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S. 2413

For the relief of Richard M. Sakakida.

IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

AUGUST 23 (legislative day, AUGUST 18), 1994

Mr. AKAKA introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Armed Services

A BILL

For the relief of Richard M. Sakakida.

1 *Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-*
2 *tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,*

3 **SECTION 1. ELIGIBILITY FOR AWARD OF MEDAL FOR**
4 **HEROISM.**

5 (a) REVIEW OF RECORDS.—(1) The Secretary of the
6 Army shall review the military records of Richard M.
7 Sakakida of Fremont, California. The purpose of the re-
8 view is to determine whether the award to Richard M.
9 Sakakida of a medal or cross authorized under section
10 3741, 3742, or 3746 of title 10, United States Code, for
11 any action of Richard M. Sakakida in the Philippines dur-
12 ing World War II is appropriate.

1 (2) The determination under paragraph (2) whether
2 the award of a medal or cross is appropriate shall be gov-
3 erned by the standards that apply to the medal or cross
4 concerned under the provision of law authorizing the
5 medal or cross.

6 (b) AWARD.—Notwithstanding section 3744(b) of
7 title 10, United States Code, the Secretary may award to
8 Richard M. Sakakida of Fremont, California, a medal or
9 cross referred to in subsection (a) if the Secretary deter-
10 mines in accordance with the review required under that
11 subsection that the award of the medal or cross, as the
12 case may be, is appropriate.

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