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Title: OLIVE REGINALD JAMES : Service Number - NX192469 : Date of birth - 31 Mar 1923 : Place of birth - GRAFTON NSW : Place of enlistment - IN THE FIELD QLD : Next of Kin - OLIVE WILLIAM

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ATTESTATION FORM.

FOR SPECIAL FORCES RAISED FOR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA OR ABROAD.

Army No. N 453 618
Surname OLIVE NY 192469
Other Names REGINALD JAMES
Unit 8 Aust Inf Bn (A.I.F.)
Enlisted for service at In the field (Place)
Queensland (State) 8 APR 1944 (Date)

A. Questions to be put to persons called out or presenting themselves for voluntary enlistment.

1. What is your name? OLIVE (BLOCK CAPITALS)
Other names REGINALD JAMES GRAFTON
2. Where were you born? in the State or country of NSW
3. Are you a natural born or a naturalized British Subject? If the latter, papers are to be produced Yes
4. What is your age and date of birth? 21 31 3 1923
5. What is your trade or occupation? Soldier
6. Are you married, single or widower? Single
7. Give details of previous Military Service
8. If now serving, give particulars
9. Who is your actual next of kin? (Order of relationship:—wife, eldest son, eldest daughter, father, mother, eldest brother, eldest sister, eldest half-brother, eldest half-sister.) William Olive, Port St Casimir NSW
10. What is your permanent address? as above
11. What is your religious denomination? (Answer optional.) C of E
12. Have you ever been convicted by a civil court? no
13. Have you any of the following Educational Qualifications? If so, which?
1. Certificate for Entry to Secondary School
2. Intermediate
3. Leaving
4. Leaving Honours
5. Technical
6. University Degrees
7. Other Diplomas

AF II NSW memo 71069. 20/4/44

I, Reginald James Olive do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true and that I am willing to serve in the Australian Military Forces within or beyond the limits of the Commonwealth.
Witnessed by [Signature] (Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer) R. J. Olive (Signature)

* The person will be warned that should he give false answers to any of these questions he will be liable to heavy penalties under the Defence Act.

B. MEDICAL EXAMINATION

I certify the above-named person to be fit for Class.
Temporarily unfit.
Unfit
Medically examined 25 Feb 1944 Classed fit A! [Signature]

C. OATH OF ENLISTMENT †

I, Reginald James Olive swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia until the cessation of the present time of war and twelve months thereafter or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed or removed, and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained, and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So Help Me God

Signature of Person Enlisted R. J. Olive
Subscribed at In the field in the State of Queensland
this 8th day of April 1944
Before me [Signature]
Signature of Attesting Officer

† Persons who object to take an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Defence Act. In such case the above form will be amended accordingly and initialed by the Attesting Officer.

PROCEEDINGS FOR DISCHARGE.

113 (CONCORD) MILITARY HOSPITAL

Discharge Authority: Colonel

Reason for Discharge: AMR & O 253A (1) (N.)

State in which discharge desired—Normally State in which member's home is situated: N.

Unit: 5455th Signal Coy (Cas) Army No. 4192464 Rank RFC

Other Names: REGINALD JAMES Surname OLIVE (Block Letters)

PART B—Personal details—compiled by Unit:

1. Home address: Shack 87, Casino NSW

Date commenced F.T.D.: 13/3/43 Date of Birth: 31/3/23

State whether:—

Married, single, divorced, widow or widower: Single

No. of Dependents in respect of whom dependant's allowance is being paid:—
Under 16 yrs. 16 yrs. & over:—

2. Present Description of Soldier:—

Age: 22 yrs. 6 months
Height: 5 ft. 8 ins. Eyes: Green
Complexion: Dark Hair: Black
Marks/Scars: None

Trade Group in which employed:—

3. Operational Service:—

(a) Overseas area of service: SUPRA
Embarked from Aust.: 19/5/44
Disembarked in Aust.: 9/4/45
At: 11/1/45
From: 20/6/45
To: 1/6/46

(b) N.T. (North of Par. 14 $\frac{1}{2}$ ° Sth.) or Torres St. Is.:—

Part B compiled by:—

Date: 8/10/46

(Officer's signature and rank)

PART C—Compiled by Ech. and Rec.:

4. Non-effective Service:*

TOTAL NON-EFFECTIVE SERVICE: 104

OUTSIDE AUST: 104

PART D—Compiled by Ech. & Rec.:

5. Details for Certificate of Discharge No. 213656

Unit (for discharge purposes): 8 AUSTINF BN

Served on continuous Full Time War Service in the CIVIL from 12/3/43 to 7/4/44

for a Total Effective Period* of 1261 days, which included AVF from 8/4/44 to 5/12/46

Active Service in Australia † 688 days and

Active Service O/S Australia † 673 days

Decorations and Awards ‡ during that Service:—

War Badge Class and No. A264474 Entered Badge Register

Discharged from the AVF and discharge confirmed vide Schedule No. NMM 4552 to take effect on and from 5/DEC 1946

Place: _____ Signature _____ Ech. and Rec. _____

Date: 1/1 Officer i/c _____

6. Details compiled by Waterson checked by _____

A.A.F. A.101 written by _____ Entered Discharge Certificate Register _____

Entered "Wills" Register _____

A.A.F. A.101 obtained by _____

PART E—To be signed by Soldier on discharge:

I hereby acknowledge receipt of: 213656

(a) Certificate of Discharge No. _____

(b) Army Form A.131 purporting to contain my Will.

(c) War Badge No. A264474

Date: 8/10/46 Signature of Soldier: A.J. [Signature]

Place: By [Signature] Signature of Witness _____

* "Effective Period" means the period of service, less any consecutive 21 days or more for which the soldier was not entitled to pay.

