

Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, CORDS

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General Hoang Van Lac
Ministry of Revolutionary Development
Saigon

Dear General Lac:

I was most touched and pleased to receive recently the Revolutionary Development Medal conferred on me by you. Sometimes medals are given to U. S. personnel as a matter of protocol, because the individuals work routinely with a particular Ministry. In this case, since I do not work directly with MORD, it is clear that you feel I have contributed to the overall effort here in Vietnam over the years. Since I have the highest respect for your judgment, I naturally feel both complimented and honored. Very many thanks for your kindness and consideration.

With my best regards.

Sincerely,

OGDEN WILLIAMS
Chief, Chieu Hoi Division