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**CERTIFICATE OF MERIT**

*is awarded to*

TECHNICIAN GRADE 5 HAROLD R. AUSTIN, JR.

52179439, Rcn. Co. 628th TL Bn. (SP)

IN RECOGNITION OF CONSPICUOUSLY MERITORIOUS AND OUTSTANDING PERFORMANCE OF MILITARY DUTY

*Citation*

Certificate of Merit is hereby awarded Technician Grade 5 Harold R. Austin, Jr. for outstanding performance of duty, initiative and technical skill demonstrated in his capacity as Company Radio Mechanic under combat conditions in France, Belgium, Luxembourg, Holland and Germany from 2 August 1944 to 8 May 1945.



WILLIAM J. GALLAGHER,  
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Commanding 628th TL Bn (SP).