† Australia means the mainland of Australia and Tasmania.

‡ Does not include War Medals.

July 1946

Recorded 30/3/46.

DEMOB. INDICATOR	
N	102

DETERMINATION OF DEMOBILIZATION PRIORITY

A. ARMY NO. N. 192469 RANK Pte UNIT 113 (CONCORD) MILITARY HOSPITAL
 SURNAME OLIVE
 OTHER NAMES REGINALD JAMES

Date of Commencement of Full War Time War Service 13/1/43. Age at commencement of Full Time War Service 29 years.

B. ASSESSMENT OF NORMAL PRIORITY.

- Length of Service in months 31 X 2 (males) or X 1 (females) Points 62
- Age at enlistment in years 20 X 2 (males) or X 3 (females) 40
- Dependency Status (males only)—one point for each month of Service Total (Normal Priority) 102
- Dependency Status (females only)—insert "A" Class
- Marriage (females only) —insert "B"
- Records and assessment checked.

Date 8-10-43 N.S.W. Northamington Signature of Officer.

- I desire discharge in the State of
- I intend to apply—
 - * (i) For service in the Permanent Military Forces.
 - * (ii) For service throughout the Demob. period.

Date 8-10-43 Signature R. G. Plin

Signature of Member.

C. DECISION OF COMMANDING OFFICER OR REPRESENTATIVE OF SERVICE ON FORMATION H.Q.

Signature C. O. 113 (Concord) Military Hospital Date 8 NOV 1946

*Not to be retained FURTHER.

*To be retained—(see instructions).
 SERVICES ESSENTIAL RETAINED

UNTIL 31/3/46 HQ EC 18208

D. ALLOTMENT OF SPECIAL PRIORITY.

Reason and Authority

Date

Signature of Commanding Officer or Representative of Service.

INSTRUCTIONS.

- LENGTH OF SERVICE.—Months of service calculated from the date of commencement of full-time service to the date notified by L.H.Q.
- AGE AT ENLISTMENT.—Completed years of age at date of commencement of full-time war service.
- DEPENDANCY STATUS.—Accorded only to members on whose behalf an allowance is being paid by the Army for one or more dependants.
- MARRIAGE.—Claims by female members for discharge on account of marriage will not be recognised if such marriage has not been reported, and in consequence has not been entered in their personal records.
- PART C.—REASONS FOR RETENTION—to be inserted as appropriate
- Member of Permanent Military Forces;
 - Applicant for Permanent Military Forces.
 - Service throughout Demob. period—voluntary.
 - Services essential—Retained until

NX 192469
R. J OLIVE

SERVICE AND CASUALTY FORM

Continuation Sheet to A.F. B.103—1.

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A.F. 2020 6/44

REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, postings, attachments, &c., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, &c., Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, &c.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W 3911 B 2092 or other Document	Initials of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
Date	From whom received					
7. 9. 44	8 A.I. BN (A.I.F.)	OFFENCE :- Using INSUBORDINATE LANGUAGE To His SUPERIOR OFFICER 16/8/44 AWARD :- FINED £2. By C.O. 8 Aust INF BN (A.I.F.) ABK No 696837 Line 44 18/8/44	18/8/44	NG K of C	B2069 32/44	<i>WJ</i>
10. 4. 45	R.L.O.	Embarked L.A.V. per "CARLOS CARILLA" FOR MURAG ISLAND Embarked Emuqui to per Bungeny 11/339 /45 Disembarked Sydney for leave.	25/6/44			
11. 5. 45	L.I.O. NSW	Portia A.W.H. L.I.O. NSW 0800 hrs. 14/1772 /45	23. 3. 45	Chennai Is.		
14. 5. 45	✓ ✓	M/L.I.O. was from A.W.H. 0800 hrs. 14/1772 /45 Offence :- A.W.H. 0800 hrs 6. 5. 45. 6. 0800 hrs 13. 5. 45. AWARD - Administered by C.O. L.I.O. N. Sw Inf C Area AUTO FORG 7 days pay. Paybook C.369207 Line 78 Embarked Bussan per Duntroon } 19/1814 /45 Disembarked Sorokemi	9. 4. 45 6. 5. 45 13. 5. 45	N Sw N Sw N Sw	3012 302 1922. 82069	<i>WJ</i> <i>WJ</i> <i>WJ</i>
11. 7. 45	1 ADV	Transferred to 55/53 Aust Inf Bn, 29/344/45	20. 6. 45	Qld.		
11. 7. 44	25E H.	Transferred to 55/53 Aust Inf Bn, 29/344/45	3. 7. 45	8 Mile	T.S.I.	
23. 9. 45	5. 108 Bn	Transferred to 55/53 Aust Inf Bn, 29/344/45	22. 9. 45			
30. 9. 45	55/53	Transferred to 55/53 Aust Inf Bn, 29/344/45	28. 9. 45			
	55/53	Transferred to 55/53 Aust Inf Bn, 29/344/45	23. 9. 45	Birnie		
	55/53	Transferred to 55/53 Aust Inf Bn, 29/344/45	24. 9. 45	Rabat		

