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### **VETERANS TO SIGN BOOKS DURING AIRSHO®**

MIDLAND, TEXAS – (Sept. 17, 2007) – Three veterans will be signing copies of their books during FINA-CAF AIRSHO 2007. Col Jim Davis and Capt. Norman J. “Dusty” Kleiss are being inducted into the 2007 American Combat Airman Hall of Fame, and Glen Brown is a Vietnam-era helicopter pilot. All will be in the museum lobby at various times during AIRSHO.

Davis will sign his book, “In Hostile Skies: An American B-24 Pilot in World War II,” from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Saturday, Sept. 29. Edited by David L. Snead, “In Hostile Skies” has received widespread praise. Air Force veteran and historian Robert Hopkins said, “Jim Davis will certainly claim to be an ‘ordinary man’. But in this riveting first-person account of his pilot training and B-24 combat missions over Europe during the waning years of the Second World War, Davis and his crew are surely extraordinary people.”

Kleiss is scheduled to sign his book, “VS-6: Log of the War: Personal Diary, and USS Enterprise Orders, of a Scouting Six SBD Dive Bomber Pilot, Pearl Harbor Attack Through Battle of Midway,” from 9 a.m. to 10:45 a.m. on Saturday, Sept. 29. Kleiss’ book is a compilation of photos, logs and his personal diary during his service in World War II.

N.G. “Glenn” Brown will be signing his book, “Blue Max, Missions and Memories,” from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. on Saturday, Sept. 29, and noon to 4 p.m. Sunday, Sept. 30. A resident of Odessa, Texas, Brown was a Huey and Cobra gunship pilot for the Army in Vietnam. The experiences of that time have profoundly impacted his life, sometimes for the better and sometimes for the worse. “During the Vietnam war, the AH1G Cobra attack helicopter was a new concept,” said Vietnam veteran James Duszynski. “Mr. Brown flew these Cobras, and if you ever wanted to take a ride in one, here is your chance...He tells the story the way it really did happen.”

Book signings are subject to change without notice.