



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY
42d MILITARY POLICE BRIGADE
(THE PROTECTORS)**

Constituted 25 January 1968 in the Regular Army as Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 42d Military Police Group, and activated in Germany

Redesignated 21 October 1977 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 42d Military Police Group

Inactivated 1 June 1992 in Germany

Redesignated 12 May 2004 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 42d Military Police Brigade

Activated 16 October 2004 at Fort Lewis, Washington

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

War on Terrorism

Iraq:

Iraqi Surge

Iraqi Sovereignty

(Additional campaigns to be determined)

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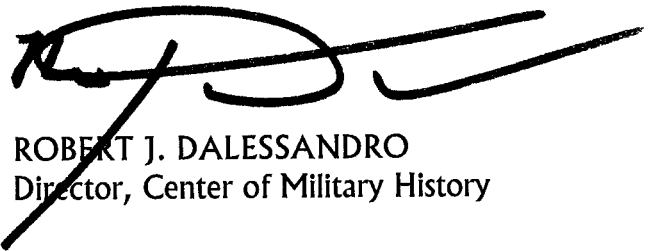
DECORATIONS

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Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2004-2005

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2008-2009

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'R. J. Dalessandro', is written over the printed name and title. The signature is stylized with a large, sweeping 'R' and a long horizontal stroke.

ROBERT J. DALESSANDRO
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