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Date	REMARKS						
24.2.46	53/53		Offence Neglecting to obey Unit RO's Award Times B3 and in days 6B by 60.	3.2.45	Rabaul	B20697	WN
24.2.46	53/53		53/53 Br. (AIF) Entered Logbook C369207 UME92.	19.12.45			WN
24.2.46	53/53		Told to Mr. H. Aust Div.	5.2.46	Rabaul	301/17	WN
24.2.46	53/53		J.C.F. LHM 53/53 Jand Bn	30/12/46		30/12/46	SKC
24.2.46	53/53		Spd out to 8790	6/46		30/1/54	GN
1.3.46	4.8.8.M.D.		Trans in from H & 11 Div.	1/46		30/1/94	PH
24.5.46			Sp to CDR Cochran for Disposal	7/26		30/1/54	PH
24.5.46			Officer's statement to the prejudice of good order & Military Discipline - 24.5.46			30/1/54	PH
24.5.46			2. do			30/1/54	PH
24.5.46			3. do			30/1/54	PH
27.5.46			Award: 21 days pay 25 days pay 7/46	24.5.46			
27.5.46			Entered in Paybook No. 369207, dates nos. 99/100				
27.5.46			M/O to EDD Eastern Land for Disposal 7/46	26.5.46			
27.5.46			Embarked Per "Sambla" at Rabaul 17/46	26.5.46			
27.5.46			Disembarked Sydney 19/11/46 (E.D.)	1.6.46			
27.5.46			M/O 21 with logy Rendwick LN 2980	3.7.46			
27.5.46			M/O from 4508 2 M.A.	3.7.46			
27.5.46			M/O No 113(C) Mil. Mob	5.7.46			
27.5.46			TAKEN ON STRENGTH	5.7.46			
27.5.46			Offence: Request to the project	5 JUL 1946			
27.5.46			Offence 2: Request to the project	23.5.46	Rabaul		
27.5.46			Award: 21 days pay 25 days pay 7/46	23.5.46			
27.5.46			Award: 21 days pay 25 days pay 7/46	23.5.46			
27.5.46			Award: 21 days pay 25 days pay 7/46	23.5.46			

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 2 AUSTR. INF.
 SPECS. GP. Army No. N. 459618
 H.O.S. M.D.
 2 I.T. B.C. 5 Ings. B.
 113 (Concord) Mil. Hosp.

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Rank *Private* Christian Names *Reginald James* Surname *OLIVE*
 Date of Enlistment *12-3-43 (Mob. 2.32135)*
 Place *MOORE PARK, N.S.W.*
 Date and Place of Birth *31-3-23 - GRAFTON, N.S.W.*
 Trade or Occupation *Lab.*
 Religion *C.E.*
 Marital Condition *Single*
 Next of Kin *WILLIAM OLIVE*
 Address of Next of Kin *DINGO, ROCKHAMPTON, Q'LAND*
 Relationship *Father*

Medical Classification *Class I - A 2*
 (On Enlistment) *Class H -*
 Identification—Color of Hair *Black* Eyes *BROWN*
 Distinctive Marks *Appendicectomy scar.*
 Crushed tip of rt. index finger

Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substitute), appointments, transfers, discharges, deaths, hospitalizations, accidents, admissions to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, etc. Dates of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).

REPORT	Date	From whom received	REMARKS	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
	15.3.43	R.R.D.	TAKEN ON STRENGTH	12.3.43	SYDNEY	W 3011
	16.3.43	R.R.D.	Report & Act of Inf. Eng. B. etc.	15.3.43		W 3011
	20.3.43	5 Ings. B.	M/D 2. Unit Inf. Eng. Bde	19.3.43	Bathurst	W 3011
	7.8.43	5 Ings. B.	Home to 104 AGH	3.8.43		W 3034
	10.8.43	104 AGH	Agm (Improving terrain)	2.8.43		W 3011
	16.8.43	5 I.T. BN	Reported Unit ch. 104 AGH	13.8.43		W 3034
	20.8.43	104 AGH	Detch (Improving terrain) L. Unit	13.8.43		W 3011
	21.8.43	5 Ings. B.	MARCHED OUT TO 2 A.I. Spec Groups	16.8.43		W 3011
	23 MAY 1943	5 AUSTR. INF. SPEC. GP.	MARCHED IN EX 6 ALT. BN.	16 MAY 1943		W 3011
	15 JUN 1943	5 ALT. BN.	MARCHED OUT TO 6 ALT. BN.	13 JUN 1943		W 3011
	15 JUN 1943	6 ALT. BN.	REJ'D. UNIT EX 2 AUSTR. INF. SPEC. GP.	13 JUN 1943	BATHURST	W 3011

NX 192469 Olive R J

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REPORT		From whom received	Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substantive), appointments, transfers, attachments, etc., forfeiture of pay, wounds, accidents, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, etc. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including parachute, etc).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W.3011, B.2059, or other Document	Initials of Officer Certifying Correctness of Entries
Date	6 A.I.T. BN.						
5 SEP 1943	6 A.I.T. BN.		Marched Out to Q'land L of C Area K16 4/24/46 IA New Stag Camp	1 SEP 1943	INDURSI	W3011 K16 98/2013	SM
6.9.43	1 AITB (W)		19/10/43 to 5 AITB	6.9.43	Cairngra	A232	RC
6.3.44	5 AITB (W)		19/10/43 to 5 AITB	6.3.44			RC
18.10.43	-		Offence AMI 0630 hrs 11.10.43 to 1130 hrs 12.10.43 Award: Ordered to forfeit 2 days pay by 12/11/43 Cmd 3 AITB (W) AIF 2 days pay TIF 4 days pay	13.10.43		B2059/3/423	14
28.1.44	DADMS NERO		Medical Classification deemed as A ₂ on 4/9/44 Confirmed by DADMS NERTE S. Log C Area	28.1.44		D(16)	RC
17.1.43	3 AITB (W)		Offence: AMI 0630 hrs 20.12.43 to 2.20 hrs 12.1.44 Award: Ordered to forfeit 24 days pay by land	17.1.44	Cairngra	B2059/3/423	RC
11.2.44	8 A.I.B.		3 AITB (W) AIF 24 days pay TIF 48 days pay 5/2/44 Taken on strength from 3 AITB (W)	9.2.44	S. Ruff	W3011 7/1/44	RC
8.4.44	✓		Trans. to R.I.F. 7 allocated NX 192469.	8.4.44		W3011 9/1/44	RC
19/5/44	8 Bn		Embarked at Cairns per "S.S. Both" Disembarked at Lee	19/5/44 25/5/44	Q L of C N G L of C		
2-8-44	✓		Offence: AMI 1920 hrs - 2145 hrs 13/7/44 Award: Limited L2, 7 days pay by Adm. board 9/8/44 P/M NO 696337 Line 62	21/7/44	N.G. Ruff	B2059 28/8/44	Sub
24/8/46	44502		WFO to CDR Eastern for Discharge	24/8/46			

A N.S.W. L of C Area Records Office
Lieut.

