillard:

1. The Signal Co, Special Unit, Hq, Bataan Military District, ECLGA, consisting of 27 men, has been favorably considered for the period from 1 Jan 44 to 20 Mar 45. No members have previously been recognized. This is an initial investigation.

2. This unit fulfils the requirements of the five basic points for recognition. See attached Team Leader's Report.

3. No useful purpose will be accomplished by further investigation of this unit.

4. All worthy members have been recommended for recognition and no casualties were suffered by the unit.

5. The period of service for which recognition is recommended includes the full period of active service of the unit to the U. S. Army Forces and no further revision is contemplated nor warranted.

1st Lt Delfin Jaranilla Jr

1st Lt Hollis E Godwin

1. Concur: Major D. C. Murray *DCM*  
Chief, Revision of Dates Sec


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2. Concur: Major C. H. Wentzell  
Chief, Unit Inv Sec
  
  3. Concur: Lt Col S. J. Palos  
Chief, Unit Branch
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PHILIPPINES-RYUKYU COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

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18 APR 1947

SUBJECT: Recognition of Guerrilla Unit

TO : Chief of Staff  
Army of the Philippines  
Camp Murphy, Quezon City

1. The unit listed below is recognized by the Commanding General, Philippines-Ryukyus Command, as having been an authorized element of the Philippine Army, serving with the Armed Forces of the United States, from 1 January 1944 to 20 March 1945:

S\* COMPANY: Signal Co Strength

Signal Company, Headquarters, 37  
Batuan Military District

2. Under the provisions of Executive Order No. 21, by the President of the Commonwealth of the Philippines, dated 26 October 1944, the status of the members of this unit, during the period above specified, was that of officers and enlisted men of the Philippine Army.

3. Under the provisions of Executive Order No. 68, by the President of the Commonwealth of the Philippines, dated 26 September 1945, all officers and enlisted men of this unit, other than those who are members of the Regular Force or the Reserve Force of the Philippine Army, will be considered as having been discharged from the Philippine Army as of 20 March 1945.

4. The period of recognition listed in paragraph 1, above, constitutes the entire determined period of active military service of this unit with the Armed Forces of the United States and reflects final study on revision of recognition dates.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL

R. E. CANTRELL  
CAPTAIN, AGD

ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL

1 Incl:  
Roster of Unit (In Dup.)

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REPORT OF THE  
Col. Gerald P. Lillard:

OFFICIALS  
CYRIL W. VGD  
W. E. CYRIL WETT

1. The Signal Co, Special Unit, Hq, Bataan Military District, ECLGA, consisting of 27 men, has been favorably considered for the period from 1 Jan 44 to 20 Mar 45. No members have previously been recognized. This is an initial investigation.

2. This unit fulfills the requirements of the five basic points for recognition. See attached Team Leader's Report.

3. No useful purpose will be accomplished by further investigation of this unit.

4. All worthy members have been recommended for recognition and no casualties were suffered by the unit.

5. The period of service for which recognition is recommended includes the full period of active service of the unit to the U. S. Army Forces and no further revision is contemplated nor warranted.

1st Lt. Delfin Jaramilla Jr.  
1st Lt. Hollis B. Godwin

1. Concur; Major D. C. Murray  
Chief, Revision of Dates Sec

2. Concur; Major C. H. Wentzell  
Chief, Unit Inv Sec

3. Concur; Lt Col S. J. Pales  
Chief, Unit Branch

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UNIT FILE  
RECORDS

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Report on the "Signal Company, Bataan Military District, ECLGA"

1. Lts Delfin Jaranilla Jr and Hollis E Godwin, proceeded to Belanga, Bataan on 21 March 1947 to contact the "Signal Company, Bataan Military District, ECLGA".

2. ALLEGED HISTORY: (See attached Unit File)

3. FINDINGS:

a. The following named persons were interviewed and their statements together with the documentary evidence presented, form the basis for the findings:

Mej John P Boone .....	Overall CO, BMD, ECLGA
Col Andres Megano .....	Bataan Military District
Lt Col Anastacio Valencia .....	" " "
Mej Leocadio Nipas .....	" " "
Capt Teofilo Sioson .....	CO, Signal Company, BMD
Lt Delfin Lapid .....	Signal Company, BMD
Sgt Guillermo Arellano ...	" " "
Sgt Delfin Santos .....	" " "
Sgt Anastacio Sagun .....	" " "
Sgt Mercial Sioson .....	" " "
Sgt Hermogenes Samaniego .	" " "
Pfc Melquiades Samaniego .	" " "
Pfc Pablo Joaquin .....	" " "
Pfc Ignacio Pensaflor .....	" " "
Pfc Paulino David .....	" " "
Pvt Sotero Benitez .....	" " "
Pvt Eliseo Lombo .....	" " "
Pvt Mariano Dimalanta ....	" " "
M/Sgt Frank Bernacki .....	A U S
1st Lt Numeriano Quinday .	CO, 5th MFC Co., Bataan
Civilians in the area	

b. Record of service from 1 January 1944 to 20 March 1945 was substantiated by sufficient acceptable evidence. Special Orders appointing Raymundo Armas as Co Comdr., of the Signal Co, Special Unit, attached to District Headquarters, Bataan Military District, ECLGA, issued on 1 January 1944, were presented to the contact team, the original of which is attached hereto as Incl 1. Raymundo Armas is the non-de-guerre of Teofilo Sioson. Mej John P Boone, Overall Commander, Bataan Military District, certified that Teofilo Sioson and Raymundo Armas are one and the same person and is the commanding officer of Signal Company, BMD (Incl 31). Circulars, letters, special orders, memorandums and training directives from Headquarters, BMD, and other units of the Bataan Military District, dating from 1 January 1944 to 20 March 1945 were submitted to the contact team and are attached as Incls 1 to 29. These documents show the existence and operation of a signal company under the command of Teofilo Sioson, alias Raymundo Armas, disclose the nature of the service

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rendered and the fact that the unit was an integral part of the Bataan Military District. As may be seen from the distribution of copies of the orders, circulars and memorandums, either the name of the unit, i.e. of the Signal Company, or the name of the commanding officer, i.e. Teofilo Sioson or Raymundo Armas, appear. On 20 March 1945, General Orders No. 30, Headquarters, Bataan Military District, reverted into inactive status the Signal Company, thus establishing the terminating date for the existence of the organization.

c. Subject unit was maintained satisfactorily in the field in opposition to the enemy. Maj Lester J Chase, one of the seven Americans who were kept in hiding by the subject unit in the fishponds of Hermosa, certified that in May 1943, even prior to the unit's induction into the Bataan Military District, Teofilo Sioson had 40 members in his organization who were utilized as couriers by Headquarters, BMD, guides for members of guerrilla organizations other than those of the BMD, gathered arms and ammunition, radio spare parts and signal equipment, and furnished security guards for the area in which the Americans were kept hidden (Incl 30). Maj Chase was the executive officer of Lt Col Wright, who was the organizer of the Provisional Regiment, Philippine Scouts. The inclusion of either the Signal Company or its commanding officer as one of those to whom copies of orders, circulars and bulletins of Headquarters, BMD, were regularly distributed, is evidenced by the distribution shown on said orders, memorandums, circulars and bulletins (Incl 1-29). Mention is made of the Signal Company in letters addressed to Capt Teofilo Sioson, alias Armas, showing that Headquarters, BMD, had knowledge of the existence and operations in the field of the aforesaid unit. The unit was well armed, claiming to have possessed 40 firearms. The unit further furnished arms and ammunition to other guerrilla units (request for ammunition by Maj Chase (then Capt), Incl 19, and a certificate by Maj Boone (Signed Col), stating that Mr. Sioson gave to the BMD 3 BAR, 3 Cal 30 MG, 4 pistols, 8 rifles and unlimited ammunition, Incl 25). Verification of the records of the unit, however, disclosed that as per report dated 14 Dec 1944, by Capt Armas to the Chief of Staff, BMD, there was in the possession of the unit 1 Machine rifle, 10 Cal. 30 rifles and 800 rounds of ammunition, which, although much less than the claimed number still indicates a sizeable amount considering the strength of the unit.

d. Activities of the unit contributed materially to the eventual defeat of the enemy. The principal activity of the unit during the Japanese occupation were to furnish security guards for the Americans who were kept in hiding by the subject unit, furnishing of couriers for Hq BMD, espionage, furnishing of men for the dissemination of radio news (subject unit possessed the only radio receiver in the area prior to the receipt of the radio equipment sent by SWPA), the supplying of arms and ammunition to the BMD (see certificate of Maj Boone, Incl 25 and certificate of Maj Chase, Incl 19); and the furnishing of guides and safe-hand passage of itinerant guerrillas. Maj Chase attributed the success of the organization of the Provisional Regt, Philippine Scouts, to the fact that during November and December 1944 the Headquarters of the subject unit was used as stopping point for scouts who were on their way to Mt Pinatubo.

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Members of the subject unit acted as guides and the members of the unit who were installed as Municipal Policemen assured the passage of traveling guerrillas while in the area. Radios, radio spare parts, generators, even firearms were sent to the subject unit for repair or replacement of missing parts. Several such requests are attached as Incls to the reports (Incl 5, 7, 19 and 22). Sioson is an expert at radio repair, firearms, photography and mechanics. Subject unit cooperated with the U. S. Army units which liberated Bataan by furnishing guides and patrols, intelligence reports, repair of bridges, conducting their own ambushes and exterminated Japanese stragglers (see also Incl 31). Among the U. S. Army units to which the Signal Company claimed to have been attached were "K" Co., 3rd Bn., 149th Inf., under Capt W W Walton, a contingent of the Alamo Scouts under Lt Thompson which patrolled the Pantigan Area, and with Col Skeleton of G-2 section, 11th Corps, who picked men from the subject unit to act as advance patrol in Orion and Limay. Subject unit, however, was not able to secure attachment papers. Subject unit mopped up Japanese stragglers in the Hermosa fishpond area killing a total of 20 in four skirmishes.

e. A definite organization was established as evidenced by the orders and communications from headquarters BMD, addressed to either the subject unit or its commanding officer (Incl 1-29), by the fact that the unit from time to time furnished reports to Headquarters BMD as to its strength and the arms and equipment in its possession. Maj Chase, (who stayed with Sioson for 3 years) when interviewed by Lt Allen, scrutinized the roster presented by the subject unit and marked out the individuals whom he knew were members of the subject unit and recommended that the unit commander and 40 members be recognized (Incl 30). Maj Boone, when interviewed by Lts Jaranilla and Godwin, stated that he personally knew of two officers and 25 men as deserving of recognition stating, however, that he may have not known of the 15 others because he did not stay as long with the unit as Maj Chase. In a report dated 14 Dec 1944, Sioson listed the amount of equipment, arms and ammunition he had in his possession and listed 11 new members of the unit (Incl 12). In a roster submitted on 29 January 1945 (Incl 18), Sioson submitted 65 names and a list of the armed men of the unit dated 10 March 1945 disclosed 10 men armed with Cal 30 rifles.

f. Adequate records were maintained as shown by original copies of communications, orders, circulars and bulletins submitted to the contact team (Incl 1-29).

