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Mr. Hamilton,

Thank you sincerely for your service in the United States Army Air Corps during the Second World War.

The New England Chapter of the 101st Airborne Division Association shared your story with me, and I was amazed at your bravery and sacrifice. Please accept this proclamation on our behalf, that recognizes your service as an Honorary Paratrooper of the 101st Airborne Division.

Your actions were indicative of the tenacity and never quit spirit shared by the members of the Screaming Eagles as you jumped from an aircraft in flight behind enemy lines, served with distinction under the most difficult of circumstances as a Prisoner of War, and conducted the long march to freedom while lacking any of the comforts of proper clothing or food. Your brave service as a member of the United States Army Air Corps is to be commended. Please accept my personal thanks for your service on behalf of the many Screaming Eagle soldiers and veterans around the world.

Respectfully,

Randal Underhill

Executive Director

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