W.A.

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(Revised, April, 1945)

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Army No. NX192469 Surname OLIVE Initials R. J.

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REPORT		Record of all casualties regarding promotions (acting, temporary, local or substitute), appointments, transfers, forfeitures, discharges, deaths, burials, hospitalizations, admission to and discharge from Hospital, Casualty Clearing Stations, etc. Date of disembarkation and embarkation from a theatre of war (including furlough, etc.).	Date of Casualty	Place of Casualty	Authority W 2011, B 2008, or other Document	Part II, R.O. No.	Authenticating Signature or Initials
Date	From whom received						
1 AUG 1946	1300 hrs	SERVING WITH UNIT	1 AUG 1946	<i>4c</i>	<i>New Rule</i>		<i>ep</i>
16.9.46		OFFENCE: <i>AWL</i> From 1300 Hrs 13.9.46 AWARD: <i>Para Lt. by C.O. 113 (Concord) Mil. Hosp.</i>	16.9.46		02069		
14.11.46	101A.G.H.	<i>auto FORFEITURE</i> <i>PAYBOOK NO. 1.</i> DAYS PAY	10.11.46	<i>W3011</i>			
6.11.46	(113 (Concord) Mil. Hosp.)	<i>Evac. sick 9 tpd. to X. Unit.</i> <i>Adm. 101 A.G.H. (? hypochlor V.D.)</i>	10.11.46	<i>W3034</i>	R.O. 62/6569		<i>WLS del.</i>
19.11.46	101A.G.H.	Hosp. OFFENCE: <i>AWL</i> From 2100 Hrs 2.11.46 AWARD: <i>3 med 33 27 days C. 8 by C.O.</i>	2.11.46		82069		
25.11.46	113 (Concord) Mil. Hosp.	<i>but. paybook 3.</i> DAYS PAY <i>PAYBOOK NO. 3.</i>	6.11.46				<i>R.O. 64/6799/46. del.</i>
NOV 1946	"	<i>Disch. to unit. (Sick in N.Y.D.)</i> <i>Hosp. lfd. unit from 101 Aust. Gen. Hosp. + X. Unit.</i>	15.11.46	<i>✓</i>			<i>del.</i>
NOV 1946	"	<i>Transferred out to R. Base G.D.P. East Comd holding strength for Discharge.</i>	18.11.46	<i>✓</i>		<i>W304 R.065/6858/46 del.</i>	
NOV 1946	"	AMF DISCHARGED AMR & O 528 (A) (1) (N) DD ON ACCOUNT OF DEMOBILIZATION	29 NOV 1946				<i>del.</i>
5/12/46			5/12/46	<i>R.M.D.</i>	<i>110A 277</i>		<i>NNM/4552.</i>

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NAME OLIVE R. J. No. NX 192469

Address 29 WHEAT ST. CASINO

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1	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> 1939/45 STAR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
2	AFRICA STAR	
3	" with 1st Clasp	
4	" with 8th Clasp	
5	ATLANTIC STAR	
6	A.C. EUROPE STAR	
7	ITALY STAR	
8	FRANCE & G. STAR	
9	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> PACIFIC STAR	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
10	BURMA STAR	
11	DEFENCE MEDAL	
12	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> WAR MEDAL	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
13	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/> A.S.M.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>
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Recorder.....
Checker.....
AWARDS WITHHELD

Serials:.....
REASON:
ASM Aug 24 1951

AUTHORITY:.....

Packer.....
Despatcher.....

TO WHOM DESPATCHED.....

ASM Ins 26-4-51

Booked 5/2/51

NOTES FOR GUIDANCE

Regd. Parcel No..... DATE.....

Prepared by.....

RECEIPT

Checked.....

Serials.....
Forwarded to Sig. engraver.....

24/1/51

5/49-100m DATE..... Awards Sent.....

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COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, Reginald James Olin
(Name in full)
of C/- Paddington, Woollahra, R.S.L. Sydney.
(Address in full)

do solemnly and sincerely declare:—

1. THAT I served/~~am serving~~ in the Australian Military Forces and my particulars were/are as follows:—

Regimental Army No. NX.192469 Rank Pte. Unit 8th Infantry Battalion

2. THAT I have lost the Certificate of discharge
issued to me by the Department of Defence
The Army

3. THAT the circumstances under which the said loss occurred are as under:—

HOW The above certificate was lost
in a fire which occurred 2 years ago.

WHERE in Basins N.S.W. WHEN 2 years ago.

4. THAT to the best of my knowledge and belief the said Army discharge

is/are not in the hands of any other person on my behalf or with my consent.

AND I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act 1959, and subject to the penalties provided by that Act for the making of false statements in statutory declarations, conscientiously believing the statement contained in this declaration to be true in every particular.