g. Number of officers and non-commissioned officers is not excessive and were reasonably proportionate to U. S. Army Tables of Organization. The unit claims to have a strength of 65 men of which 3 are officers, 9 sergeants and 12 corporals. However, after informing Teofilo Sioson that only 27 men, i.e. a strength of approximately two (2) rifle squads, could be considered for recognition, an adjusted roster conforming to the U. S. Army T/O was prepared which is submitted as the proposed official roster for the Signal Company, Special Unit, Bataan Military District. The rank of Teofilo Sioson and Adelio Leonzon

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as Capt and 1st Lt respectively are recommended in as much as they held such ranks from the date the unit was organized (see Incl 1, SO appointing Armas CO of Signal Company with rank of Capt, and Incls 18 and 28, Rosters dated 29 Jan 1945 and 10 March 1945). This was a special unit attached to Hq BMD, and the proposed ranks are not considered too high. Maj J P Boone recommended two officers and 25 EM for recognition (Incl 31).

h. Performance of the unit indicated adequate control by its leaders. Members did not desert to join other units nor were any lawless acts committed against the civilian population. Although several municipal policemen are in the roster, these men were undoubtedly loyal to the U. S. and the Commonwealth of the Philippines and were of invaluable assistance in the free and safe passage of guerrillas through the town of Hermosa and vicinity. Both Maj Chase, who had lived with the unit for almost three (3) years, and Maj Boone, who had intimate contact with the subject unit, vouchsafed for the loyalty of the 12 policemen in the roster. (see Incls 30 and 31).

i. Sphere of operations and unit strength claimed by the Signal Company, BMD, were commensurate with the nature of the terrain, limitation of communication facilities and the degree of anti-resistance activities of the Japanese in the area during the period concerned. Considering the fact that there were only 41 men (according to Maj Chase, 65 in the present roster claiming recognition) the accomplishments of the unit were outstanding, (see foregoing sub-paragraphs c, b, d, e, f, g).

j. Unit showed satisfactory continuity of activity and organization in that ever since its induction into the BMD, subject unit was never reorganized nor were its members disbanded until ordered to do so on 20 March 1945.

k. Members of the unit devoted their efforts to military activities in the field to the exclusion of normal civilian occupations. Most members hid in the fishpond area near Hermosa except when on couriers or guide missions, except those members who were in the town of Hermosa and detailed as intelligence operatives and safehand guides.

l. Maj J P Boone, overall commander, BMD, highly recommends the subject unit for recognition (see Incl 31). When queried by the contact team as to why subject unit had not been previously recognized, Maj Boone stated that subject unit did not comply with all combat orders issued by Hq, BMD, due to influence exerted by Col Edgar Wright, organizer, Provisional Regt, Philippine Scouts (FRPS) and Maj Lester P Chase, Ex O, FRPS, who were among the seven Americans kept in hiding by Teofilo Sioson. Col Wright, a Colonel even before the war, was also the military adviser of Maj J P Boone, who was a Cpl at the time of surrender of Bataan. Col Wright had been offered the command of BMD but declined as he had more faith in his plans for the FRPS. Whenever orders or instructions of Hq, BMD, and instructions from Col Wright conflicted, Sioson appeared to have

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accepted those of Col Wright. This incurred the displeasure of Boone who ordered inactivation of the unit on 20 March 1945 (Incl 29).

m. The period for which recognition is recommended, i.e. 1 Jan 1944 to 20 Mar 1945, includes the full period of active service of the subject unit, and no further revision is recommended.

n. No useful purpose will be served by further investigation of this unit. All worthy members are recommended for recognition and no casualties were sustained.

4. POLITICAL ASPECTS:

This unit does not appear to have any political affiliations or aspirations.

5. RECOMMENDATIONS:

It is recommended that the 27 members of Signal Company in the attached proposed official recognized roster of Signal Company, BMD, be recognized for the period from 1 Jan 1944 to 20 March 1945.

*Delfin Jaramilla, Jr.*  
DELFIN JARAMILLA JR  
1st Lt., FA (PA)

*Hollis E. Godwin*  
HOLLIS E GODWIN  
1st Lt., FA

32 Incls

Incls - 1 to 29 originals of orders, circulars, memorandums and communications to Signal Company, BMD or its CO.  
Incl - 30 certificate, Maj L S Chase AUS  
Incl - 31 certificate, Maj J P Boone  
Incl - 32 Roster, official adjusted.

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HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
EAST CENTRAL LUZON GUERRILLA AREA

SPECIAL ORDER

In The Field

1 Jan 44

1. RAYMUNDO ARMAS is hereby appointed Company Commander, of the Signal Company Special Unit, attached to the District HQ. with the rank of Captain -- G F C P.

By order of Capt. Boone

  
Antonio Trinidad  
Major G F C P.  
Chief of Staff

Incls 1  
S. J. J.  
R. Rep. Sig. Co. BMD

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Dear Bob - Arma has requested separate orders for  
order for him for B... and can't him... telling him  
to execute it... thing from him in that area...  
your advice. It is not advisable to leave any secrets...  
Merrill has given me definite orders to do other things. You  
are carried as part of his organization and absent, sick.  
I sent you atabrine pills for your fever. Col. Merrill has received  
3 rats and instructions from Gen. De... and is not  
participating in the 30th + Betan...  
You are here... there is plenty to be done here. We have...  
I got things going... If you have when you are  
tell him to come in to my place as we are ready for him  
and he has a... mission here. Let me hear from you  
as soon as you have enough medicine to cure your fever  
for four days. Love  
Merrill

P.S. Am sending this copy to command Armas receipt.  
If he denies to mark targets by the method  
he suggests, tell him to go ahead but not to  
let that keep him from performing the mission  
he has so long prepared for and has so  
long been asking permission to perform.  
Merrill

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R. Sig  
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Handwritten signature or initials, possibly "M. Johnson".

USAFFE, LUZON GUERRILLA ARMY FORCE  
1ST CENTRAL LUZON GUERRILLA AREA  
HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In The Field

29, Sept. 44  
*copy by Major General 1-9-45*

Subject ; Memo Concerning G-4 Preparations  
TO ; Division G-4 Regt'l Comdms;

1. It is very possible that our allies may drop arms and ammo, plus food supplies to our units here in Bataan. If in case this should happen, we must be prepared to receive and distribute these supplies. It is the duty of the G-4 under the guidance of the Regt'l C.O. to arrange unarmed members of our organization to be ready at any time to handle the receiving of such equipment and supplies. Our air bases are very near now in Palaw and Morotai Island. It is very easy to establish contacts with our force on those island by submarine if not by Radio and to arrange to receive supplies by airplane. I do not say that this will happen but we must be prepared to meet any situation. Get control over at least 100 unarmed men who will be prepared to handle this job.

2. Remember the unarmed who will be required when we mobilize. We need men to collect and prepare the new Palay as it is harvested in the field. You must collect many mortars and paste in Sapang-Balas so the unarmed men will be able to prepare the food for our armed men who are working against the enemy.

3. The collectors of the new Palay do not need to bother with issuing receipts when collecting the new Palay in the fields. It is only necessary for the Commanding Officer of the unarmed units which collect the Palay to keep the record of how much they get. Then it is the duty of the owner of the Palay to come to the GHQ, which will be already set up in Sapang-Balas and claim how much Palay was taken. The collector will approve the claim and the G-4 and assistant will issue proper receipts in the GHQ. Do you understand this matter?

4. These above are important---DO NOT WASTE TIME ---MAKE YOUR PREPARATIONS

CIRCULAR No. 2

1. Our bases air are very near now---in Palaw and Morotai island, perhaps our Parachute Troops will land at many places in the island when the time comes. In case this should happen, it is important that our guerrilla units help the Parachute Units to accomplish their mission. The G's should identify themselves to the P. Troops by means of their identification flags and report to the Commander of the P. Troops unit. Then the G unit can help the P. Troops do its job.

(SAMPLE)---Our troops may land in Lingayen Gulf. At the same time many Parachute Troops will be landed near Clark Field with the mission of capturing the air fields. The units in that area should join the P. Troops with flags to identify them and help the P. Troops capture the field. Under the Commander of the order of the P. Troops. At the same time, the Troops who landed from ships at Lingayen will advance in across the lowland to join the P. Troops and the G and help them to hold the air field. (This only an example of what may happen and not an expected happening. This is to give All G Commanders an explanation of what they must prepare themselves to do in case the P. Troops land in BATAAN.)

STAND BY ALERT AT ALL TIMES AND BE PREPARED TO DO YOUR JOB EFFICIENTLY.

DISTRIBUTION:

By order of Brevet Colonel Boone

CO 1st. Regt.  
Major Joe  
Lt. Col. Lumbre  
Major Valencia  
Capt. Roldan  
Capt. Malana  
Major Guivara  
Lt. Col. Abad  
Capt. Armas  
Capt. Navaro  
CO ~~2nd~~ Transport Bn.  
CO 3rd Regt.  
CO 4th Regt.  
Inspector General

*Antonio S. Trinidad*  
Antonio S. Trinidad  
Brevet Lt. Colonel G F C F  
Chief of Staff  
Bataan Military District

*Capt. Gaspar*  
*File*  
*Sub 4*  
*T.C.R. 3rd. CO.*  
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Capt Ames

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EAST CENTRAL LUZON GUERRILLA AREA  
HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In The Field

CIRCULAR NO.1

15 Sept., 44

1. No doubt, aerial combat will soon take place over Luzon. Often times during aerial fighting, planes are hit by enemy bullets in vital places which does not mean that the plane will be destroyed. Good pilots often land their planes with no engine power and neither the plane or the crew are harmed. All Guerilla units and individuals must be alert at all times when air fighting begins, so that they may be the first to reach the scene of a forced landing. Guerillas should help the crew members of the plane to remove all valuable equipments from that plane, first, and then take the crew members and equipments to the nearest Guerilla Headquarters. BE ALERT AT ALL TIMES FOR FORCES LANDINGS OF AMERICAN PLANES AND BE SURE TO ARRIVE AT THAT PLANE BEFORE THE ENEMY.

2. When our units begin the snipping and ambushing work against the enemy, we may often work very near the lines of our Allies. At that time, our units will need identification flags to prevent the allies from mistaking us for the Enemy. At this time, it is very important that all platoon Leaders make this identification flags to the flags must be more or less, a meter square. They will be composed of three equal stripes; the top stripe must be red, the middle stripe white and the bottom stripe blue. These flags must be made from clothes or rags as long as they are the correct colors. It should be the duty of our loyal women in the lowland to make these flags for the Platoon Leaders. DO NOT USE THESE FLAGS UNTIL WE BEGIN OUR ACTIONS AGAINST THE ENEMY BECAUSE THE ENEMY MAY COPY THE FLAG TO CONFUSE OUR ALLIES.

3. All Guerilla Officers of the B M D must take action at this time, against the robbers and looters, including those in our own ranks. Make sure no G Officers does does anything at the lowlands at this time, against the policies of Usaffe Guerillas. Remember that many men in the towns today have strong influence with the Commonwealth Government and many cases of robbery, murder, and looting will be investigated after the war. I will not be able to protect a robber, after the war and I could not even if I am able. Be sure to conduct yourself, especially during this few months of the war, according to the policies of this Headquarters.

