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DA367343 FROM FRANK PACE JR SECRETARY OF THE ARMY ANSWERS TO THREE QUESTIONS CONTAINED YOUR LETTER 22 SEPTEMBER FOLLOW IN SEQUENCE; NO 1 AS A RESULT OF THE KOREAN SITUATION IN 1950, THE DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY REQUESTED ARMY COMMANDERS TO SURVEY ALL FORMER INSTALLATIONS IN THEIR AREAS, AND TO RECOMMEND THOSE THAT COULD BE EXPANDED FOR USE AS DIVISION TRAINING CAMPS IN THE EVENT OF EXTENDED HOSTILITIES. FORT HUACHUCA WAS ONE OF THE CAMPS CONSIDERED. HOWEVER, DUE TO THE FACT THAT AN URGENT NEED EXISTED AT THE TIME FOR THE TRAINING OF AVIATION ENGINEER UNITS, FORT HUACHUCA WAS REHABILITATED AND UTILIZED FOR THAT PURPOSE. NO. 2. IN MARCH 1952, ON THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE COMMANDING GENERAL, SIXTH ARMY, SOME TROOPS WERE DIVERTED AND SENT TO FORT ORD FOR EIGHT WEEKS BASIC TRAINING PRIOR TO JOINING THEIR UNITS AT FORT HUACHUCA. THIS WAS DONE BECAUSE THE UNITS AT FORT HUACHUCA AT THE TIME WERE NEWLY ACTIVATED AND NEEDED MORE TIME TO PREPARE FOR THE NEWLY INDUCTED PERSONNEL, AND, THEREFORE IT WAS BELIEVED THAT THE FILLERS COULD BE BETTER TRAINED AT FORT ORD. NO 3. THE NAME OF CAMP ORD WAS CHANGED TO FORT ORD BY WAR DEPT ORDERS ON AUGUST 15 1940, AT WHICH

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TIME FORT ORD BECAME A PERMANENT ARMY INSTALLATION. SINCE THAT TIME, IT HAS BEEN USED CONTINUOUSLY AS AN INFANTRY TRAINING CENTER. AT NO TIME HAS THE DEPT OF THE ARMY CHANGED THE REHABILITATION PROGRAM AT FORT HUACHUCA SO AS TO BENEFIT FORT ORD. PARA.

PLEASE BE ASSURED THAT THE DEPT OF THE ARMY FULLY RECOGNIZES THE SPLENDID FACILITIES AT FORT HUACHUCA AND THE IMPORTANT INVESTMENT WHICH THE GOVERNMENT HAS ALREADY MADE IN THAT INSTALLATION. IN CURRENT STUDIES UNDERWAY CONCERNING ARMY INSTALLATIONS IN THE UNITED STATES, THE DEPT OF THE ARMY IS GIVING MOST CAREFUL CONSIDERATION TO ALL FACTORS WHICH MAY HAVE A BEARING ON THE FUTURE USE OF FORT HUACHUCA=

SECRETARY OF THE ARMY WASHINGTON DC 1516552=

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