Signature of person making declaration. R. J. Olin
DECLARED AT Sydney the 9th
day of June 1962 before me:—

Signature of J.P. or Commissioner for Declarations. [Signature]

HERE INSERT:—

- 1. Date and place of enlistment March 1943 Sydney
- 2. Date and place of birth 31-3-23 Grafton, NSW
- 3. Name and address and relationship of recorded next-of-kin on enlistment. Mrs. G.V. Olin Basins
mother

Required for Military identification purposes only.

N.B.— This form should be completed in all respects, otherwise unavoidable delay may arise in dealing with applicant's request.

O/N. ND880

SUMMARY OF CONDITIONS OF AWARD AND NOTES FOR GUIDANCE IN THE WEARING OF CAMPAIGN STARS, DEFENCE AND WAR MEDALS

Members, to be eligible for awards, must normally have been taken on the strength of a unit in a qualifying area through Routine Orders Part II.

Order of Wearing	Description of Ribbon	Clasp or Emblem Worn (if awarded)	Conditions of Award
1. 1939/45 Star X	Dark blue, red and light blue in three equivalent vertical stripes. This ribbon is worn with the dark blue stripe furthest from the left shoulder. NX192469	Battle of Britain	Six (6) months operational service during period 3 Sep 39 to 2 Sep 45, also by entry into campaigns in Greece, Crete, Syria, Java, Sumatra, Malaya, Timor, Burma, Assam and NW Frontier qualifies. The 6 months qualifying areas are Middle East (West of Suez Canal), New Guinea and other areas of SWPA. Operational service brought to an end by death, wounds, or other disability, due to service, qualifies. Service in Palestine, Sinai, and India (excluding NW Frontier) does not qualify. Service as air crew of fighter aircraft engaged in the Battle of Britain. Members of the AMF, as such, are not eligible for this clasp.
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TOTAL AWARDS..... ARMY No..... NAME.....

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Time spent as a prisoner of war in consequence of capture in operations may be counted towards the qualifying period for the 1939/45 Star.

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STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, **Reginald James OLIVE** of **8 Primbee Crescent, Primbee.**

in the State of New South Wales **Seaman** do hereby

solemnly and sincerely declare that: I have lost my original discharge Certificate and wish to make application for a copy. My army No. was NX 192469 and I joined the A.I.F. in March, 1943 and was discharged in December, 1946.

The reason for applying for a copy of my discharge Certificate is to apply for a housing loan through War Service Homes Division.

[A large blue diagonal line is drawn across the page, likely indicating a signature or official stamp area.]

And I make this solemn declaration conscientiously believing the same to be true and by virtue of the provisions of the Oaths Act, 1900.

Subscribed and declared at *Wollongong*
this *twentieth* day of *April*
one thousand nine hundred *sixty One.*
before me

R. J. Olive

H. E. Jones J.P.

Dated _____ 19

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OF

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COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

STATUTORY DECLARATION.

I, REGINALD JAMES OLIVE
(Name in Full)

of 29 Wheel St CASINO
(Address in Full)

do solemnly and sincerely declare:-

1. THAT I served in the Australian Commonwealth Forces, and my particulars were as follows:-

Official No. NX192469 Rank Pte Unit 8th Battalion 2nd AF

2. THAT I have lost the R.A.S. Badge
issued to my by the Department of ~~Navy~~ Army
R.A.A.F. 364474

3. THAT the circumstances under which the said loss occurred are as under:-

How It was stolen from my coat in Sydney soon after my discharge
When 1947 Where Sydney

4. THAT to the best of my knowledge the said R.A.S. badge

.....
is/~~are~~ not in the hands of any other person on my behalf or with my consent.

REPLACED by R.A.S. BADGE No 364474
575783

AND I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declaration Act 1911-1922, conscientiously believing the statement contained therein to be true in every particular.

Signature of person making declaration R. G. Olive

DECLARED at Casino the fourth

day of May 19 53 before me:-

Signature of J.P. or Commissioner of Declarations- L. Austin



NOTE:- Any person who wilfully makes a false statement in a Statutory Declaration is guilty of an indictable offence, and is liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for four years.

HERE INSERT:-

1. Place and date of birth Sydney 31.3.1923

2. Name and address and relationship of next-of-kin on Required for
enlistment Myrtle Olive (mother) identification
..... 29 Wheel St Casino purposes only

On completion please forward to relevant Records Office.

ARMY: World War 1 - O/C, A.I.F. Records, Canberra, A.C.T.
* World War 2 - O/C, Central Records Office, Albert Park Barracks, Melbourne.

NAVY: World War 1 & 2 - O/C, R.A.N. Records, Dept. of Navy, Melbourne.

AIR FORCE: World War 1 & 2 - O/C, R.A.A.F. Records, Dept. of Air, Melbourne.

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.

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I, REGINALD JAMES OLIVE (Name in Full) of 29 Wheel St CASINO (Address in Full)

do solemnly and sincerely declare:-

1. THAT I served in the Australian Commonwealth Forces, and my particulars were as follows:-

Official No. NX192469 Rank Pte Unit 8th Battalion 2nd AIF

2. THAT I have lost the Discharge Certificate issued to my by the Department of Army R.A.A.F.

3. THAT the circumstances under which the said loss occurred are as under:-

How It has just gone astray I cannot find it When March 1952 Where Casino

4. THAT to the best of my knowledge the said Discharge Certificate is/are not in the hands of any other person on my behalf or with my consent.

AND I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declaration Act 1911-1922, conscientiously believing the statement contained therein to be true in every particular.

Signature of person making declaration R. J. Olive DECLARED at Casino the 4th day of May 1953 before me:-

Signature of J.P. or Commissioner of Declarations- Austin J.P.

NOTE:- Any person who wilfully makes a false statement in a Statutory Declaration is guilty of an indictable offence, and is liable to imprisonment, with or without hard labour, for four years.

