



DEPARTMENT OF TRANSPORTATION  
UNITED STATES COAST GUARD

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28 April 1977

From: Commander, Eighth Coast Guard District  
To: Commanding Officer, USCG Base, Mobile, AL

Subj: ET1 Richard A. FINDLEY, USCG; award of the Air Force  
Outstanding Unit Award

Ref: (a) Art 127, Medals and Awards Manual CG 207-2  
(b) Art 136.2, Medals and Awards Manual CG 207-2

1. The following award elements are forwarded herewith for presentation.

AIR FORCE OUTSTANDING UNIT AWARD RIBBON BAR, AWARD CITATION

2. Please ensure that the following action is taken concerning this award.

a. Presentation should be made as soon as practicable in accordance with reference (a).


b. Acknowledge receipt of the award by signing the enclosed Document Receipt Form CG 9733 and return to this office.

c. Have the individual member sign the attached Receipt for Decoration Form and forward to COMDT (G-PS-5/62).

d. Submit FHTN release in accordance with Art 213 of CG 247.

e. Make appropriate service record entries in accordance with reference (b).

3. A copy of the citation has been placed in his official record in Headquarters.

  
C. F. DeWOLF  
Chief of Staff

Encl: (1) Citation & Ribbon Bar  
(2) Special Order GB 924  
(3) Receipt for Decoration  
(4) Document Receipt Form CG 9733

**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE  
WASHINGTON**

**SPECIAL ORDER  
GB- 924**

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The 15TH AIR BASE WING (PACAF) is awarded the Air Force Outstanding Unit Award for exceptionally meritorious achievement from 4 April 1975 to 3 September 1975. The assigned and attached component elements that will share in the award are:

HQ 15th Air Base Wing  
Detachment 1, 15th Air Base Wing  
Detachment 4, 15th Air Base Wing  
15th Air Base Squadron  
15th Avionics Maintenance Squadron  
15th Civil Engineering Squadron  
15th Field Maintenance Squadron  
15th Headquarters Squadron Section  
15th Organizational Maintenance Squadron  
15th Security Police Squadron  
15th Services Squadron  
15th Supply Squadron  
15th Transportation Squadron  
USAF Clinic, Hickam  
9th Airborne Command and Control Squadron  
22d Tactical Air Support Squadron  
656th Tactical Hospital  
657th Tactical Hospital  
US Coast Guard Loran Station Wake Island

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE



DAVID C. JONES, General, USAF  
Chief of Staff

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CITATION TO ACCOMPANY THE AWARD OF  
THE AIR FORCE OUTSTANDING UNIT AWARD  
TO THE  
15TH AIR BASE WING

The 15th Air Base Wing, Pacific Air Forces, distinguished itself by meritorious achievement from 4 April 1975 to 3 September 1975. During this period, personnel of the Wing initiated and implemented numerous management actions that resulted in the feeding, sheltering and moving of 93,987 orphans, refugees and evacuees from Southeast Asia to the Continental United States, out of a total of 130,000 refugees authorized by the Congress of the United States. The professionalism, dedication and competence demonstrated by the members of the 15th Air Base Wing are in keeping with the finest traditions of the military service and reflect the highest credit upon themselves and the United States Air Force.