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MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: Commander's Evaluation of CPT Gray Mason II

**1. Recommend that Captain Gary Mason's security clearance be reinstated immediately!**  
He is reliable, trustworthy, and possesses the qualities of an outstanding Army officer.

2. I have encountered CPT Gary Mason II regularly over the last nine months since his arrival at the Army Logistics University (ALU). He finished the Logistics Captain's Career Course with overwhelming success and proved to be one of the most competent and prolific briefers in his class. He also volunteered to sponsor an officer from Senegal during this challenging period.

3. His conduct at time here at Fort Lee has been nothing but professional, kind, and courteous. In order to get a true picture of this outstanding Soldier, I am listing the following characteristics I personally observed in him:

a. CPT Mason is both trustworthy and reliable. He is a man of his word and has never had to be corrected or counseled regarding a lack of accountability on his part.

b. I have observed CPT Mason in a number of different situations and circumstances and he has consistently made good solid decisions as it relates to both his professional life as a Soldier, and his personal life as a husband and father. His ability to make decisions under pressure has been showcased as he has dealt with administrative matters while juggling the rigorous demands of the ALU course.

c. My observations of CPT Mason are complemented and fully supported by his instructors at ALU who gave him a 'superior' rating in his oral communication, leadership skills, contribution to group work and evaluation of his research ability; he received the Demonstrated Senior Logistician Award because of his demonstrated knowledge and competence in the field of logistics.

4. The POC of this memo is the undersigned at 804-765-8100 or kevin.holton@us.army.mil.

  
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Commanding