HERE INSERT:-

- 1. Place and date of birth Crafton 31.3.1923
2. Name and address and relationship of next-of-kin on enlistment Mrs Gladys Olive (mother) 29 Wheel St Casino

Required for identification purposes only

On completion please forward to relevant Records Office. ARMY: World War 1 - O/C, A.I.F. Records, Canberra, A.C.T. x World War 2 - O/C, Central Records Office, Albert Park Barracks, Melbourne. NAVY: World War 1 & 2 - O/C, R.A.N. Records, Dept. of Navy, Melbourne. AIR FORCE: World War 1 & 2 - O/C, R.A.A.F. Records, Dept. of Air, Melbourne.



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ALBERT PARK MILITARY FORCES

Central Army Records Office,
"A" BATTALION,
ALBERT PARK BARRACKS. S.C.3.

This is to certify that Army No. **NX192469**

Rank : **PTE**

Unit. : **8 INF BN**

Name : **REGINALD JAMES OLIVE**

served on Full Time Duty in the :-

FROM 12 MAR 43 TO 7 APR. 44 - CMF
" 8 APR 44 " 5 DEC. 46 - AIF

Total Effective period of Service :

1261 DAYS

Overseas Service :

673

War Badge : **RAB NO. A 364474**

Certificate of Discharge No. : **213656**

Issued 4/5/61

10 AUG 1962

Issued 14 JUN 1962

Colonel,

OIC CENTRAL ARMY RECORDS OFFICE B883, NX192469

National Archives of Australia

10 AUG 1962

Mr R. G. Oline
1 Bloomfield St
Darlinghurst
Sydney

Dear Sir,

I wish to apply for a statement of my Army service as my Army discharge has been destroyed. I applied for this some weeks ago but for some reason this office persist in sending forms to be filled in I would be obliged if you send the particulars I require as soon as possible.

my Army number was N.X.192469.

8th inf Battalion

10 AUG 1962

10/10/62

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OLIVE
29 MAY 1962 Mr R. Olive
Post Office
Port Kembla
NSW 25-5-62

Dear Sir,

Would you please forward me
a duplicate copy of my army discharge
as mine was destroyed.

oblige

Hoping you can

Mr R Olive.

LD

29 MAY 1962



113 JUN 1962

Sir.

Would you please inform me.
if it is possible to obtain another
returned from active service Badge.

R J Olive

By Post

113 JUN 1962



NAA: B883, NX192469

National Archives of Australia

Commonwealth of Australia

STATUTORY DECLARATION

I, REGINALD JAMES OLIVE (NAME IN FULL)
of 7 RENNIE ST REDFERN NSW (ADDRESS IN FULL)
do solemnly, and sincerely declare:-

1. THAT I served in the W.W II. and my particulars were as follows:-

Regimental Army No. NX 192469 Rank PTE Unit 8TH. BTN.

2. THAT I have lost the R.S.S. & A.L.L.A. Badge No. DISCHARGE issued to me by Sub-Branch.

3. THAT the circumstances in which the said loss occurred are as under:-
How BURNT
When 15 yrs.
Where CASINO

4. THAT to the best of my knowledge and belief the said Badge is not in the hands of any other person on my behalf or with my consent.

AND I make this solemn declaration by virtue of the Statutory Declarations Act 1911-1922, conscientiously believing the statement contained therein to be true in every particular.

Signature of person making declaration R. J. Olive

DECLARED AT Hunter the 27TH

day of August 1966 before me:

Signature of J.P. or Commissioner for Declarations [Signature]

RANK PRIVATE

NAME REGINALD, JAMES, OLIVE
CAF 12 MARCH 1943 to 7 April 1944
RAF 8 April 1944 to 5 Dec 1946

A. Continuous Full Time Service:

1. Special Service Areas:	from	to	Days
S W P A.	19 MAY 1944	9 April 1945	673
" "	20 June 1945	1 June 1946	

2. Other Areas:

Australia

588

B. Other Service:

from to

Decorations and Medals:

N453618
NX 192469.

Service Badge: RASBA364474.

Army Nos:

1 SEP 1966

SUMMARY OF CONDITIONS OF AWARD AND NOTES FOR GUIDANCE IN THE WEARING OF CAMPAIGN STARS, DEFENCE AND WAR MEDALS

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AUSTRALIAN MILITARY FORCES
STATEMENT OF SERVICE.

(Issued in lieu of lost Certificate of Service of an Officer or lost Discharge Certificate).

REGINALD JAMES OLIVE formerly No NX 192469

Rank PTE having declared that Certificate No. 213656

has been lost, this Statement of Service is issued in lieu thereof, for Identification purposes.

The above-named member served on Continuous Full Time War Service
in the C M F from 12 MAR 1943 to 7 APR 1944
A I F from 8 APR 1944 to 5 Dec 1946

for a Total Effective Period of 1261 days which included

Active Service in Australia for 588 days and

Outside Australia for 673 days

and was discharged at Sydney NSW on 5 Dec 1946

Honours, Decorations and Awards during that Service
- NIL -

War Badge Returned from active service Badge No A 364474

Personal Description at date of Completion of Service.
Height 5 ft 8 ins. Eyes Brown Complexion Dark Hair Black
Marks or Scars appendice scar

Trade Group in which employed during Army Service NIL

STATEMENT OF SERVICE NO 17253 issued

DATE ISSUED 15 May 1953
issued
Smiller

Colonel,
Central Army Records Office.

