HEADQUARTERS INFANTRY REFLACIONENT TRAINING CENTUR CALL CRUFT, S. C.

July 22, 1941

Subject: Officer Candidate School.

TO : Commanding General, Fourth Corps Area, Atlanta, Ceorgia.

1. Reference War Department letter dated April 26, 1941, (AG 352) subject: "Officer Candidate School", it is recommended that paragraph 10 of the above cited letter be amended to permit enlisted mon with proper qualifications and previous training or professional experience to apply for the school in any arm or service for which they are best qualified, rather than limiting their applications to the arm or service in which they are serving at the date of application.

2. Several individuals at this Infantry Replacement Training Center posess professional qualifications which could be tetter utilized in other arms or services as commissioned officers than would be the case should they be authorized to attend the Infantry Candidate School.

5. Specifically, it is recommended that enlisted men be permitted to apply either for the school of the branch of current enlistment or induction or any other school for which he might be found to possess the necessary qualifications.

> O. W. GRISWOLD, Brig. Gen., U.S.A.