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HEADQUARTERS  
PHILIPPINES-RYUKYUS COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

GSCFU 091 PI

AFD 707  
26 NOV 1947

SUBJECT: Correction of Letter of Revision, Flor's Independent  
Provisional Battalion

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

1. Reference is made to letter, this headquarters,  
GSCFU 091 PI, dated 28 August 1947, to your headquarters,  
subject: "Revision of Recognition Date," a copy of which is  
enclosed herewith for your information.

2. Request that paragraph 4 of the subject letter which  
reads as follows be deleted in its entirety:

"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 26 September 1945 unless previ-  
ously or subsequently discharged."

This constitutes corrective action.

3. A study of the paragraph quoted above reveals that  
its inclusion in the letter of revision of Flor's Independent  
Provisional Battalion serves no useful purpose. Therefore,  
the action requested in paragraph 2, above, is necessary.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl  
True copy of letter of revision  
Flor's Independent Provisional  
Battalion

R. E. CANTRELL  
Captain, AGD  
Assistant Adjutant General

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 No. 2 : PHILIPPINES-RIKYUUS COMMAND :  
 : OFFICE OF THE ASSISTANT CHIEF OF STAFF, G-3 : RADIO CITE  
 : OFFICE RETAINED RECORD

G-3 File No. GSCP\_U\_091 PI : Date: 27 Aug 47

SUBJECT: Revision of Recognition date : Type of Communication  
 FROM : Maj Faustino M Flor : Ltr

GROSS REFERENCES

FOR ACTION BY: : SUSPENSE :  
 (File symbol only): : DATE : CONCURRENCES

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OFFICER TAKING ACTION (and initials):

1st Lt Charles L. Homewood *CLH*  
 Policy : Non-Policy: Recommending :  
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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

Lt Col Wallace M Hanes:

1. The Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion, consisting of 272 Off and EM, under the command of Maj Faustino M. Flor, recognized by letter Hq USAFFE dated 1 April 1945, has been favorably considered for revision of its present recognition date to 1 February 1945. The present effective date of recognition is 1 April 1945.

2. Prior to this unit's recognition date, portions of this unit fulfil the requirements of the five basic points for recognition. See attached report.

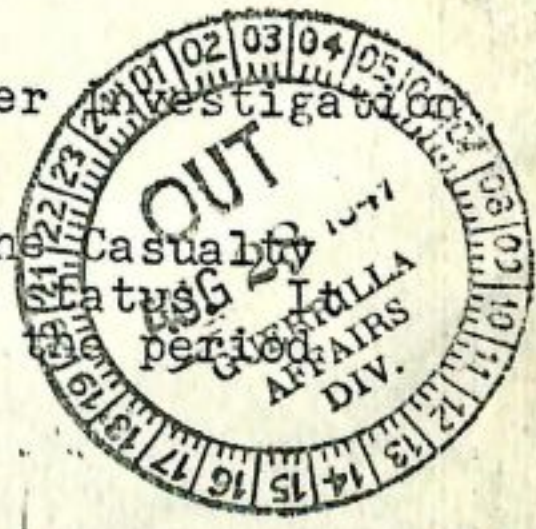
3. No useful purpose will be served by further of this unit.

4. A casualty roster has been submitted to the Casualty Section, Individual Branch, and it is in a pending status. It is recommended that the casualties incurred during the period of recognition be favorably considered.

*Charles L. Homewood*  
 1st Lt Charles L. Homewood

Concur: Capt R. C. Wilson *RCW*  
 Chief, Casualty Section

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HEADQUARTERS  
 PHILIPPINE-MARINE COMMAND  
 OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

GSCFU 091 PI /1792

APG 707  
 28 AUG 1947

**SUBJECT:** Revision of Recognition Date

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

1. The unit listed below is recognized by the Commanding General, Philippine-Marine Command, as having become an authorized element of the Philippine Army in the service of the Armed Forces of the United States on the date appearing in the column headed, "Revised Recognition Date".

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Present Recognition Date</u>	<u>Revised Recognition Date</u>
Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion	1 April 1945	1 February 1945

2. a. The strength of the Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion between the dates 1 February 1945 and 1 April 1945 is as follows:

<u>Date</u>	<u>OFF</u>	<u>EM</u>
1 February 1945	5	113

b. Casualties included and recognized in a separate casualty roster will be entitled to pay whether or not their names appear on original rosters of the Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion.

3. 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.

4. 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

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Reserve Force of the Philippine Army, will be considered as having been discharged from the Philippine Army as of 26 September 1945 unless previously or subsequently discharged.

5. This letter supersedes all previous communications relative to the recognition of the subject unit. It further constitutes the final determination of and action upon the period of official recognition of the Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl  
Unit Roster

Lt Col Wallace M Hanes:

R. E. CANTRELL  
CAPTAIN, AGD

ASSISTANT ADJUTANT GENERAL

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2. Prior to this unit's recognition date, portions of this unit fulfill the requirements of the five basic points for recognition. See attached report.

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

4. A casualty roster has been submitted to the Casualty Section, Individual Branch, and it is in a pending status. It is recommended that the casualties incurred during the period of recognition be favorably considered.

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1st Lt Charles L. Homewood

Concur: Capt R. C. Wilson  
Chief, Casualty Section

Concur: Maj D. O. Murray *DM*  
Chief, Unit Branch

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1. Paragraph 4, Letter of Revision of Recognition Date, dated 28 Aug 47, Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion, is quoted hereunder:

"4. 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 26 September 1945 unless previously or subsequently discharged." (Underscoring ours).