ARMY NO. *NX204799* PRO FORM D. 12

SURNAME *SEALS*

CHRISTIAN NAMES *Leslie John*

WAR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA *N/A* DAYS

ACTIVE SERVICE OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA *N/A* DAYS

ACTIVE SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA *749* DAYS

COMPUTED TO AND INCLUDING (DATE) *31/10/46*

ADD From *1/1/46* to DAYS

TOTAL EFFECTIVE SERVICE DAYS

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..... Checker NE3

..... Checker Discharge Depot

NAA: B883, NX192469

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ARMY NO *NX192469* PRO FORMA D.12
 SURNAME *OLIVE*
 CHRISTIAN NAMES *Reginald James*
 WAR SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA *415* DAYS
 ACTIVE SERVICE OUTSIDE AUSTRALIA *673* DAYS
 ACTIVE SERVICE IN AUSTRALIA *588* DAYS
 COMPUTED TO AND INCLUDING (DATE) *30/11/46*
 ADD From *1/12/46* to *5/12/46* *588* DAYS
 TOTAL EFFECTIVE SERVICE *1261* DAYS
 INITIAL *Johnson* Computer NE3
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MOBILIZATION ATTESTATION FORM

To be filled in for all Persons at the Place of Assembly when called out under Parts III or IV of the Defence Act, or when voluntarily enlisted.

Army No. N453618

Surname OLIVE (BLOCK CAPITALS.) Christian Names REGINALD JAMES

Unit

Enlisted for war service at CASINO (Place)
N.S.W. (State)

A

Questions to be put to persons called out or presenting themselves for enlistment.*

- | | |
|---|---|
| 1. What is your name? | 1. Surname <u>OLIVE</u>
(BLOCK CAPITALS.)
Other names <u>Reginald James</u> |
| 2. Where were you born? | 2. In or near the town of <u>Grafton</u>
In the state or country of <u>N.S.W.</u> |
| 3. Are you a British subject? | 3. <u>Yes</u> |
| 4. What is your age and date of birth? | 4. Age <u>19 years 10 months</u>
Date of Birth <u>31/3/23</u> |
| 5. (a) What is your normal trade or occupation? Grade if any?
(b) Present occupation? | 5. (a) <u>Labourer</u>
(b) <u>Labourer</u> |
| 6. (a) Are you married, single or widower?
(b) If married state date of marriage? | 6. (a) <u>Single</u>
(b) <u>/</u> |
| 7. (a) Have you had previous Naval, Military or Air Force service either in peace or war? If so, where and in what arm?
(b) What was the reason for your discharge? | 7. (a) <u>No</u>
(b) <u>/</u> |
| 8. Who is your actual next of kin? (Order of relationship.—wife, eldest son, eldest daughter, father, mother, eldest brother, eldest sister, eldest half-brother, eldest half-sister) | 8. Name <u>William Olive</u>
Address <u>Dingo, Rockhampton</u>
<u>Queensland</u>
Relationship <u>Father</u> |
| 9. What is your permanent address? | 9. <u>C/ Cameron's Store</u>
<u>Casino</u> |
| 10. What is your religious denomination? (This question need not be answered if the man has a conscientious objection to doing so) | 10. <u>C of E.</u> |
| 11. Which, if any, of the following Educational Qualifications do you possess? | 1. Certificate for entry to Secondary Schdol. <u>No</u>
2. Intermediate <u>No</u>
3. Leaving <u>No</u>
4. Leaving Honours <u>No</u>
5. Technical <u>No</u>
6. University Degree <u>No</u>
7. Other Diplomas <u>No</u> |
| 12. Have you ever been convicted by a Civil Court?
If so—(a) What Court?
(b) For what offence? | 12. <u>No</u>
(a)
(b) |

I, Reginald James Olive do solemnly declare that the above answers made by me to the above questions are true.

Witnessed by [Signature] & R. J. Olive
(Signature of Attesting or Witnessing Officer.) Signature.

*The person will be warned that should he give false answers to any of these questions he will be liable to heavy penalties under the Defence Acts.

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Class One *Recruitment Form 17343* **B**
RECRUITING DEPOT N.S.W.L. OF A. **MEDICAL EXAMINATION.**

I have made full and careful examination of the abovenamed person in accordance with the instructions contained in the Standing Orders for Australian Army Medical Services. In my opinion he is—*

1. Fit for Class I.
2. Temporarily unfit for Class I †
3. Fit for Class II.
4. Temporarily unfit for Class II †
5. Unfit for military service †

Place Casino Date 4.7.43
 Signature of Examining Medical Officer H. J. Waddell

*Classifications which are inapplicable to be struck out. †Reasons for unfitness to be stated.

C

OATH OF ENLISTMENT.‡

For persons voluntarily enlisted or called upon under Part III or Part IV of the Defence Act, and not being members of the Active Citizen Military Forces to serve in the Citizen Forces in time of war. Not compulsory for serving members of the Forces or those allotted to the Citizen Forces under Part XII of the Act, but unless in any case an objection is raised, the oath should be administered to them as part of the ceremony of attestation.

I, Reginald James Olive swear that I will well and truly serve our Sovereign Lord, the King, in the Citizen Military Forces of the Commonwealth of Australia for the duration of the present time of war, or until sooner lawfully discharged, dismissed, or removed, and that I will resist His Majesty's enemies and cause His Majesty's peace to be kept and maintained, and that I will in all matters appertaining to my service faithfully discharge my duty according to law.

So Help Me God!

Signature of Person Enlisted R. J. Olive
 Subscribed at Moon Pt in the State of NSW
 this 12th day of March 1943.
 Before me—
 Signature of Attesting Officer [Signature]

‡ Persons who object to take an oath may make an affirmation in accordance with the Third Schedule of the Defence Act. In such case the above form will be amended accordingly and initialled by the Attesting Officer.

