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CIVIL AIR PATROL

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NATIONAL HEADQUARTERS  
WASHINGTON, FEBRUARY 27, 1943

Subject: Promotion of Coastal Patrol and Liaison Patrol Personnel

To: All Unit Commanders

1. When any member of Civil Air Patrol goes on duty with a CAP Coastal Patrol or Liaison Patrol unit, his rank and grade are determined by his duty assignment irrespective of his rank or grade prior to such active duty, all as set forth in GM-50, this Headquarters, July 20, 1942, Subject: Rank and Grade Designated for CAP Coastal Patrols, and in the Tables of Organization presented in paragraphs 4 and 5 of Operations Directive No. 32, this Headquarters, November 10, 1942, Subject: CAP Southern Liaison Patrol.

2. Effective March 1, 1943, any Civil Air Patrol member then or thereafter on Coastal Patrol or Liaison Patrol duty, and who has not previously been promoted one step in rank or grade above the rank or grade corresponding to his current active duty assignment as indicated in the foregoing references, will, upon completion of a total of six (6) months' service in said Coastal Patrol and/or Liaison Patrol duty in said rank or grade corresponding to his current active duty assignment, be eligible for consideration for a promotion of one step in rank and grade above that corresponding to his current active duty assignment.

3. Promotions within the non-commissioned officer grades will be made by the Base Commander. Promotions to or within the commissioned officer grades (Flight Officer and higher) will be made by National Headquarters. Coastal Patrol and Liaison Patrol Commanders will submit to National Headquarters with their Monthly Rosters the names, serial numbers, and current assignments of any personnel of their commands whom they have promoted to or within the non-commissioned officer grades as herein provided. Recommendations for promotions to or within the commissioned officer grades will be submitted to National Headquarters by Coastal Patrol and Liaison Patrol Commanders covering only such of their personnel meeting the requirements set forth in paragraph 2 above as are outstanding in the execution of their assignments and in their loyalty and devotion to duty. Each such recommendation will include the name, serial number, current active duty assignment with dates, resume of previous active duty assignments with dates, and detailed statement of facts justifying recommendation for promotion.

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