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AWARD OF THE BRONZE STAR MEDAL WITH "V" DEVICE

1. TC 320. The following AWARD is announced.

GREEN, RODNEY K STAFF SERGEANT Company A 1st Battalion  
(Airborne) 502d Infantry APO San Francisco 96383

Awarded: The Bronze Star Medal with "V" Device

Effective month: NA

Date action: 19 March 1969

Theater: Republic of Vietnam

Reason: For heroism in ground combat against a hostile force in the Republic of Vietnam on 19 March 1969. Sergeant Green distinguished himself while serving as a platoon sergeant in the Second Platoon of Company A, 1st Battalion, 502d Infantry, near the A Chau Valley, Thua Thien Province, Republic of Vietnam. As his platoon was moving along a narrow ridge, North Vietnamese soldiers entrenched in bunkers opened fire with small arms, automatic weapons, and rocket propelled grenades. After directing his platoon, Sergeant Green crawled through the intense enemy fire to carry ammunition to his men. After resupplying his platoon with ammunition, he continued to move through the enemy fire while assisting in the evacuation of the wounded. Sergeant Green's personal bravery and devotion to duty were in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service and reflect great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

Authority: By direction of the President of the United States under the provisions of Executive Order 11046.