4. BE ALERT AT ALL TIMES AND STAND BY FOR ORDERS FOR WE MAY BEGIN OUR FINAL JOB AT ANY DAY OR ANY HOUR. BEST WISHES TO ALL.

By order of Colonel John P Boone

Signed: *[Signature]*  
ANONIO S. TRINIDAD  
Brevet Lieut. Col. G.P.C.P.  
Chief of Staff

DISTRIBUTION  
Chief of Staff  
CO 1st Regt  
Major JOR Delancon  
Capt. Rivera  
" Roldan  
" Mallana  
" Navarro  
Major Belligan  
" Domingo  
" Laurio  
Inspector General  
Major Megano  
Major Angeles -3rd Regt

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23 October 44

My dear Mr. Sieson ,

Everything here is set up here things are doing well with the exception that we need some more batteries and tester. The things are draining the storage battery very fast. The hand generator you gave me could not be used.

For the cause Mr. Sieson kindly lend us your tester, gas engine charger, one battery, one fire soldering iron, with the lead and resin, and 15 meter magnet wire any gauge not smaller than no. 22.

We have to work fast, Sierra Madre has given us instruction to be on the alert. Time is the most important element now in our work.. Major Remain and his companions are here helping me.

Help us till it hurts for the cause. It is just a matter of few more weeks from now. Everything is going very fast in the Visayas. I shall inform you from time to time of whats happening for the safety of your family.

Regards and many thanks for everything you could spare for the cause.

P.S.J. Velasquez

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TLR Sig Co. BMD  
A. J. G.*


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HEADQUARTERS CHIEF ADVISER BAY SIDE  
In the Field

Subject: Request for Conference

8 Nov 44.

To : Capt. Armas  
CO, Signal Company, BMD.

1. The undersigned wish to confer with the C-O of the Signal Company regarding important matters to discuss.
2. I am expecting your presence at your earliest time possible.

  
VICTOR L. ASAD  
Brevet Lt-Col, G F C F  
Chief Adviser

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HEAD QUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the field

7 Nov 44

Subject : Letter  
To : C. O. Signal Company (Special Unit)  
Captain Armas

Dear Capt Armas;


The bearer of this letter is our Division Signal Officer whom you have met before. We are still having a great deal of trouble to make our transmitter function because the batteries received here were below required strength and our field generator is not strong enough to build them up to required strength.

I am turning this matter over to you and Capt Velasquez. I hope you can arrange details so we will receive strong batteries regularly or perhaps the charger on the bicycle frame you spoke of is finished. Please do your best to help us get our transmitter in working condition.

Also, the Signal Unit here needs some men here to operate our Pick up Message panel and other signal duties in this area. I hope you will permit Capt Velasquez, who is your immediate superior, to detach the required number of men from your Signal Company to serve here in this area.

Sorry you were not able to confer with our G-4 along with Mr Manalansan and others during the recent meeting. Perhaps you did not receive your invitation in time.

Best regards to all

  
JOHN P. BOONE  
Brevet Colonel-- G F C P  
Commanding

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P 28 T. L. R. Sig Co. BMD  
28 Nov 44*

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UNITED STATES PHILIPPINE ARMY FORCES  
BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
HEADQUARTERS CHIEF ADVISER BAY SIDE  
In the Field

MEMORANDUM:-

14. Nov. 44

To:- Regimental & Bn. Commanders  
Bay Side

1. Pursuant to instructions received from Hq. BMD in letter dated 6 Nov. 44, subject, Instruction on Demolition and Sabotage, sabotage units will be organized immediately for the purpose of hampering and harassing the enemy when ordered.
2. One platoon, consisting of one officer and three squads, will be formed in each municipality. Each squad will consist of one sergeant and nine men. The men should be picked for the following qualifications: intelligence, courage, loyalty, sense of responsibility, and obedience; preferably over twenty-five years of age, efficient and free of local prejudice or personal interest. Reg'tl Co's should confer to avoid duplication of effort and conflict in selection of personnel. Existing units may be used for sabotage through cooperation between Dist. Engineer officer and Reg'tl Co's. Men already inducted may be selected. Rosters will be prepared, the date of induction of the roster on which the men's names appear will be ~~xxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxxx~~ the date of induction of newly inducted men. Two copies of rosters will be made and forwarded to this Hq. The execution of the plans of each Platoon Leader (Municipal Eng. officer) will be initiated on the order of the Dist. Engineer - - let Lt. Inocencio.
3. Each sabotage Platoon Leader (Municipal Engineer officer) will prepare and submit detailed plans as described below to this Hq. for approval:
  - a. Demolition - Survey area assigned for objectives such as supply and ammunition dumps, bodegas, gas and oil stores, barracks and buildings, telephone and telegraph lines, roads which may be blocked by slides, benches, meter pools, docks, locomotives, etc. Bridges will be listed but under no circumstances will any bridge be destroyed except on orders of Dist. Eng.
  - b. Sabotage - General plans only, such as instructing civilians to hide horses, calesas, bancas, carabao's etc to prevent use by the enemy. List equipments used by Japanese with Philippine operators, and method of crippling when so ordered by Dist. Eng. Simple sabotage, such as removal of tools and vital parts of vehicles, may begin at once.
4. Each Municipal Engineer will submit his plan to this Hq. by Nov. 15. Each week thereafter beginning Nov. 22, a report will be submitted showing progress of work assigned and changes in original plan.
5. Enclosed form will be used as guide and plan will include sketch or map to show location of objectives.
6. Plans are without value unless carefully made and vigorously and effectively carried out. It is the responsibility of the Platoon Leader to be energetic in their preparation and execution and frequent inspections will be made by the District Engineer or his representative. In regards to preparation of plans, make them simple and effective rather than complicated and ineoperative.

By Order of Col. JOHN P. BOONE

VICTOR L. ABAD

Brevet Lt. Col. U. S. A.  
Chief Adviser

OFFICIAL:-

*Lester J. Chase*  
LESTER J. CHASE

Major - U.S.A. - A.C.A.B.S.

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Note

In the event you have already prepared Sabotage Unit in compliance with previous memo be advised that this memo supercedes all previous memo. Make every effort to change your organization to comply with this memo as soon as possible and report to this Hq. as soon as organization of Sabotage and Demolition Platoon is complete.

USSAFE LUZON GUERRILLA ARMY FORCES  
EAST CENTRAL LUZON GUERRILLA AREA  
BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT

HEADQUARTERS OF THE DIVISION SIGNAL OFFICER

Time 10:00 A M

22 Nov. 44

SUBJECT: Training Class, Signal Co.  
TO: Capt. Armas C.O. of the Signal Co. BMD ECLGA

1. As per instruction from the GHQ of the ECLGA, the Signal Company in this military district should have training in subjects as a special unit under the Special Staff Corps of the GHQ.
2. This Company after training shall handle all pertaining to signal communications and installations in this district, and not as a snipping company as Capt. Armas is at present ~~is~~ organizing. This Company shall be registered in the GHQ and in SWPA as Signal unit in this area.
3. If Capt. Armas shall not comply to this order the roster for that company shall not be forwarded to the GHQ and members of it shall be considered as not members per se under this command.

*R. Velasquez*  
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F.S.J. Velasquez  
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Capt, S.C ECLGA  
Div. Sig. Officer BMD

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USAFFE LUZON GUERRILLA ARMY FORCES  
EAST CENTRAL LUZON GUERRILLA AREA  
BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT

HEADQUARTERS OF THE DIVISION SIGNAL OFFICER

SPECIAL ORDER NO. 1

22 Nov. 44

Effective on the <sup>26</sup>22nd of this month a special training class for the Signal Company shall be held in the fishpond. The following subjects shall be taken up under the following instructors.

1. Military courtesy and discipline  
1 hr. a day MWF for 3 hrs. under Capt. P. Velasquez
2. Cryptography and how to handle messages  
1 hr. a day MWF for 5 hours under Capt. P. Velasquez
3. Signal Co. administration and procedure  
1 hr. a day MWF for 8 hrs. under Maj. A.H. Romaine and Capt. P. Velasquez.
4. Military correspondence  
1 hr. a day MWF for 2 hrs. under Capt, P. Velasquez
5. Radio telegraphy and procedure  
4 hrs. a day T THURS. SAT. for 216 hrs under Lt. O. Bernaldo and S. Sgt. G. Edmalino
6. Radio maintenance and constructions  
1 hr. a day T THURS. SAT. for 200 hrs. under Capt. Armas and Lt. O. Bernaldo
7. Marksmanship  
2hrs a day for 36hrs T THURS. SAT. under Capt. Velasquez
8. Weapons  
1 hr. a day for 10 hrs. T THURS SAT. under Col. J. Doome.

All members of the Signal Co. shall assemble in the designated place ready for classes.

By Order of the Commanding  
Officer BMD

*P. Velasquez*  
Capt. P. Velasquez  
Div. Sig. Officer BMD

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STAFF LUSON GUERRILLA ARMY FORCES  
GENERAL LUSON GUERRILLA ARMY  
HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the Field

30 Nov. 44

SUBJECT: LETTER  
TO : SIGNAL CORP

1. This is to inform your Command that you are hereby desired to submit a written report every week about conditions and situations of your men whom your are responsible with and the list of ammunitions and equipments you have in your possession.

2. Try to send this Office a very detailed one, showing the different types and kinds, and the Serial Numbers.

3. Strict compliance is desired.

4. Best regards to you and men.

F. *[Signature]*  
Gusaventura  
65 Major GFCF  
AC of S - BMD

By order of: Chief of Staff

*Received by Capt. [Signature]*  
*at 2:15 on 11th Dec. 1944*  
*by [Signature] Sec.*  
Capt. *[Signature]*

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Signal company,

Dec. 14, 1944.

To: The Chief of staff, B.M.B.

Subject: Letter

S i r:

In reply to your letter dated November 30, 1944, please be informed that we have an understanding with Col. Boons pertaining to our unit as an independent one and that our duty is to do what we deem best for the cause in general. We all know that our dead or deads will all be subjected to the examination of the Board of Inquiry which has already been established at Leyte.

In view of the above, our unit is excluded to weekly reports especially at this time when there are many spies going around which will only endanger both our unit and the General Headquarter. As to the list of equipment and ammunition in my possession are the following:

1- Win - 527056  
" - 536212  
1- Garand - 257122  
1- Garand - 216547

- 1- Machine rifle No. C-103825
- 1- Garand rifle No. 833080 -
- 1- Edystone rifle No. 135644
- 1- " " " 104311
- 1- " " " 100969 ←
- 1- " " " 752949 ←
- 800- Rounds of ammunitions

1- Winchester Rifle - 5270

New list of new members:

- |                       |                      |
|-----------------------|----------------------|
| 1. Francisco Morales  | 6. Pacifico Quiambao |
| 2. Anastacio Mallari  | 7. Epiridion Reyes   |
| 3. Maximino Peralta   | 8. Francisco Santos  |
| 4. Apolinario Salonga | 9. Mateo Gantang     |
| 5. Gavino Gantang     | 10. Miguel Santos    |
|                       | 11. Quirico Ledesma  |

Please send the necessary identification papers for the men listed above.

