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July 11, 2007

The Honorable John Conyers, Jr.
Chairman, Committee on the Judiciary
U. S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Chairman:

On behalf of the Military Order of the Purple Heart (MOPH), I am writing to express our full support for H.R. 2852 which would provide for the issuance of a Federal Charter for the Korean War Veterans Association (KWVA). This is an action that MOPH feels is long overdue.

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We respectfully request that your Committee act expediently and report this legislation to the floor of the House.

Sincerely,

Thomas A. Poulter
National Commander



July 11, 2007

The Honorable Lamar S. Smith
Ranking Member, Committee on the Judiciary
U. S. House of Representatives
Washington, DC 20515

Dear Mr. Smith:

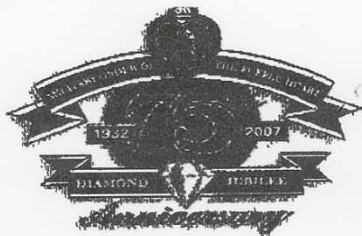
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The Honorable Arlen Specter
Ranking Member, Senate Judiciary Committee
SD 224
Washington, DC 20510-6275

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Washington, DC 20510-6275

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