

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

## Lineage and Honors

### 1st BATTALION, 227th AVIATION

Constituted 1 February 1963 in the Regular Army as Company A, 227th Assault Helicopter Battalion, an element of the 11th Air Assault Division

Activated 11 February 1963 at Fort Benning, Georgia

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1965 as Company A, 227th Aviation Battalion, an element of the 1st Cavalry Division

Inactivated 19 November 1974 at Fort Hood, Texas

Activated 21 May 1978 at Fort Hood, Texas

Inactivated 30 September 1983 at Fort Hood, Texas

Redesignated 16 July 1987 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 227th Aviation, and activated at Fort Hood, Texas (organic elements concurrently constituted and activated)

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## CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

### Vietnam

- \*Defense
- \*Counteroffensive
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase II
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase III
- \*Tet Counteroffensive
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase IV
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase V
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase VI
- \*Tet 69/Counteroffensive
- \*Summer-Fall 1969
- \*Winter-Spring 1970
- \*Sanctuary Counteroffensive
- \*Counteroffensive, Phase VII

### Southwest Asia

- \*Defense of Saudi Arabia
- \*Liberation and Defense of Kuwait
- \*Cease-Fire

## DECORATIONS

- \*Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered PLEIKU PROVINCE
- \*Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered BINH THUAN PROVINCE
- Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered QUANG TIN PROVINCE
- \*Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered BIEN HOA PROVINCE
- \*Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered FISH HOOK
- \*Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered FIRE SUPPORT BASE 6.

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\*Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1965-1966

\*Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA

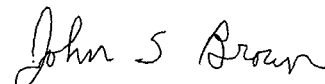
\*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1965-1969

\*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1969-1970

\*Republic of Vietnam Cross of Gallantry with Palm, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1970-1971

\*Republic of Vietnam Civil Action Honor Medal, First Class, Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1969-1970

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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