Very respectfully yours,

Capt. Armand

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11 Jan 45

Dear Armas;

The situation with regards to instructions from our people has changed. Definite, concrete, verified instructions have arrived. I have told Beene to pass them on to you. In view of your past services, you have been given great latitude. I expect great results because the lid is off now. I read Beene's instructions to you and agree with them exactly. The idea about disclosing objectives is not yet practical because of lack of direct communication with our aircraft. You now have exactly what you asked for in so far as it is practicable, you have plenty of arms and ammunition and men and there are Japs and things to be destroyed. I order you to go to work on them.

  
EDGAR WRIGHT

Lieutenant Colonel--USA.

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D. I. J.

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Capt. Gomez:

Jan. 10, 1945 ✓

May I request from that will you please send us here your messenger everyday or there in the H. Co. For sometimes I cannot send you at once your letter that was dropped, <sup>W<sup>t</sup></sup> cause our messenger here is always occupied. And I hope that you have received from the C. P. orders that we must have our own messenger all the time in mind.

P/s. you will send me back the delivery list filled up.

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Trans. Br.

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Thursday and Friday swarms of Mitchell bombers hit rail lines and rolling stock near Los Baños to Lucena and also to Ligaspi. They also destroyed a locomotive with 100 freight cars.

Tokyo says- The war situation in the Philippines is fraught with new dangers, since the new landing on Mindoro. Tokyo however does not admit the occupying of Marinduque by the Americans, or the landing in Burma by the British and the capture of AKYAB.

A convoy of 100 barges and another convoy were sighted near Lingayen gulf. Another convoy was steaming near Negros and another near Panay.

American hit Negros airdromes, Davao, and Zamboanga. Liberators also hit Palawan.

American troops have taken Marinduque Island. They landed Wednesday morning and the Island is completely in their hands.

83 tons of explosives were dropped on the Manado area in the Celebes.

Admiral Nimitz reports- American carrier borne forces attacked Formosa destroying 111 Jap aircraft and 17 vessels. American planes also ranged down 900 miles of the China coast destroying 97 planes and sinking 19 vessels. The 27 and 28 daily blows were delivered on Iwojima by four engine Liberators (B)24

American surface units shelled two Islands in the Bonins 500 miles

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From Tokyo. They shall... MI- MI and MI-NA islands.

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British carrier based planes carried out a successful attack against an oil refinery on Sumatra. They left it in flames. British planes shot down 7 Jap. planes and damaged others.

British and Indian swarmed ashore in their landing in Burma at the port of Kyab. Japs, who were using Kyab as main supply base evacuated before the British arrived- they only encountered bobby traps and mines.

It will be a shattering to the Japs if the Burma road is taken. British continue to consolidate their positions in Burma.

B-29's hit Japanese homeland on Saturday. Flying fortresses hit the Oaura steel works on Honshu. B-29's (70) flew from bases in China- hit Oaura river-rt factory 1400 miles from American base. One B-29 was lost. This was the 6th attack on Oaura and the 60 on the Jap island.

Americans made an amphibious landing on Frels Island in the Carolines. They only lost 7 men.

Heavy bombers dropped 93 tons on Palawan.

President Roosevelt in his annual message to congress said, "1940 can be the year of greatest achievement in history. Most important can and must be world peace. We intend to stand together with ALLIED NATIONS

"MIDWAY AND PHILIPPINES"

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USAFFE LUZON GUERRILLA ARMY FORCES  
WEST CENTRAL LUZON GUERRILLA ARMY  
HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the field

18 Dec 44

LETTER

TO ; C. O. Signal Company (Special Unit)  
Captain Armas

Dear Captain Armas;

A list of new enlistments in your Company plus a record of guns was properly received by this Hqs and your new men will receive Identification Cards thru Lt Col Trinidad very soon.

I was recently advised that you consider yourself an independent unit. If this is true, my District Signal Officer, Captain Velasquez, has neither advised nor informed you properly. I turned your Signal Company completely over to Captain Velasquez, since he is your immediate superior, and told him to carry on with your unit in compliance with orders and instruction received from GHQ, BOLGA. Perhaps there is still some misunderstanding between you and the Signal Officer.

I advise you to detach all unarmed men in your unit and send them to Signal Hill to serve as a security unit for our radio equipment. I advise you to send a unit of unarmed men along with the armed men to perform various duties on Signal Hill according to the orders of the Signal Officer. It would be very fine if you could arrange the security of your family and come there to Signal Hill, at least, once in a while to help the Signal Unit from a technical point, especially in the case of our Receivers. Captain Velasquez is well prepared to train all men, both armed and unarmed, who report to him and this arrangement would be exactly in accordance with regulations, which is the proper way your unit should function.

If it so happens that your armed men, possibly, Lt Chapin, are very much interested in either or both Sabotage work and Sniping and Ambushing work, your unit will be granted permission to carry on with such work at such a time as security etc., is no longer required on Signal Hill. In other words, when our forces have landed in Luzon and the Nips are so busy with defence maneuvers that our Staff men and Special Units no longer require security, then your armed men will be free to carry on. But, in the meantime, while they are undergoing some training on Signal Hill, they and their officers will be properly advised as to all details concerning Sabotage work, which is directly under the command of the District Engineer. They will learn how such actions are to be coordinated and synchronized by the Engineer and how utterly impossible it is for any unit to act as an independent unit. The same applies with Sniping and Ambushing. Your unit will be properly instructed and coordinated with one of the higher Combat unit Commanders.

Recent reports inform me that there are several guns including an air-cooled machine gun and others with ammunition which have not been declared to our Inspector General. Perhaps these weapons are not under your direct command but they are in your area and you must advise all those connected with you or close associated with you not to make the mistake of failing to declare those weapons.

Captain Velasquez is in GHQ at present. We hope for him to bring new equipment upon his return. Perhaps he will pass your place on the way. As soon as he returns, I hope you will be able to comply with the wishes of this letter.

Best regards to your officers and men

Sincerely

  
JOHN E. BOONE  
BREVET COLONEL GFCP  
COMMANDING

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Chief of Staff  
District Signal Officer  
Officer Concerned ✓

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Capt. Armas

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Capt. Armas, of  
H. Col. Trinidad

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LUZON GUERRILLA FORCES  
HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the field

10 Jan 45

SUBJECT: Instruction for Signal Company, BMD  
TO: C. O. Signal Company, Captain Armas

1. Your letter dated Jan. 7, 45 has been received at this Hqrs. Unpeachable information and instructions for this command have been received from the Hqrs. of the Liberation Forces in Luzon which are embodied in the following orders to your unit;

2.(a). You are familiar with the enemy situation in your sector which includes the entire municipality of Hermosa and your fish-pond area.

(b). Maintain contact with the other patriotic units in your sector and cooperate with them in your action against the Japanese.

3.(a). Assist in the assembly of the Philippine Scouts as you have in the past.

(b). Aid Lt San Jose in transporting his valuable cargo.

(c). Assist in expediting messengers to the Sierras and Manila as you have in the past.

(d). Harass the Japanese in their movements along the road and in the fish-pond by every means available, (combat, road blocks, etc.)

(e). Sabotage communications, wires trucks etc. every way possible in your area.


(f). Disseminate to the leaders in that area, the attached information, so that all people, whether organized or not, have an opportunity to carry out the instruction of GENERAL MCARTUR.

4. The manner in which you do this is up to you. You are intelligent, well-armed, supplied with ammunition and have the advice of a competent officer.

5. Supply and communication are up to you.

6. In view of your services in the past, you are hereby given the greatest latitude in the execution of this mission. No one with proper authority has ever contemplated disarming you. There is nothing to restrain you. There are plenty of objectives. As long as you are energetic and obtain results no orders are necessary.

7. In order to get the maximum results in sabotage and demolition you will send a representative to confer with our District Engineer Officer, Captain Vargas, at the Hqrs. of Lt Col. ABAD, at once---- without delay.

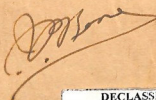
  
JERRY E. BOONE  
BRIEF COLONEL G F C P  
COMMANDING

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*It seems that the original order sent to you on 13 Jan 45, did not arrive. I am sending this copy just in case!!!*

*Incl 17  
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*A. J. Jr.*



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John A. Labuschmitt  
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SIGNAL COMPANY  
UNDER  
CAPTAIN TEOFILO SIOSON

PLATOON LEADER  
1st. Lieut. Adelio Lionzon

1st. Squad under Sgt. Delfin Lapid	2nd. Squad under Sgt. Montano Balsalubre	3rd Squad under Sgt. Marcial Sioson
1. Hermogenes Samaniego	1. Anastasio Sagun -	1. Argel Basi <i>Sgt. P.A.</i>
2. Delfin Santos	2. Pedro Dalejos <i>P.A. Policeman</i>	2. Gervasio Cagimbal
3. Pablo Joaquin - <i>Policeman</i>	3. Bernabe Vicente, 2nd. <i>P.A.</i>	3. Alejandro Yandoc
4. Pedro Ibascio <i>P.C.</i>	4. Guillermo Arellano <i>Sgt. P.A. P.C.</i>	4. Francisco del Rosario - <i>Policeman</i>
5. Agapito Lapid	5. <del>Daniel Sagun</del>	5. Salvador Lim <i>Policeman</i>
6. Bernabe Vicente -	6. Ignacio Peñaflor	6. <del>Jorge de Jesus</del>
7. Paulino David -	7. Ricardo Ibascio - <i>Policeman</i>	7. Jose S. Santos -
8. Isiigo Tantiangeo -	8. Osmundo Sangalang -	8. Alfredo Rivera -
9. Feliciano Jaring <i>Policeman</i>	9. Eufronio Valencia <i>P.A. P.C.</i>	9. Jose Vicente -
10. Jose Soriano - <i>P.O.T.C.</i>	10. Carlos Canlas - <i>clerk</i>	10. Eliseo Lombe -
11. Bernabe Vicente, 1st -	11. Arcadio Lapid -	11. Alberto Sioson -
12. Vicente Samaniego -	12. Jose Yandoc -	12. Agapito Fajardo -
13. Francisco Morales -	13. Anastasio Mallari -	13. Maximo Peralta -
14. Apolinario Salonga -	14. Gavino Gantang -	14. Pacifico Quiambao -
15. Espiridion Reyes - <i>P.A.</i>	15. Francisco Santos -	15. Mateo Gantang <i>P.A.</i>
16. Miguel Santos -	16. Rustico Jueves -	16. Quirico Ledesma <i>P.A.</i>
17. Eulalio Lozada -	17. Jose Majarreis <i>P.O.T.C.</i>	17. Pedro M. Nacional
18. Eustaquio Makatulad -	18. Melquiades Samaniego <i>P.C.</i>	18. Ricardo Sioson -
19.		19. Alfredo Rivera - <i>P.A.</i>
		20. Felix Gasario - <i>P.A.</i>
		21. Mariano Del Rosario -
		22. Arturo Olivares -
		23. Jose Sioson <i>P.A.</i>
		24. Benjamin Sioson

NOTE: THEY ARE ALL ACTIVE AND ON DUTY.