2. It is requested that the underscoring be clarified inasmuch as this Division does not, under this paragraph, contemplate granting entitlement to pay beyond 26 Sep 45 to all members of the aforementioned unit except members of the Regular Force or the Reserve Force of the Philippine Army.

J. R. GILBERT  
Lt Col AGD  
Director

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HEADQUARTERS  
PHILIPPINES-RYUKYUS COMMAND  
OFFICE OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL

26 Nov 47  
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GSCPU 091 PI

SUBJECT: Correction of Letter of Revision, Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion

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Army of the Philippines  
Camp Murphy, Quezon City

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This constitutes corrective action.

3. A study of the paragraph quoted above reveals that its inclusion in the letter of revision of Flor's Independent Provisional Battalion serves no useful purpose. Therefore, the action requested in paragraph 2, above, is necessary.

FOR THE COMMANDING GENERAL:

1 Incl  
True copy of letter of revision  
Flor's Independent Provisional  
Battalion

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FLOR INDEPENDENT PROVISIONAL BATTALION

Company of Most Deserving Members of Recognized Group:

Capt ..... Faustino M. Flor  
 1st Lieut ..... Solomon Adornado  
 2nd Lieut ..... Ramon Gregorio  
 2nd Lieut ..... Jackson Alparoc  
 3rd Lieut ..... Jesus Rabacal

Master Sergeant .... Julian Ballaran

1st Sergeant ..... Casia, Domingo

Sgts	Bernas, Mauro	Pyts	Adra, Blas
"	Cruz, Guillermo	"	Alagaban, Vicente
"	Barios, Rosalito	"	Banal, Sabas
"	Calleja, Potenciano	"	Benetiz, Jose
"	Templado, Dominador	"	Buenaventura, Federico
"	Brazal, Salvador	"	Anunuevo, Leon
"	Vargas, Lazaro	"	Azul, Jose
"	Vargas, Francisco	"	Ballaran, Francisco
"	Bidar, Elpidio	"	Barozo, Quilon
Cpl	Banares, Cristito	"	Belardo, Albino
"	Banzagales, Domingo	"	Casco, Teofisto
"	Domingo, Timoteo	"	Comot, Julian
"	Gregorio, Amado	"	Echaloce, Avelino
"	Mesillano, Beltran	"	Zorro, Venancio
"	Cirujales, Cristito	"	Alaorin, Imedio
"	Orendain, Nestor	"	Ballester, Bienvinido
"	Buevo, Salvador	"	Barreda, Marcelo
"	Garcia, Maximino	"	Beloso, Godofredo
Pfc	Cabredo, Ismael	"	Clet, Tomas
"	Gregorio, Domingo	"	Corda, Antonio
"	Servantes, Semeon	"	Napa, Orbacio
"	Balilo, Jeremias	"	Balingbing, Pablo
"	Nicol, Eugenio	"	Balute, Luis
"	Penalosa, Alfredo	"	Boton, Ismael
"	Barreda, Felimon	"	Bruzola, Juan
"	Bea, Eugenio	"	Cimarra, Eduardo
"	Baliccoco, Isabelo	"	Comot, Juan
"	Balines, Ireneo	"	Batalla, Vicente
"	Binaday, Antonio	"	Bedes, Antonio
"	Hibulan, Antonio	"	Derla, Fedil
"	Polero, Martiniano	"	Diamante, Juan
"	Torre, Carmelo	"	Enolva, Ernesto
"	Vargas, Reynaldo	"	Esquivel, Juan
"	Banico, Pedro	"	Esquivel, Lamberto
"	Bendana, Sabiniano	"	Esplana, Simeon
"	Bermundo, Agripino	"	Lorena, Gregorio
"	Bermundo, Julian	"	Manga, Salvador
"	Botina, Tiborcio	"	Olgina, Tito
"	Borlaza, Eutiquio	"	Verzosa, Cesar
"	Esplana, Agapito	"	Almario, Catalino
"	Hermosa, Cresencio	"	Baloso, Clodualde
"	Riosa, Santiago	"	Banastao, Timoteo
"	Trinidad, Herminigildo	"	Barbacena, Venancio
"	Pelo, Gumercindo	"	Barreda, Juan
		"	Barcenas, Paciano



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 " Condat, Leoncio  
 " Madrid, Jose  
 " Neptuno, Zocimo  
 " Ranada, Rosendo  
 " Torre, Francisco de la  
 " Felisis, Marcial  
 " Balila, Gregorio

Pvt Basaliote, Roberto  
 " Bocalig, Felix  
 " Bual, Catalino  
 " Chantes, Gregorio  
 " Evaller, Gregorio  
 " Mirandilla, Rufino  
 " Ordes, Crispulo  
 " Sto Domingo, Guadencio  
 " Ofemia, Alfredo  
 " Sutphim, William  
 " Balderama, Rosendo



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FAUSTINO M. FLOR  
 Major, Infantry  
 Commanding

CERTIFIED TRUE COPY:

*Charles L. Homewood*  
 CHARLES L. HOMEWOOD  
 1st Lt., CAC

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Company of Most Deserving Members of Recognized Groups

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- Capt ..... Faustino M. Flor ✓
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- Master Sergeant .... Julian Ballaran ✓
- 1st Sergeant ..... Casia, Domingo ✓

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1st Lt., CAV. *ca*

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