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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
Headquarters 101st Airborne Division (Airmobile)  
APO San Francisco 96383

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AWARD OF THE SILVER STAR (FIRST OAK LEAF CLUSTER)

TC 439. The following AWARD is announced.

HILL, JAMES T  
LT 96383 IN

1LT 1542 Co A 2d Bn (Auhl) 502d Inf (WACQAO) APO

Awarded: The Silver Star (First Oak Leaf Cluster)

Date of service: 20 May 1970

Theater: Republic of Vietnam

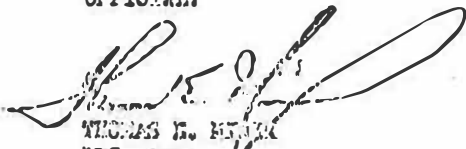
Authority: By direction of the President of the United States under the provisions of the Act of Congress approved 25 July 1963.

Reason: For gallantry in action in the Republic of Vietnam on 20 May 1970. Lieutenant Hill distinguished himself while serving as a platoon leader in Company E, 2d Battalion (Airmobile), 502d Infantry, during a reconnaissance mission near Fire Support Base Vephol, Republic of Vietnam. When the forward element of his platoon was ambushed by a well-outrenched enemy force, Lieutenant Hill immediately led an assault on the enemy bunkers, destroying one bunker as his platoon advanced on other enemy positions. Lieutenant Hill then called for and adjusted artillery on the remaining fortifications. His actions contributed greatly to the routing of the enemy force. Lieutenant Hill'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.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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HUGH A. MACDONALD  
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