Submitted: January 29, 1945

*Raymundo Urmaso*

*Incl 18  
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D. J. Jr.*

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HEADQUARTERS  
PROVISIONAL REGIMENT PHILIPPINE SCOUTS  
Luzon, P.I.

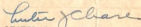
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23 January 1945

TO: Captain Armas

1. Request that you furnish to Lieut. Cherubin Basilio one hundred (100) rounds of cal. .30 ammunition, for the use of the men under his command.

By Order of Lt. Col. WRIGHT



LESTER J. CHASE  
Captain, Infantry, U.S.A.  
Adjt.

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USAFPA LUZON GUERRILLA ARMY FORCE  
EAST CENTRAL LUZON GUERRILLA AREA  
HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In The Field

SUBJECT : Letter

28 September, 1944

To Capt. ARMAS,  
of SIGNAL COMPANY

My dear Captain:

Inclosed herewith you will find a copy of Circular No.1 .  
Read and understand every order carefully so that you could explain said orders  
in such a manner that you were the one who ordered it. We should see to it  
that all instructions are followed and all soldiers be given proper instructions  
before all things and events happen.

I will also send you a radio and do some repairs in the battery .  
In case there is any part missing do some or supply some of the mechanisms needed.  
There are also bullets coming (caliber 12) and please do some means to make them  
fire. Regarding my flashlight which is also sent to you, kindly supply its  
battery.

With all my thanks in advance , I beg to remain

Yours for the asking.

*Antonio S. Trinidad*  
ANTONIO S. TRINIDAD

Brevet Lieut. Col. G. P. C. P.  
Chief of STAFF

*Incl 20  
TLR, sig Co, BMD  
D. F. Jr.*

30 Jan 44

My dear Capt. Armas:—

The bearers 2 of my  
bags are on an important  
mission to Manila.

Whatever help you  
may extend to them in  
way of facilities to  
expedite fulfillment  
of their mission will  
be very much appreciated.

I wish you GOODLUCK  
and success for the  
completion of our new  
order which I am  
sure you will  
receive —

J. O. Sanchez  
Lt. Col. (Inf)  
Capt. (Inf) (Offg)  
10 GMD

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P.S.

If it will not be  
too much for the asking  
p/s. try to secure (2) ✓  
cavans of palay for  
our boys in Manila  
which I am sure  
are having a very  
hard time by now  
due to shortage of  
food supplies and  
the exorbitant prices  
now existing there

Thanks again  
J. C. Sauer

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HEADQUARTERS  
BATAVIA MILITARY DISTRICT In the Field

SUBJECT:-

9 Feb. 45

TO : Capt. Arana  
Thru transport Co. Capt. Nipas

1. In view of the present war condition, about five of your storage batteries must be requisitioned.
2. Radio transmitter and receiver from NRI just arrived here, at headquarters which is practically operated by storage batteries.
3. The transport company will take care of transporting them to the G.P.
4. At the same time we will need also three of your Signal men to work on our radio station.
5. Hope you will send the batteries and Signal men at the least possible delay.
6. This matters were respectfully referred to the CO.

*Deaf B. Bernalde*  
Capt. B. Bernalde  
District Signal Officer

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*Capt. J. J. [unclear]*

HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the Field

MEMO; -

17 February 45

To : CO, 1st Regt; CO, 2nd Regt; Capt T. Sison

1. The 2nd Regt at HERMOSEA will move its Headquarters and all other units to ORANI before dark this date.

2. The 1st Regt will take over the security of HERMOSEA immediately.

3. For tactical purposes the armed unit of the Signal Co at LATI will coordinate with the unit of the 1st Regt that will be detailed at HERMOSEA.

By order of Colonel BOONE

*[Signature]*  
JOSE INGENCIO  
Svt Major, GFCP  
A C of S, 2 - 3

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Officers concerned-3  
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3. If for a substitute, how long she will be needed.

4. The salary for each position.

5. Transportation privileges from Manila to station.

Very respectfully,

*Rudencio Sanguan*

*Assistant Director*

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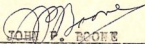
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USAFFE GUERRILLAS  
QUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the Field

Date February 27, 1945

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN:

THIS is to certify that CAPT. TROFILO BICSON is a member of the  
Rank & Name  
Guerrilla Forces of the Commonwealth of the Philippines, in the Bataan  
Military District. He belongs to SIGNAL COMPANY, SPL. UNIT.

  
JOHN P. BOONE  
Svt Col. GFCP  
Commanding  
P.M.D.

Profilo Bisson  
Signature of Bearer

Arm Serial Number 357122 (Garand)

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HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
Dinalupihan, Bataan

27

1 March 45

TO WHOM IT MAY CONCERN

1. As a token of appreciation for invaluable services rendered during three years of Jap occupation of the PHILIPPINES, Carbine rifle No. 474996 is hereby presented to MR TIOFILO SIOSON of HERMOSA, BATAAN.

2. In 1943 Mr Sioson procured and gave to Bataan Military District 3 Browing Automatic Rifles, 3 30 cal water cooled machine guns, 4 Army pistols, 8 Army rifles and an unlimited amount of ammunition. At the same time, he furnished a generator, batteries, repair equipment etc for the maintenance of the Guerrilla Signal Section. During the 3 years, Mr Sioson protected 5 Americans in his fish-pond property, fed them, clothed them and saw them safely returned to their homes when the American Forces returned in Feb, 1945.

3. Guns have been the hobby of Mr Sioson for many years and prior to the war he possessed many fine sporting weapons, all of which were properly licensed under the Commonwealth Government. He will see that this weapon is not misused.

  
JOHN P. BOONE  
Colonel, USAF  
Commanding

BMD

Incl 25  
AFTR  
A. G. J.

HEADQUARTERS OF SIGNAL COMPANY AT BAY SIDE  
 BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT.

ROSTER FORM OF THE ARMED OFFICERS AND MEN OF THE SIGNAL COMPANY.

SIGNAL COMPANY  
 Name of unit.

Date March 10, 1945.

Sison, Teofilo Captain Company Commander ( \_\_\_\_\_ )  
 Name Rank designation signature.

Name	Rank	DTCP	Designation	Firearm No. in possession.
<b>OFFICERS.</b>				
<u>Captain</u>				
<u>Sison, Teofilo</u>	Captain		Co.	Garand rifle No. 257122
<u>1st Lieutenant</u>				" " " 233080
<u>Leonson, Adelio</u>	1st Lieut.		Platoon Co.	
<u>2nd Lieutenant</u>				
<u>Lapid, Delfin</u>	2nd Lieut.		Squad Co.	Edystone rifle 100969
<u>Sergeants</u>				
<u>Alcalubre, Montano</u>	Staff Sgt.		" "	Winchester " No. 527056
<u>Sagan, Anataasio</u>	Trasp. "		" "	" " 536212
<u>Samaniego, Hermogenes</u>	Sergeant		" "	Edystone " " 752949
<u>Enlisted men</u>				
<u>Rivera, Alfredo</u>	PTC			Machine " " C-103822
<u>Sison, Joss</u>	"			Garand " " 216547
<u>Sison, Ricardo</u>	Private			Winchester " " 322998

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22 - April - *Ramos, Jorge*

ROSTER FORM OF THE ARMED OFFICERS AND MEN OF THE SIGNAL COMPANY

Date March 30, 1968

SIGNAL COMPANY  
Type of unit

Name	Grade	Branch	Company	Serial No.
Private	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1000
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1001
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1002
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1003
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1004
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1005
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1006
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1007
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1008
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1009
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1010
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1011
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1012
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1013
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1014
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1015
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1016
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1017
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1018
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1019
Signal	Private	Signal	Signal Co.	1020

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HEADQUARTERS 8th MILITARY DISTRICT  
DINAGUHAN, BATAVIA

GENERAL ORDERS }  
NO-----08 }

6 March 48

1. Effective March 10, 1948, all unarmed officers and enlisted men except those in the Regimental Staffs and Battalion Staffs (such as Co. Adjutant, Supply Officers and clerks) of the Guerrilla Forces in the Bataan Military District are hereby temporarily placed on inactive status.

2. This will in no way affect the incorporation of USAFFE officers and enlisted men and civilian guerrillas into the Guerrilla Garrisons, the Philippine National Police or the Philippine Army being organized.

3. A complete list (in Unit Roster form) of all armed officers and men will be prepared without delay and submitted to the Div Hq.

By order of Colonel BOONE

F. A. GUERRERO  
Bvt Lieut Col, GFCP  
Adjutant General

OFFICIAL:

F. A. GUERRERO  
Bvt Lieut Col, GFCP  
A C of S, G-1

Distributions:  
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at ng bawâ't taon. ADDITIONAL of each year. One or more installments, or the entire  
ng nalalabing halagâ ng bilihan ay maaaring bayaran kahit kanilán bago matapos ang takdang panahong  
balance of the purchase price, may be paid at any time before the expiration of the period  
dito'y nababanggit.  
herein fixed.

(b) Ang BUMIBILI ay tiyakang nagbibigay-alam na hindi na niya kaila'ng tumanggap pa ng  
Notice or demand for payment is hereby expressly  
babala ukol sa pagbabayad.  
waived by the Vendor.

(c) Anomang bahagi ng halagâ ng bilihan na hindi pa nababayaran ay patutubûan ng 4 sa isang  
Any unpaid balance of the purchase price shall bear interest of 4 per cent  
daan isang taon, at alinmang hulog na hindi mabayaran ay patutubûan din ng 4 sa isang daan sa  
per annum, and any unpaid installment shall bear an additional interest of 4 per cent  
isang taon, simulâ sa araw ng pagkukulang hanggang sa mabayaran.  
per annum from the date of delinquency until paid.

(d) Matapos mabayaran ng BUMIBILI ang bo'ong halagâ ng lupa na nasasabi sa itaas, pati ng mga  
Upon full payment of the purchase price abovementioned, together with the interest accruing thereon,  
tubô, ay gagawâ kapagkaraka ang NAGBIBILI ng kasulatan ng lubusang pagbibili sa ngalan ng Bust-  
the Vendor shall execute a definite and absolute deed of sale in favor  
BILI o ng mga hahalili sa kanya.  
of the Vendor heirs or assigns.

(e) Sakali't magkulang ang BUMIBILI sa pagbabayad ng tatlong (3) sunod-sunod na hulog, gaya  
Upon default of payment of three (3) consecutive quarterly installments, as  
ng nasasaad sa banghay 5(e) ng kasulatang ito, ay makukuha ng NAGBIBILI ang paghahawak ng lupa,  
provided in paragraph 5(e) hereof, the Vendor shall be authorized to take immediate possession of the land  
kasama ng mga mehora nito (bahay o tanim), at iukol ang magiging buñga, kung mayroon, sa ka-  
with all the improvements thereon and shall apply the fruits thereof, natural or civil, if any, to the defaulted payment and to the  
bayaran ng mga hulog na ipinagkukulang at sa mga iba pang mga hulog na dapat bayaran samant-  
payment of each other installments as may become due during the time the land remains in his possession, upon satisfaction of which the  
talang ang paghahawak ng lupa ay nasa kamay ng NAGBIBILI.  
possession shall be restored to the Vendor.

