918th Materiel Squadron 918th Troop Carrier Group, Assault (Reserve) UNITED STATES AIR FORCE Dobbins Air Force Base, Georgia

REPLY TO ATTN OF: MSQ

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Commissioning of Reserve Airman MSG Marion Thomas

TO: WDP-P

- 1. In accordance with the provisions of ConAC Letter 45-6, 15 September 1963, MSG Marion Thomas AF 14313143, is recommended for appointment as a Reserve Officer under the Fiscal Year 1964 Outstanding Reserve Airman Appointment Program.
- 2. MSG Thomas has actively participated in the Reserve Wing at Dobbins AFB since August 1954. During this period of time, he has contributed immeasurably to the continued progress of this organization. He has progressed from the grade of AlC to MSG and is presently assigned as a supply superintendent in the Management and Procedures Division of Base Supply.
- 3. I have had the opportunity to personally observe the performance of MSG Thomas during the past several years. He is mature in judgment and demonstrates excellent leadership qualities. He enjoys the respect of his superiors and subordinates alike. MSG Thomas is a resourceful and intelligent NCO. He is completely dependable and displays a high degree of initiative in the performance of his duties.
- 4. In addition to his assignment as supply superintendent, he has the added responsibility of serving as the NCO responsible for all supply on-the-job training. During the period he has been responsible for this function, the overall manning-by-skill-level in supply has shown significant improvement. This, in a large measure, has been the direct result of the efforts put forth by MSG Thomas.
- 5. MSG Thomas continually sets a high standard for himself and by example inspires those for whom he is responsible. He is of high moral character and has demonstrated that he would make a fine Air Force Reserve Officer. He has the potential for continued growth and development. If commissioned, he should develop through time into a fine senior officer.

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