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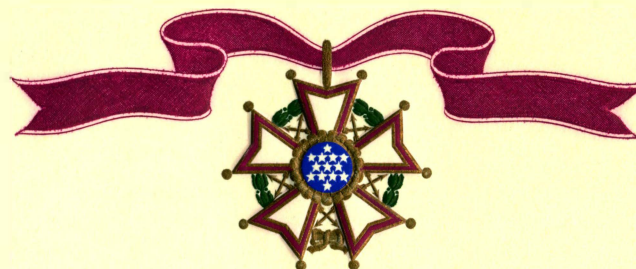
THE LEGION OF MERIT
(FIRST OAK LEAF CLUSTER)

TO

CHARLES E. YEAGER

Brigadier General Charles E. Yeager distinguished himself by exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding services to the United States as Defense Representative Pakistan, Department of State, Washington, District of Columbia, from January 1971 to January 1973. General Yeager has earned the respect and esteem of many of the senior officers in the Pakistan military establishment despite the deterioration in Pakistan-American relations brought about by the Indo-Pakistan War. His straightforward and impressively knowledgeable approach in dealing with the Pakistan military has enhanced the reputation of the United States military forces. He further helped the American image in Pakistan by giving highly successful lectures to international schools and United States sponsored activities. His personal efforts contributed significantly to the protection of United States national interests in South Asia. The singularly distinctive accomplishments of General Yeager reflect great credit upon himself and the United States Air Force.





THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA

TO ALL WHO SHALL SEE THESE PRESENTS, GREETING:

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT
THE PRESIDENT OF THE UNITED STATES OF AMERICA
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HAS AWARDED

THE LEGION OF MERIT (FIRST OAK LEAF CLUSTER)

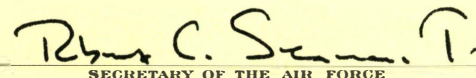
TO
BRIGADIER GENERAL CHARLES E. YEAGER
UNITED STATES AIR FORCE
FOR
EXCEPTIONALLY MERITORIOUS CONDUCT
IN THE PERFORMANCE OF OUTSTANDING SERVICES

JANUARY 1971 TO JANUARY 1973

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON
THIS 16th DAY OF MARCH 1973


CHIEF OF STAFF




SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE

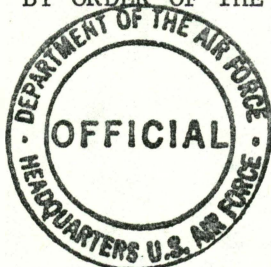
**DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR FORCE
WASHINGTON**

**SPECIAL ORDER
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20 March 1973

By direction of the President, BRIG GEN CHARLES E YEAGER, 233-30-4847, is awarded the Legion of Merit (First Oak Leaf Cluster) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service from Jan 71 to Jan 73.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE AIR FORCE



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