(f) Sakali't ang lupa'y hindi nagbubun'ga at hindi mabayaran ng BUMIBILI ang lahat ng kanyang  
When the land produces no fruits and upon failure of the Vendor to pay all his  
ipinagkukulang sa loob ng tanging na isang (1) taon simulâ sa araw na makuha ng NAGBIBILI ang  
amounts within a period of one (1) year from the date the Vendor has taken  
paghahawak ng lupa, sapat na ang gayon upang ang tinurang lupa'y maging malayâ at ang lahat ng  
possession thereof, said land shall become ipso facto vacant and all  
mga halagang nabayad ng BUMIBILI ay ipalagay na kaupahan lamang, at ipagbibili ng NAGBIBILI  
amounts paid by the Vendor shall be considered as payment of rent of the land, and the Vendor  
ang lupa ring \_\_\_\_\_ an isang hayagang pagbibili, ngunit \_\_\_\_\_ unang pagkakatagong makabili ang  
shall sell it at public \_\_\_\_\_ giving preference to home side residents  
mga tunay na maninirahan na hindi pa nagmamay-ari ng bakuran.  
who are not yet owners if any homestead in the municipality.

(g) Ang \_\_\_\_\_ ng nakatitipik sa buhâ \_\_\_\_\_ ng bumibili sa aralil niyang \_\_\_\_\_

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Capt. Armas

HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the field

6 Mar 45

MEMORANDUM:

TO : All Reg'tl COs & Special Unit CO's

1. There will be daily firing by the units of the 149th  
Inf in the following places and time:

- a. Two thousand (2000) yards west of CUPANG
- b. Four " (4000) " " TAPULAW
- c. From 0800 to 1200 and from 1300 to 1600

2. Advice your men and civilians in the vicinity of  
these places accordingly.

By order of Colonel BOONE:

JOSE INOCENCIO  
Lt Col, GFCP  
AC of S, G-3

Distribution:  
Officer concerned  
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REPUBLIC OF THE PHILIPPINES

RURAL PROGRESS ADMINISTRATION

(DUPLICATE)

# AN NG BILIHAN

(LEASE CONTRACT)

Tagapangasiwa ng Rural Progress Administration,  
Administration.

\_\_\_\_\_ nasa karampatang gulang, walang  
of legal age, \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ at naminirahan sa \_\_\_\_\_  
and resident of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ Block No. \_\_\_\_\_, sa munisipio ng \_\_\_\_\_  
in the municipality of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ at may sukat na \_\_\_\_\_  
with an area of \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ bawâ't isang metrong parisukat, na ang kabuñan ay \_\_\_\_\_  
of square meter or \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ nito (na hindi babadâ sa 10 sa isang \_\_\_\_\_  
of the sum of \_\_\_\_\_ as each payment on account thereof (which must be \_\_\_\_\_

bilang paunang bayad. Ang nalalabi ay babayaran sa \_\_\_\_\_  
to be paid in \_\_\_\_\_

sa loob ng tating na sampung (10) taon, na ang unang \_\_\_\_\_  
of payment of the first \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 19 \_\_\_\_\_ sa tanggaping pang-pook ng Rural Pro-  
at the local agency of the Rural Progress \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ musumod na hulog ay babayaran sa NAGBIBILI o sa kanyang \_\_\_\_\_  
to be paid to the Vendor or his duly authorized \_\_\_\_\_

araw ng mga buwan ng \_\_\_\_\_ APRIL \_\_\_\_\_

taon. Anomang hulog o bilang ng hulog o ang kabuñan \_\_\_\_\_  
two or more installments, or the entire \_\_\_\_\_

bayaran kahit kailán bago matapos ang takdang panahong \_\_\_\_\_  
at the expiration of the period \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ gay-alam na hindi na niya kailalang tumanggap pa ng \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ han na hindi pa nababayaran ay patatubuan ng 4 sa isang \_\_\_\_\_  
or interest of 4 per cent \_\_\_\_\_

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HEADQUARTERS BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT  
In the Field

20 March, 45

GENERAL ORDER )  
NO.....30 )

1. The personnel of the following units of BATAAN MD except ExUsaffe men, are hereby reverted to inactive status, effective this date;

- a. Medical Battalion
- b. Engineer Battalion (Combat)
- c. Engineer Battalion (Service)
- d. Signal Company (Lat.)

2. All officers and men of the above units must keep in close contact with their respective immediate superiors, so that they may be contacted at such time as the Philippine Government or the US Army shall issue final orders.

3. All ExUsaffe officers and men are to report to this Headquarters at Dinalupihan for reassignment.

4. All personnel hereby granted temporary leave of absence must make every efforts to find new gainful employments, thereby returning themselves and their families to normal life as quickly as possible.

5. All personnel being granted leave of absence must immediately turn in all weapons, ammunition and equipment to the Ordnance Officer at the Headquarters of the 6th Army who will issue a proper receipt for same. It was originally planned to allow all men on inactive status to keep their arms but since it now develops that many Guerrilla Units in the present fields of active operations badly need arms which cannot be supplied by the US Army, even though the G Units are fighting in conjunction with the American troops, we are therefore, calling in weapons and equipments of those on inactive status. Such weapons and equipments will be immediately forwarded to the 6th Army Hq to be sent to the Bicol and other areas now involved in actual fighting. All Guerrilla weapons and equipments will eventually go to the Philippine Army, including the weapons we are now collecting for Bicol and other operations.

6. No member of BATAAN MD need fear retaliation from rival G Units after weapons of those on inactive status are turned in because this Hq has had complete understanding with US Army officials regarding complete security from that danger which will be handled strictly by the US Army and its Special Units.

7. Paragraphs 4 and 5 are for strict and immediate compliance. Units after weapons of those on inactive status are turned in.

By order of Colonel BOONE:

F.R. GUERRENO  
Lieut. Col., GFCP  
Adjutant General

OFFICIAL:

*Jose Innocencio*  
JOSE INOCENCIO  
Lieut. Col., GFCP  
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*Sig Company*

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*Capt Lison*

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C E R T I F I C A T E

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*Lester J. Chase*  
LESTER J. CHASE  
Major, Inf  
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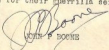
26 March, 1947

C E R T I F I C A T E

I, John P Boone, former Organizer and Commanding Officer of the  
Bataan Military District do hereby <sup>with</sup> the following to be true to the best of  
my knowledge and belief;

The Signal Company, BMD was officially organized on 1 Jan 1944 although many of its members had served the cause long before that date. During the Japanese occupation the Sig Company served as an intelligence unit, procurers of food and weapons, as courier contact with Manila, received and distributed radio propaganda from America at all times and hid and supported various American stragglers from the time of the surrender of Bataan till the liberation. During the liberation the Signal Company was never officially attached to the US Army although they operated independently with credit. The unit handled the mopping up in the fishpond area of Hermosa and helped in maintaining peace and order after the liberating forces had cleared their municipality. The unit performed security for the Hqrs Signal unit and furnished radio operators and technicians during the Bataan operation. The Signal Company was officially disbanded on 20 March 1946. Mr Tiofilo Sison was the commanding officer of the unit and with my permission used the non-de-guerre of Capt Raymundo Armas. During the occupation Capt Armas was authorized by me to plant as many of his men within the municipal government of Hermosa as he felt was necessary to maintain an effective spy system. I recommend a maximum of 2 officers and 25 enlisted men be recognized for their guerrilla services.

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2. J. P. B.



JOHN P BOONE



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## BATAAN MILITARY DISTRICT

Signal Company

Name of Unit

Date February 15, 1945

Sioson, Teofile Captain Company Commander ( )  
 Name Rank Designation Signature

Previous Mili- Rank Desig- Date of Date of  
 tary Rank GFCP nation Induct. Active Dty. Remarks

OFFICERSCaptain

Sioson, Teofile ✓  
 (Armas, Reynaldo) Captain Co. 1-1-44 1-1-44 Civilian

1st Lieut.

Liongzon, Aaelio ✓ 1st Lt. Platoon Co. " " Chief Of Police

2nd Lieut.

Lawid, Delfin 2nd Lt. Squad Co. " " Policeman

ENLISTEDSergeants

Basi, Argeline ✓ Sgt, PA Sergeant Squad Co. " " P.A.  
 Sioson, Marcial ✓ Tech Sgt " " Civilian  
 Balsalubre, Montano ✓ Staff Sgt " " Police Sgt  
 Majarreis, Jose ✓ Res Off 1st Sgt " " 45 Res Off  
 Sagun, Anastacio ✓ Trans Sgt " " Civilian  
 Jarang, Feliciano ✓ Mess Sgt " " Policeman  
 Samaniego, Hermogenes ✓ Sgt " " Policeman  
 Canlas, Carlos Sgt Clerk " " Clerk  
 Soriano, Jose ROTC Supply Sgt " " Res Off

Corporal

Santos, Delfin ✓ Corporal " " Policeman  
 Joaquin, Pablo PA Cpl Clerk " " Policeman  
 Belejos, Pedro PA Corporal " " Policeman  
 Reyes, Espiridion PA " " 44 P.A.  
 Vicente, Bernabe, 2nd PA PA " " Policeman  
 Arellano, Guillermo ✓ PA, Sgt " " P.C.  
 Valencia, Eufronio ✓ PA " " P.C.  
 Samaniego, Melquiades, ROTC " " Res Off  
 Cagimbal, Gervasio " " P.S.  
 Gantang, Mateo PA " " P.A.  
 Santiago Galvan 45  
 Ramon Agustin 44

Privates

Ledesma, Quirico PA PFC " " P.A.  
 Nacional, Pedro PS, Sgt " " P.S., Sgt  
 Gacerio, Felix PA " " P.A.  
 Sioson, Jose ✓ " " Civilian  
 Ibasco, Pedro PC " " P.C.  
 Lapid, Acapito ✓ " " Civilian  
 Yanoc, Alejandro ✓ " " Civilian  
 Rosario, Francisco del (dead) " " Policeman  
 Bevia, Paulino ✓ Private " " Civilian  
 Tantiangco, Iniego " " "  
 Vicente, Bernabe (1st) " " "  
 Morales, Francisco " " "  
 Balonga, Apolinario ✓ " " "  
 Santos, Miguel ✓ " " "  
 Lozada, Eulalio ✓ " " "

L.S.C.