Can you—

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| (a) Drive a motor car?..... | (g) Write shorthand? |
| (b) Drive a motor lorry?..... | (h) Keep accounts? |
| (c) Ride a motor cycle?..... | (i) Undertake clerical duties?..... |
| (d) Make running repairs?..... | (j) Play band instrument? (state instru-
ment)..... |
| (e) Cook? | |
| (f) Use a typewriter?..... | |

Have you any experience in—

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| (a) Signalling—Wireless?..... | (b) First Aid to injured?..... |
| „ Morse Code?..... | (c) Nursing?..... |
| | (d) Butchering?..... |

Have you—

- | | |
|---|---|
| (a) Submitted a National Register Card?..... | (c) Enrolled under Part IV D.A. for Universal Service?..... |
| (b) Changed your address or occupation, since filling in National Register Card?..... | (d) If so, in which Area?..... |

12/3/43
 SIGNATURE OF SOLDIER R. J. Olive SIGNATURE OF [Signature]

MC



Defence Personnel Executive

Telephone:
1800 065 149

**Army Medals Section
Directorate of Honours and Awards
G.P.O. Box 5108BB
MELBOURNE VIC 3001**

In reply please quote:
DHA/ex NX192469

20th July 2000

Mr RJ Olive
53 Ferguson Street
CASINO 2470

Dear Mr Olive,

I refer to your inquiry concerning your medal entitlement, which was received at this office on 2 May 2000.

By way of your service in the Australian Army during the Second World War, you qualified for and have been issued with the following awards:

- a. 1939/45 Star
- b. Pacific Star
- c. War Medal 1939/45
- d. Australia Service Medal 1939/45

Examination of your service records has revealed that you are also eligible for the award of the Australian Service Medal 1945-1975 with Clasp PNG.

This office will now forward a recommendation for the award to the Governor General's Office for approval. Some delay may be expected before the award is approved. Once the award has been approved, this office will have the medal engraved and forwarded to you. If you have any further queries on this matter, please do not hesitate to contact this office on the above number.

Yours sincerely,

M.L.A. DEVILLE
Staff Officer, Army Medals
for Director of Honours and Awards

Directorate of Honours and Awards

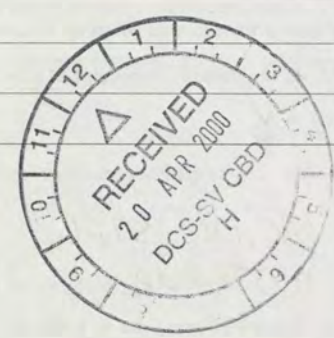


Department of Defence 2 MAY 2000

Application for the Issue or Replacement of Australian Defence Force Medals

- Please read guidance notes before completing the Application.
- Please use **BLOCK** letters **ONLY**.
- Use only Black or Blue Pen.

1 - Veteran's Service Number(s) (Include prefixes where allotted)		2 - Rank on Discharge	
NX192469		Pte.	
3 - Full Name of Veteran			
Family Name OLIVE	Maiden Name (If applicable) SHE	Given Name(s) REGINALD JAMES.	
4 - Date of Birth of Veteran			
31/3/23			
5 - Date(s) of Enlistment and Discharge			
Date of Enlistment 12-3-1943	Date of Discharge 7-4-1944	Branch of Service CMF	
Date of Enlistment 8-4-1944	Date of Discharge 5-12-1946	Branch of Service AIF	
Date of Enlistment	Date of Discharge	Branch of Service	
6 - Did the Veteran ever serve under another name?			
Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
Family Name OLIVE		Given Name(s) REGINALD JAMES	
7 - Personal Details of Applicant			
Family Name OLIVE		Given Name(s) REGINALD JAMES	
Residential Address 53 FERGUSSON ST		State	Postcode
Postal Address (If applicable) CASINO		State NSW	Postcode 2470
Home Telephone Number ()		Work Telephone Number ()	
8 - Please indicate what medals/awards you are applying for (If known)			
ASM 1945/75			
ANY OTHERS NOT PREVIOUSLY ISSUED			
9 - Are you making an application for a deceased service person?			
Yes <input type="checkbox"/> No <input checked="" type="checkbox"/>			
If 'Yes', complete the Statutory Declaration on page 4.			
10 - Did the Veteran serve in the Australian Defence Forces during WWII?			
Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/> If 'No', Go to Question 14.			
11 - If 'Yes', did the Veteran serve outside mainland Australia during WWII?			
Yes <input checked="" type="checkbox"/> No <input type="checkbox"/>			
If 'Yes', go to the next question on page 2.			



12 - What ship(s), units or establishments did the Veteran serve in during WWII?

Ship(s)	Units	Establishments
	2/8th Battalion	

13 - Did the Veteran serve in the Northern Territory of Australia, north of Katherine between 19 Feb 1942 and 12 Nov 1943?

Yes No

14 - Did the Veteran serve outside Australia after WWII?

Yes No

15 - What ship(s), units and/or establishments did the Veteran serve in after WWII?

Ship(s)	Units	Establishments

16 - If applying for the ASM 45/75 clasp Thai/Malay, please provide the following additional information.

Unit Posted To		Unit(s) Detached To (if any)	
Location of any Patrols	Villages and/or Major Settlements in Area of Operations	Names of Personnel you served with whilst on Counter Terrorist Operations	

17 - Application for replacement of lost or stolen medals must be accompanied by the Statutory Declaration. Replacement issues will only be made to the original recipient.

18 - Is the Veteran in receipt of any other medals for their service in the Australian Defence Force?

Yes No

If 'Yes', please give brief details of those medals.

PACIFIC STAR, 1939/45 STAR, MAR MEDAL, AUSTRALIA WAR MEDAL.

19 - Signature and Date of Applicant

Signature R. J. Olive Date 15.4.2000

20 - Once completed please forward this application and all relevant supporting documentation to the relevant service office as shown on page 3.