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Major General Colin McVean Gubbins, CMG, DSO, MC, British Army, performed outstanding services from September 1943 to January 1944. As a result of his co-operation and assistance, his foresightedness and clear thinking, his tact and profound understanding, the Special Operations Branch of the Office of Strategic Services was able to establish an operational branch, based on the United Kingdom, and thereby perform a function of great importance to the United States Government. The initiative and ability displayed by General Gubbins' exceptionally meritorious conduct reflect great credit upon himself and the British Army.

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