Makatulad, Eustaquio ✓	"	"	"	"
Penafiler, Ignacio ✓	"	"	"	"
Ibasco, Ricardo ✓	"	"	"	Policeman
Sangalang, Osmundo	"	"	"	Civilian
Lepia, Arcadio ✓	"	"	"	"
Yanloc, Jose ✓	"	"	"	"
Mallari, Anastacio	"	"	"	"
Gantang, Gavino	"	"	"	"
Santos, Francisco	"	"	"	"
Jueves, Rustico	"	"	"	"
Lim Salvador	"	"	"	Policeman
Santos, Jose S.	"	"	"	Civilian
Sison, Alberto	"	"	"	"
Sison, Ricardo ✓	"	"	"	"
Rivera, Alfredo 45	"	"	"	"
Vicente, Jose	"	"	"	"
Lombo, Eliseo	"	"	"	"
Fajardo, Agapito	"	"	"	"
Peralta, Maximo ✓	"	"	"	"
Sison, Benjamin 45	"	"	"	"
Jaring, Marcial 45	"	"	"	"
Quiambao, Pacifico	"	"	"	"
Rosario, Mariano del 45	"	"	"	"
Olivares, Arturo 45	"	"	"	"
Victoriano Nicanor Sison 45	"	"	"	"

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May 1943

SIGNAL COMPANY  
UNDER  
CAPTAIN TEOFILO SIOSON  
- - -

PLATOON LEADER  
1st Lieut Adelle Lienzen

1st Squad under Sgt Belfin Lapid	:	2nd Squad under Sgt Montano Balsalubre	:	3rd Squad under Sgt Marcial Sioson
1. Hermogenes Samaniego	:	1. Anastacio Sagun	:	1. Argel Basi
2. Belfin Santes	:	2. Pedro Belejos	:	2. Gervasio Caginbal
3. Pablo Joaquin	:	3. Bernabe Vicente 2nd	:	3. Alejandro Yandoc
4. Pedro Ibasco	:	4. Guillermo Arellano	:	4. Francisco del Rosario
5. Agapito Lapid	:	5. Daniel Sagun ✓	:	5. Salvador Lim
6. Bernabe Vicente	:	6. Ignacio Penaflor	:	6. Jorge de Jesus
7. Paulino David	:	7. Ricardo Ibasco	:	7. Jose S. Santes
8. Iniego Tantiangco	:	8. Osmundo Snagalang	:	8. Alfredo Rivera
9. Feliciano Jaring	:	9. Eufrenio Valencia	:	9. Jose Vicente

OTHER MEMBERS

1. Supply Sgt Jose Soriano
2. Sgt Clerk Carlos Canlas
3. Private Eliseo Lombo
4. " Alberto Sison
5. " Ramon Agustin
6. " Arcadio Lapid
7. " Vicente Samaniego
8. " Jose Yandoc
9. " Agapito Fajardo

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CAPTAIN TEOFILO SIOSON

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9. Feliciano Jaring	9. Eufrenio Valencia	9. Jose Vicente
10. Jose Soriano	10. Carlos Canlas	10. Eliseo Lombo
11. Bernabe Vicente, 1st	11. Arcadio Lapid	11. Alberto Sison
12. Vicente Samaniego	12. Jose Yandoc	12. Agapito Fajardo
13. Francisco Morales	13. Anastacio Mallari	13. Maximo Peralta
14. Apolinario Salonga	14. Gavino Gantang	14. Pacifico Quiambao
15. Espiridion Reyes	15. Francisco Santos	15. Mateo Gantang
16. Miguel Santos	16. Rustico Jueves	16. Quirico Ledesma
17. Eulalio Lozada	17. Jose Majarreis	17. Pedro M. Nacional
18. Mastaquio Makatulad	18. Melquiades Samaniego	18. Ricardo Sioson

NOTE: THEY ARE ALL ACTIVE AND ON DUTY.

Submitted: January 29, 1945

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 Feb 45

Check list for Investigation Teams and Determination of  
 Guerrilla Units or Individuals for Recognition

1. Sinaloa BMD Bata - Hermosillo Bata  
 Name of Unit Location

(a) B.M.D.  
 Name of overall command

(b) John Brown  
 Name of overall commanding officer address

(c) Terence Simon Balsonga, Bata  
 Name of unit commanding officer address

(d) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Name of using unit

(e) 1st Bob Shaffer 1 Sept. 43 1 Jan. 44  
 Authority for organization of Unit. 1) date organized 2) date reorganized  
 \_\_\_\_\_  
 3) inactivated June 1946

(f) Strength in officers and EM 1942 — 1943 41  
1944 60 1945 60 1946 —

(g) Personnel lost: used for replacements to other units  
 : \_\_\_\_\_  
 because of dissatisfaction with units  
 : \_\_\_\_\_  
 because of inter-unit quarrels  
 : \_\_\_\_\_  
 Casualties (Unit)(Ind) dead wounded

(h) Personnel: \_\_\_\_\_  
 USAFFE No. officers EM  
 : \_\_\_\_\_  
 P.A. No. officers EM  
 : \_\_\_\_\_  
 P.S. No. officers EM  
 : \_\_\_\_\_  
4 off in 1944  
 Civilians No. officers EM

Personnel procure copies of any S.O., that may affect any of the personnel.

2. Equipment:

(a) Weapons available (type) 1942 \_\_\_\_\_ 1943 50  
1944 50 1945 50 1946 \_\_\_\_\_

How procured

gave 25 rifles to guerrillas during occupation  
3 machine guns

70 Americans - later Chas. Olden, Bob Shaeffer, Jimmy Dye  
Asmiton  
Scott, Scott & Ernest Day

3 Amer. died - Some stayed one year & Chas. stayed more  
than 2 years. Bob Shaeffer stayed there for one year -  
& guerrillas were staying at house during occupation  
Nearly whole unit was living within vicinity of  
fish pond -

Sec. meetings were held once a week - Amer. taught  
men to use fire arms & to drill -

Largest activity was to take logs from river and  
hide them in the fish pond. lumber was used  
by people for firewood -

Men were working for their living growing  
rice & foods -

- Fish pond is 3 kilometers from Namosa -  
Japs raided camp three times -

Had contact with Pover Kien; Kamayo was making -

- Men all supplied their own food -

Killed around 20 Japs during occupation

Men ~~stayed~~ in contact - Dolphin Lyein was recognized  
and Bro Angel Basi & Snow that joined Philippine Scouts

Adelio S. Seayon - held as collaborator  
for political gerdge. Many of police men during the  
occupation were guerrillas - Seayon was chief of police.  
No clits were given for food

Had first contact with Major & Loye  
in Jan 1941 -

Sent out news broadcasts they had received from the  
radio.

Sent food & arms to Colonel Wright. secured clits  
for food.

acted as contact men -

Japs patrolled area - sometimes 3 or 4 Japs



- (b) Transportation available Trucks \_\_\_\_\_ Motor Cars \_\_\_\_\_  
How procured purchase \_\_\_\_\_ confiscation \_\_\_\_\_  
capture \_\_\_\_\_ military necessity \_\_\_\_\_
- (c) Radios available for broadcasts ✓  
Radios available for reception one
- (d) Weapons still in hands of unit none
- (e) Weapons turned in by unit 17 to whom Guerrillas

3. Activities including type During occupation Liberation
- (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
(b) \_\_\_\_\_  
(c) \_\_\_\_\_  
(d) \_\_\_\_\_  
(e) \_\_\_\_\_  
(f) \_\_\_\_\_  
(g) \_\_\_\_\_  
(h) \_\_\_\_\_  
(i) \_\_\_\_\_  
(j) \_\_\_\_\_  
(additional papers can be added)

4. Accomplishments (chronological sequence)
- (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
Destruction of Phil. property (bridges) etc.
- (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
Destruction of Japanese
- (c) captured with 2 men who were killed in Field Pa  
Capture of Japanese property (including type)
- (d) \_\_\_\_\_  
Enemy casualties

5. Methods used to procure supplies in local areas.
- (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount purchased
- (b) \_\_\_\_\_  
Amount donated
- (c) \_\_\_\_\_  
Captured from Japanese
- (d) \_\_\_\_\_  
Landed from planes or other methods by U. S.
- (i) Type in all cases

6. Contact and Liaison maintained with other units. (friendly - otherwise)
- (a) \_\_\_\_\_  
Name of units \_\_\_\_\_ Locations \_\_\_\_\_



Date March 21, 1947

To be filled out by the Contact Team upon investigating the individual members

1. Name of individual being interviewed (Print) Geoffilo Lison  
Address Balaraga, Bataan
2. Name of unit being investigated. (Sqd, Platoon, Co, Bn, etc) \_\_\_\_\_  
Lignal Co. at Bay side
3. Location of unit Bay side, Hermosa, Bataan
4. What was your period of service with this unit? From June, 1945 to May 1945  
Were you a member of any other guerrilla organization? No  
Reason for break in service, if any Thinking our service is not needed
5. What was your highest rank? Company commander
6. What were your duties with the unit? commanding officer.
7. Who was your platoon leader? \_\_\_\_\_  
Who was your company commander? \_\_\_\_\_  
Who was your battalion commander? P. Velasquez.  
Who was your regimental commander? \_\_\_\_\_  
Who was your overall commander? John P. Boone
8. Where were your quarters while serving with the unit? at the fishpond in Abmaen, Hermosa, Bataan
9. How was your family cared for and supported while you wore a guerrilla?  
by fishpond product
10. How often did you visit your family and how long did you stay? 1  
was always with my family except on trip to Kdg.
11. While you were with the unit, in what activities did you engage? Sabotage, supply food & equipment to Kdg, helping the civilians during evacuation and hiding away from the Japanese. Ambushes and contact between the command and the new Kdg away from the guerra madre.
12. What activities other than purely military did you engage in while a guerrilla? fishpond operator -
13. Combat: (Most important) Location fishpond Date March, April 20  
Time \_\_\_\_\_ Against whom Japanese stragglers  
Strength of enemy 2, 3, 4, to 8 Number of weapons your unit had in this engagement 6, 8, to 12 Number of men with you in this engagement 20  
Casualties: Japanese 20 Your unit None
14. How many weapons did your unit have? 1942 40 1943 40 1944 40 1945 40  
How secured? collecting & buying  
Weapons on hand now? None Were any turned in? No To whom Kdg, and others given freely to other guerrilla members.

15. While with the unit were you armed? Yes Kind Machine Guns & Sazand  
 To whom did it belong? to me
16. How many men were in your unit? 1942 58 1943 58 1944 62 1945 63
17. Have you or any other member of this unit been officially recognized by the United States as a member of another guerrilla unit? Yes one, Delfin Lapid.  
 With what unit? Transport battalion
18. Period of recognition Jan. 1, 1944 Feb. 12, 1945  
 Were you ever paid? Yes How much? \_\_\_\_\_
19. From whom did your unit receive its orders? From Major Boone
20. Have you ever been employed by the Japanese Army; Japanese Navy; the Japanese controlled constabulary; the Japanese controlled civil government; any agency controlled by the Japanese during the occupation? No

IF ANSWER IS "YES"

- a. The name of the organization, agency, or firm for which you worked. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. The date you were employed and the date you were transferred, discharged, released, or quit \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Your duties while working for the above mentioned organization \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Amount paid \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Your reason for accepting employment \_\_\_\_\_
21. To what American unit were you attached, if any? 149 inf 3d division  
 From Manila To May 1945 Duties during this period of attachment as guide in the highland  
 Amount paid None  
 Certificate of attachment? None
22. Any further remarks about the unit? \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the statements made by me in the foregoing questionnaire are true to the best of my knowledge and given without fear or promise.

