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I am the official custodian of the service record of the above-named enlisted person and the foregoing is a true extract copy of the entries therein relating to Time Lost under Sec 6(2), Appendix 2b, MCM, 1951 as contained in Section 6 of the above mentioned service record.

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EARL J. DAMATO, 1st Lt, AGC, Asst AS,

(Typed name, grade and official capacity of custodian)

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16 Feb 62

EVIDENCE OF NO PREVIOUS CONVICTIONS

HEADQUARTERS 101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION, FORT CAMPBELL, KENTUCKY, 24May62 (Date)

I certify that I am the official custodian of the Service Record of:

HENDRIX, J	JAMES M RA 19 693	532 Pvt E-2	Hq&CoA801MntBnSptGp
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and that said service record discloses no record of previous convictions by courts-martial during current enlistment, voluntary extension or enlistment appointment, or other engagement or obligation for service of enlisted man, and during the three years preceding the date of the offense now chargeed as defined by par 75b (2), Manual for Courts-Martial United States, 1951

FOR THE COMMANDER:

EARL J. DAMA

1st Lt, AGC

Asst AG

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Spears, James C	RA 44 033 659	S/Sgt E-6
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I HAVE BEEN INFORMED BY Capt Gilbert R Batchman , WHO STATED HE IS (a) XXXXX Commissioned Officer , OF THE UNITED STATES (Army) CONTINUE AN INVESTIGATION OF 208 Board Proceedings , Commissioned Officer , (Strike out words between brackets, if inapplicable).

I, James C. Spears, Plt Sgt of the Service, Supply, & Evacuation Plateon have known Pvt Hendrix for approximately 6 months. He has been in my platoon for approximately 3 months. This individual has shown very little interest in the Army, his personal equipment, and his area in the billets. He has also proven unsatisfactory on his job. Numerous attempts at counseling by his platoon leader, section leader, section chief and myself on his ability to become a better soldier have met with negative results. Pvt Hendrix has worked in the supply section as a warehouseman, for which he was school trained, and has done a very unsatisfactory job from the beginning. Pvt Hendrix fails to pay just debts. He owes a laundry bill of approximately \$80.00 and has made no effort whatsoever to pay it. When Pvt Hendrix was questioned by the 1st Sgt and myself concerning this matter, he said he had given the money to a bud dy in an infantry unit to pay this debt for him. It was later proven he had lied about this. To this date the laundry bill is still delinquent. This individual requires additional instructions and sometimes requires a supervisior to stay right on the job with him in order to get it done. Approximately 1 month ago, five other men in the billets were on detail in the billets with Pvt Hendrix. When he was found to be missing, Sp/4 Mattox and Pvt Stroble began to look for him and later found him in the latrine masturbating.

Pvt Hendrix plays a musical instrument in a band off duty and has let this interfere with his military duties in so much as missing bed check and not getting

enough sleep. He has no interest whatsoever in the Army.

With the counseling and supervision he has had, it is my opinion that Pvt Hendrix will never come up to the standards required of a soldier. I feel that the military service will benefit if he is discharged UP AR 635-208 as soon as possible.

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31 may 62

SUBJECT: Request for Discharge

TO: Commanding Officer
101st Airborne Support Group
101st Airborne Division

1. Recommend the following named enlisted man be:
X Discharged under authority contained in AR 635-208.
Discharged under authority contained in AR 635-209. HQ & Co "A", 801st Maint Br. Hendrix, James M RA 19 693 532 Pvt E-2 Spt GP, 101st Abn Div (Name) (SN) (Grade) (Organization)
2. Age <u>19</u>
3. Date of (*enlistment) (*sinduction) May 61
4. Term for which (*enlisted) (*inducted) 3 years
5. Prior service None
6. This enlisted man (**does*) (**does not) have a reserve commission or warrant. (If so, show service number, grade, and date of appointment).
7. Reasons for the action recommended: (General nondescriptive terms will be avoided) Behavior problems, requires excessive supervision while on duty, little regard for regulations, apprehended masturbating in platoon area while supposed to be on detail.
8. AFOT score: 511
9. Aptitude area scores: CO-A120; CO-B109; EL106; M117; MM 93; CL114; GT 109; RC121; IN ; AE .
10. Conduct rating Vns Efficiency rating Vns Duty MOS 760.07 PMOS 760.07
*Line out words not applicable.

