MEMORANDUM FOR

MRS. ROOSEVELT:

Very confidentially, I had this checked up with the War Department and they tell me that while the Military Intelligence did have some feeling about Melvin Douglas being a Communist or associating with Communists, they have now decided to remove all this from their records.

General Paul at Camp Forrest, Tennessee has made a special request to have Melvin Douglas assigned to him.

F.D.R.

Letter, May 17, 1943, to Mrs. Roosevelt, from Pfc. Melvyn Douglas, Hqs. Btry. AARTC, Camp Wallace, Texas, re his inability to get a special assignment, which had been taken up by the Hqs. Houston Officer Procurement District, because of M.I. Attached copy of
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F.D.R.
MEMORANDUM FOR: MISS GRACE TULLY

I have been working on the Melvyn Douglas case, and have progressed to the point that he has been requested by our Special Service Division as an officer. The grade of captain is recommended. In order not to direct any special attention to him, I am having the papers go through the usual channels. This involves overcoming the usual difficulties with procurement objectives, and the like, so as much as a week or ten days may pass before we get a final answer on it.

F.F. McC.
THE WHITE HOUSE
WASHINGTON

June 24, 1943.

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Memo from Frank McCarthy re Melvin Douglas