

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
HEADQUARTERS 1ST CAVALRY DIVISION (AIRMOBILE)  
APO San Francisco 96490

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AWARD OF THE ARMY COMMENDATION MEDAL FOR HEROISM

TC 439. The following AWARD is announced.

GALLO, NICOLAS G. [REDACTED] SPECIALIST FOUR United States Army Company C,  
2d Battalion (Airmobile) 5th Cavalry

Awarded: Army Commendation Medal with "V" Device

Dates of Action: 19 June to 21 June 1970

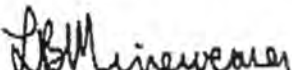
Theater: Republic of Vietnam

Authority: By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of  
Army Regulation 672-5-1.

Reason: Specialist Four Gallo distinguished himself by heroism in sustained combat operations against a hostile force in the Kingdom of Cambodia from 19 June to 21 June 1970. He pursued the enemy with aggressive military tactics, neutralizing and defeating him whenever contact could be made. His heroic and valiant actions were often characterized by unselfishly exposing himself to hostile fire under the adverse conditions inherent in a combat environment. He has contributed materially to the successful accomplishment of the United States' mission in the Kingdom of Cambodia. His display of personal bravery and devotion to duty is in keeping with the highest traditions of the military service, and reflects great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army.

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