## AWARD CITATION

Surname, name and middle name KLIMOVSKY NIKOLAJ AFANASIEVICH 1.

2. Rank Major

Position and unit 3. Commander of the 1st artillery squadron,

843 artillery Red Banner regiment, 299 rifle "Kharkov" division.

is recommended for order "RED BANNER"

Birth year 4. 1910

Nationality 5. Russian

Party membership 6. VKP(b) member candidate

Participation in the civil war and later defence of USSR, in Patriotic war 7. Stalingrad front 25.07.1942 - 05.02.1943; 2 Ukrainian front since 01.08.1943.

Wounds and contusions Wounded twice

In Red Army service since 9. 1932

10. Drafted by which induction station Karasukskij district military commissariat,

Altai region.

11 Previous awards Medal "For Stalingrad defence", order "Patriotic

war 2 class" 06.1943; order "Red Star" in 09.1943

by 53 army.

12. Awardee's and his family permanent home address

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## I. Brief and specific description of the personal feat or merits

Comrade KLIMOVSKY has been serving as an artillery squadron commander since September 1943. In this period of his service, he managed to organise his subordinate into a cohesive combat unit, which acts efficiently during combat operations.

Fighting on the Kharkov and Poltava sectors, Major KLIMOVSKY utilised his unit efficiently, set up proper coordination with the rifle units they were assigned to provide artillery support to. Leading by personal example of courage and bravery, he assisted the division in successfully achieving its combat objectives.

When his unit reached the Dnieper river, he and artillery squadron were the first among his regiment to cross the river to the right bank, which was done under intensive enemy artillery-mortar fire opposition and without any specialised river crossing equipment. In tight coordination with a rifle unit during defence and enlargement of the bridgehead, comrade KLIMOVSKY was in the combat field formation of his squadron for 3 days straight. In this period, his artillery squadron eliminated over 400 enemy troops, suppressed up to 10 firing positions, which inhibited advance of our troops, hit 2 enemy tanks of "Tiger" type and 1 APC carrying ammunitions.

09 October 1943, disregarding personal safety, comrade KLIMOVSKY went to the firing positions of his cannons and led personally the defence, repelling 7 large enemy counter-attacks supported by armour. In this combat engagement, his unit eliminated up to a company of enemy troops, hit 1 "Tiger" tank, and 2 medium tanks.

RESEARCH 酒EGORKA As the result of courage and bravery exhibited by the personnel of his artillery squadron and personally by comrade KLIMOVSKY, during the whole time of the battle for forced crossing, defence, and enlargement of the bridgehead on the Dnieper right bank, he assisted significantly to the achievement of the combat objectives assigned to our division.

He deserves state award order "RED BANNER".

Commander of 171 detached labour battalion
10 June 1945 Captain signature /ZHUKOV/

#### II. Conclusion of the superiors

Major KLIMOVSKY deserves order "RED BANNER"

Commander of 299 rifle "Kharkov" division

Major General signature /TRAVNIKOV/

08 January 1944

# III. Conclusion of Army Military Council

# IV. Conclusion of the Front Military Council

#### V. Conclusion of the award commission

### VI. Award record

Bestowed with order "ALEKSANDER NEVSKY" by the decree # 0101/n issued by the commander of artillery troops of 53 army on 09 May 1944.

Head of personnel department of artillery troops of 53 army

Major signature /BULIN/





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	1. Мамилия, имя и отчество Климовений Никологи Адрановевия
	2. Знание мойор 3. Должность, часть Комондир 1- дивизиона
	843 Проснозновниого Ортполка 299 харьк. стр. дивидия
	поедстания в провительственной магроде ордену Турогеное знамя.
	4. Год рождения 1910 5. непиональность Русский бываринностьком. ВКП об
	7. Участие в гражданском вомне, последующих боевых демствиях по вощите оссти отечественном вомне (где, когда) Сталинградений фронт
	С 25.7.42 по 5.2.432. 2" Украйнский фронт с 1.8.432.
	в. Имеет ли рачения и контужи в отечественном нолие имеет Эвог рамения
	9. С какого времени в Красном Армии с 1932г.
	10. KARMIN PBK HOMBBAH Harposey Kekum PBK Anmousenow Kyos
	11. Чем ранее награжден (за какие отличия) Медолью "Зо оборону Сталинграда"
	орденом. Отегественной войны 2-степения и обранной звезды . Сембары 1843г
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- " PACHOL SHAMI"