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(Signature of person interviewed)

Date \_\_\_\_\_

To be filled out by the Contact Team upon investigating the individual members

1. Name of individual being interviewed (Print) Regin Sagid  
Address Nermosa Bataan
2. Name of unit being investigated. (Sqd, Platu, Co, Bn, etc) Signal Co.  
B.M.D.
3. Location of unit Nermosa Bataan Bay Side
4. What was your period of service with this unit? From June 1/43 to Dec. 31/43  
Were you a member of any other guerrilla organization? Yes  
Reason for break in service, if any Transfer by Colonel John P. Bone
5. What was your highest rank? 2nd Lieutenant
6. What were your duties with the unit? Platoon Leader
7. Who was your platoon leader? \_\_\_\_\_  
Who was your company commander? Teopilo Sison  
Who was your battalion commander? \_\_\_\_\_  
Who was your regimental commander? \_\_\_\_\_  
Who was your overall commander? Colonel John P. Bone
8. Where were your quarters while serving with the unit? Nermosa Bay Side
9. How was your family cared for and supported while you were a guerrilla?  
We have piece of land, & the harvest is fifty-fifty share
10. How often did you visit your family and how long did you stay? Very  
often
11. While you were with the unit, in what activities did you engage? We go  
to Mariveles Bataan pick fire arms, detect the Japanese  
movement & report it to our Commandee
12. What activities other than purely military did you engage in while a guerrilla? \_\_\_\_\_
13. Combat: (Most important) Location \_\_\_\_\_ Date \_\_\_\_\_  
Time \_\_\_\_\_ Against whom \_\_\_\_\_  
Strength of enemy \_\_\_\_\_ Number of weapons your unit had in  
this engagement \_\_\_\_\_ Number of men with you in this engagement  
Casualties: Japanese \_\_\_\_\_ Your unit \_\_\_\_\_
14. How many weapons did your unit have? 1942 10 1943 10 1944 \_\_\_\_\_  
1945 \_\_\_\_\_ How secured? We pick them in Mariveles Mountain  
Weapons on hand now? None Were any turned in? \_\_\_\_\_ To whom \_\_\_\_\_

15. While with the unit were you armed? yes Kind Eddystone - 100,969  
 To whom did it belong? Signal Co. Special Unit
16. How many men were in your unit? 1942 30 1943 40 1944 \_\_\_\_\_ 1945 \_\_\_\_\_
17. Have you or any other member of this unit been officially recognized by the United States as a member of another guerrilla unit? Transport Bn.  
 With what unit? \_\_\_\_\_
18. Period of recognition \_\_\_\_\_  
 Were you ever paid? yes How much? \_\_\_\_\_
19. From whom did your unit receive its orders? From Colonel John P. Borne
20. Have you ever been employed by the Japanese Army; Japanese Navy; the Japanese controlled constabulary; the Japanese controlled civil government; any agency controlled by the Japanese during the occupation? \_\_\_\_\_  
 IF ANSWER IS "YES"
- a. The name of the organization, agency, or firm for which you worked. \_\_\_\_\_
- b. The date you were employed and the date you were transferred, discharged, released, or quit \_\_\_\_\_
- c. Your duties while working for the above mentioned organization \_\_\_\_\_
- d. Amount paid \_\_\_\_\_
- e. Your reason for accepting employment \_\_\_\_\_
21. To what American unit were you attached, if any? 38 Div. 139  
 From March 6, 1945 To \_\_\_\_\_ Duties during this period  
 of attachment bringing amm unit in sig sq  
 Amount paid \_\_\_\_\_  
 Certificate of attachment? \_\_\_\_\_
22. Any further remarks about the unit? \_\_\_\_\_

I certify that the statements made by me in the foregoing questionnaire are true to the best of my knowledge and given without fear or promise.

(Signature of person interviewed)

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see Sgt. 31st Inf 31st Div. <sup>CO Gen Wainwright in captured Apr. 9, 1942</sup> released July 30, 1942 concert. at Capang  
Tarlac.

<sup>age 27 - 2 yrs H.S.</sup>  
1st Sgt. Guillermo Arellano - Sig. Co. - Strength 56 - Arms 50  
Joined Sept 1, 1943 - Supporting guerrillas in mts, propaganda, &  
intell work. - Killed a few Japs latter part 1944 - During  
liberation he joined the <sup>Hqs</sup> M.P.C. 38 Div. CO Gen. - Chase.  
Helped supply American off & E.M. During 1944 & notified  
them of Jap raids - Claims he worked with 38 Div. for  
1 month. Apr. 10, 1945 ordered to report to replacement Dep.  
in Med. Corps. Hqs. Bataan Prison M.P.C. the Capt A. Cantano <sup>CO.</sup>

<sup>age 41</sup>  
1st Sgt. Montano Balsalobre - Strength 50 - Joined Sept 1, 1943  
Jan 1, 1944 company was absorbed into 3rd Mil. Det Bataan Prison  
Arms. 25 - Sabotage Helped our people to hide the rice crop  
from Japs who wanted to confiscate it, hid bull carts & mules  
from Japs using them for transporting ammo & food supplies to  
Tag Pass - Was guide for different guerrilla units in  
the area also guide for American soldiers - Not attached to Amer. Unit.

<sup>age 33</sup>  
1st Sgt. Delfin Santos - Sig Co. - Strength 50 Arms 25  
Company was organized by present CO Sept 1, 1943 - Jan 1, 1944  
absorbed into B.M.D. - Lived in Fish Ponds helped Americans  
that were hiding there - supplied them & Boone who was living  
in mts. Reported all Jap activities to CO & notified guerrillas in  
mts when Japs would raid. Acted as messenger from Fish Pond  
to Boone Hqs & Col Wright's Hqs in mts. Acted as guide for  
American off. in Mts.

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Claim to have worked with 28 Div 3841 Coy - Has no paper from same. unit.  
Worked from Feb to Apr. 5, 1945 - was paid by 28 Div Coy. for work  
rendered

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<sup>age 37</sup>  
<sup>mess 304</sup>  
Sgt <sup>6 yrs school</sup> Amastasio Sagon - Sig Co. - Capt Sison - Strength 56  
Arms 50 - Joined same story as above.

Sabotage work, intell & propoganda - Had receiver - Helped to  
evacuate town people on order of Col Boone. - Claimed to have  
killed 20 Japs & captured & turned them over to 30<sup>th</sup> Div. Claims  
papers from American off. commending the unit <sup>and</sup> with People's Court  
because of one of their men being tried for coll. Helped to  
sack <sup>the</sup> show to Boones Hqs in <sup>the</sup> Mt. Want to Mt. to let people  
to come back to town on order of <sup>the</sup> 30<sup>th</sup> Div.

<sup>Supply of</sup> <sup>age 34</sup> <sup>7 yrs H.S.</sup>  
Sgt. Marcial Sison - Sig. Co. - Strength 8 - Arms 7.  
Joined Sept 1, 1943 - Had rice mill in Heroness & was ordered by  
Col Boone to thrash all palay for guerrilla units - also supplied  
guerrillas with arms about 10 - Was ordered to destroy his rice mill  
on order of Col Boone & Col Wright, because the Japs were going to use  
the machines for saw mill - Helped to protect Americans in Fish Ponds.

<sup>age 21</sup>  
<sup>6 yrs school</sup>  
Pfc. Melquiades Samaniego - Sig. Co. - Capt Sison - Arms 25  
<sup>Col Boone</sup>  
Strength 50 - Sept., 1943 organized - Jan 15, 1944 into B.M.D.  
Was automatic rifleman during patrol of Fish Ponds captured 2 Japs  
turned them over to 30<sup>th</sup> Div VIII Corps. Had radio & received state side  
news reported the news to people & Boones Hqs in mts.  
Helped to hide rice & other food stuffs of civ. from Japs.  
Supplied Boones Hqs. with food



Filed as G-2 per unit - Was filed under before the year was  
quilled. Not attached to any American Unit

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age 22 - 3 yrs school

Pvt. <sup>age 22</sup> Felice Lomiles - Sig Co. - Capt. Sison - Strength 50  
Arms 25 - Joined Sept 1, 1943 - Was cook in unit also acted  
as nurse to the sick men in unit. Lived in Fish Ponds  
all the time.

Pfc. <sup>age 31</sup> Ignacio <sup>2 yrs school</sup> Penaflores - Sig Co. - Capt. Sison - Strength 50  
Arms 25 - Joined Sept 1, 1943 later the unit was inducted into  
Boones 8<sup>th</sup> B.M.D. - Destroyed Japs logs that was in river  
Complicated river. Claims to have packed food took messages &  
state side news to various guerrilla units in mts. also  
helped Americans in Fish Ponds - Supplied Arms & Amms to  
Boones Hqs. - was also a guide to those soldiers coming from  
Manila to Col Boones & Col Wright Hqs. Not attached to US units

Pfc. <sup>age 36</sup> Paulino David - Sig Co. - Capt. Sison - joined Sept 1, 1943  
Same story as other men in unit. Arms 20 - Strength 50  
Acted as G.S. in the town for his unit, reported all activities  
of Japs to Capt Sison <sup>packed</sup> supplies to guerrillas in mts. Carried  
out all orders of his officers such as messenger delivering radio news  
to Boones Hqs. Packed Arms & Amms to Hqs.

Pvt. <sup>age 44</sup> Mariano <sup>4 yrs school</sup> Demalanta - Sig Co. - Capt. Sison - Arms 25  
Strength 50 - Joined Sept 1, 1943 - was inducted same as other  
B.M.D.  
Helped people to hide the rice that Japs intended to confiscate, destroyed  
Jap timber which was in river awaiting shipment to Manila, logs  
being used by Japs in making boats.

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<sup>age 26 - 1 year school</sup>  
Sgt. Harmonious Samaniego - Sig Co. - Capt. Sison -  
Strength 115 - Arms 20 - Joined Sept. 19, 1943 - Worked in patrol  
captured 2 - Killed 20 Japs in Fish Pond. Supplied the guerrillas  
in Mts. helped in supply to force into camp and supplied  
Japs which was being handed to Big Top Pass.

Was supplied by com. requested all farmers to give guerrillas  
10% of all crops they raised, ordered by CO.

<sup>age 21 - 7 year school</sup>  
Pfc. Pablo Juaquin - Sig Co. - Capt. Sison - Strength 57  
Arms 25 - Joined Sept. 19, 1943 Same story as above -

Submarine, secretly helped com. Japs. captured Japs. sent  
messages to Buena Hgo. Supplied food to guerrillas in  
Mts. Worked in Fish Pond. Supplied himself.

<sup>age 41</sup>  
Pvt. Santos Benitez - Sig Co. Capt. Sison - Strength 115  
Arms 25 - Joined Sept. 19, 1943 Same story as above

supplied ammunition to guerrillas in Mts. Worked in  
Fish Pond, carried out all orders given to him by CO. Was guide  
for guerrilla. Supplied, took messages & radio wire to Buena Hgo.  
Wounded & killed, captured 1 Jap.

<sup>age 23</sup>  
Pfc. Anastasio Alingco - Sig Co. - Capt. Sison  
Strength 50 Arms 25 - Joined Sept. 19, 1943 Same story as above.  
Worked Fish Pond - Destroyed Jap property - notified guerrillas of Jap  
raids - packed supplies to mt. messengers & state wire to Buena  
Hgo. - confiscated Japs supplies & hid them in Fish Pond.

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