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- 11. It is not considered feasible or appropriate to recommend elimination under the provisions of AR 635-209, or to effect other disposition because: The individuals behavior problems are not admendable to hospitalization and or counseling. Unit punishment has no effect on individual, repeatedly receives Art 15's for same offense.
 - 12. This enlisted man (xis) (*is not) under court martial charges.
 - 13. This enlisted man (*is) (*is not) serving sentence in the stockade.
- 14. This enlisted man (*is) (*is not) an alien enlisted under the act of 30 June 1950, as amended (10 USC App. 621c) (Lodge Act).
- 16. Characteristics (Include both good and bad). Requires excessive supervision, no regard for regulations and discipline. Apprehended masturbating. Poor character. No known good characteristics.
- 17. In comparison with the performance of other men in his unit, serviceman is: (Give example) One of the poorest.
- 18. Give opinion of serviceman's ability to get along with other soldiers, NCOs, and officers:

 Poor
- 19. The following additional evidence in support of this recommendation is attached in triplicate:
- a. Record of previous convictions by courts-martial during current enlistment.
 - b. Record of punishment under Article 15, UCMJ, 1951.
 - c. Report of psychiatric examiner and/or medical officer.
- d. Statements of supervisors, section chiefs, etc., to include summary of enlisted man's services.
- e. Statement required by paragraph (*7L, AR 635-208) (*6k, AR 635-209).
- f. Description of attempts made to rehabilitate the individual. (See paragraph 7e, AR 635-208).

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g. Other information pertinent to this case: Individual unable to conform to military rules and regulations. Misses bed check, sleeps while supposed to be working, unsatisfactory duty performance, requires excessive supervision at all times and was caught masturbating by two other members of his platoon. EM has been counseled by the undersigned at extreme lengths, by the 1st Sgt. Platoon Leader and Section Sergeant. Appears to be an extreme intravert. This man has the same type problems under two squad leaders. Performance of duty in the barracks and as a supply clerk is unsatisfactory under both supervisors.

20. Character and type of discharge recommended: Undesireable -DD Form 258a.

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1. Record of Previous Convictions

2. Record of Time Lost

3. Request of Physical and Psychiatric Examination

4. Unit Punishment Record

5. Certificate by Lt Williams

6. Statement by 1st Sgt Hoekstra

7. Statement by S/Sgt Spears

8. Statement by Sgt Bowman

9. Statement by Sp/5 Klepper

10. Statement by Sp/4 Mattex

11. Statement by Pvt Strobel

12. Statement by Pvt Hendrix

Summary Court Officer

HENDRIX, James M. lst Ind RA 19 693 532 (31 May 62) SUBJECT: Elimination UP AR 635-208

HEADQUARTERS SUPPORT GROUP, 101st Airborne Division, Ft Campbell, Ky 5 June 1962

- TO: Commanding General, 101st Abn Div & Ft Campbell, Ft Campbell, Ky ATTN: AJCAG-P
- 1. Pvt E-2 James M. Hendrix, Hq & Co A, 80lst Maint Bn, this group, was personally interviewed by me this date. This man has a record of unit punishment that results from his disregard for military authority and lack of motivation to perform his military duties. In my opinion, he is neither physically nor morally an asset to the service.
- 2. Recommend that subject EM be eliminated from the service prior to his normal ETS under the provisions of AR 635-208 and issued an Undesireable Discharge Certificate, DD Form 258A. EM has waived hearing by a board of officers.

12 Incl n/c FRANCIS J. MYERS JR Lt Col, Infantry Commanding AJEAG-P-A Hendrix, James M. RA 19 693 532 (31 May 62) SUBJECT: Request for Discharge

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HEADQUARTERS 101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION AND FORT CAMPBELL, Fortogampbell, Kentucky, 20 June 1962

TO: Commanding Officer, Support Group, 101st Airborne Division

- 1. Approved for discharge under the provisions of paragraph 3c, AR 635-209. (SPN 46A). Enlisted man will be furnished with a General Discharge Certificate (DD Form 257A).
- 2. This indorsement and paragraph 3c, AR 635-209, SPN 46A, will be entered in item 11c, of DD Form 214 as the reason and authority for discharge.
- 3. To preclude reentry into the Army unless authorized by The Adjutant General, "Paragraph 9, AR 601-210 applies" will be entered in item 32 of DD Form 214.
- 4. Approved request with supporting documents and individual's DA Form 201 will be disposed of in accordance with AR 640-10.

FOR THE COMMANDER:

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EUGENE G. HAHN GWO, W-2, USA Asst AG

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101st Airborne Division
Fort Campbell, Kentucky

C-E-R-T-I-F-I-C-A-T-E

1 June 1962

I, Lyndon D. Williams, 2d Lt, Section Leader of the Supply and Evacuation Section of this unit, make the following statement concerning Pvt James Hendrix:

Since his assignment to my section, Pvt Hendrix has shown a lack of interest and drive, and apparent inability to concentrate on an assigned task. Even the most simple instructions oftem must be repeated several times before the task is carried out. Constant supervision is necessary to obtain even barely satisfactory results from Pvt Hendrix.

In counseling Pvt Hendrix, his explanation is that he "has trouble keeping his mind on his work". In addition, Pvt Hendrix has had disciplinary measures taken repeatedly for failure to repair and for other minor offenses.

Because Pvt Hendrix has shown little improvement despite concentrated effort on the part of the platoon and company officers and NCO's, because the constant supervision that must be given him deprives other personnel and activities of needed attention, and because of the detrimental effect of his behavior on the morale and efficiency of the men of the section, I believe that Pvt Hendrix should be eliminated from the service.

Lyndon D. Williams

2d Lt Ord

Supply Officer

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