

HEADQUARTERS
6TH BATTALION
2D BASIC TRAINING REGIMENT
THE UNITED STATES ARMY TRAINING CENTER, ENGINEER
FORT LEONARD WOOD, MISSOURI

10 October 1956

SUBJECT: Commendation

TO: Whom It May Concern

1. M/Sgt LESTER EDGAR, RA 38 506 482, Headquarters Company, 6th Battalion, 2d Basic Training Regiment, The USA Training Center, Engineer, Fort Leonard Wood, Missouri, has worked for and with me as Battalion Sergeant Major since 14 October 1954. During this entire period he has always performed his numerous duties in an outstanding manner, being a distinct credit to the Military Service.

2. During the period 10 May 1956 to 10 September 1956 while I was on Temporary Duty at the Adjutant General School, Fort Benjamin Harrison, Indiana, no Battalion Adjutant was assigned this organization. M/Sgt Edgar proved capable of carrying on smooth relationships with higher and lower echelons of command during this time.

3. During the two year period mentioned in paragraph 1 above, M/Sgt Edgar has constantly displayed outstanding qualities of leadership and soldierly bearing. He has always shown exceptional tact and ability to induce subordinate commanders to accept and place into effect recommendations and suggestions from this Headquarters.

4. I can state without qualification that M/Sgt Edgar has been the most outstanding Non-Commissioned Officer that I have had the privilege to work with. I would be pleased to have him serve with me in any capacity in any future assignment.

CLARENCE E. HASLEY
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Battalion Adjutant