

Lineage and Honors

SPECIAL TROOPS BATTALION, 82d AIRBORNE DIVISION

Constituted 24 June 1921 in the Organized Reserves as Headquarters, Special Troops, 82d Division

Organized in January 1922 at Columbia, South Carolina

Disbanded 30 January 1942

Reconstituted 22 February 1945 in the Organized Reserves as Headquarters, Special Troops, 82d Airborne Division

Activated 1 March 1945 in France

Consolidated 15 December 1947 with the 82d Replacement Company (see ANNEX) and consolidated unit designated as the 82d Replacement Company, an element of the 82d Airborne Division

(Organized Reserves redesignated 25 March 1948 as the Organized Reserve Corps)

Withdrawn 15 November 1948 from the Organized Reserve Corps and allotted to the Regular Army

Reorganized and redesignated 21 June 1975 as the 82d Adjutant General Company

Inactivated 30 September 1987 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Redesignated 16 June 2006 as Special Troops Battalion, 82d Airborne Division, and activated at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

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ANNEX

Constituted 16 October 1942 in the Army of the United States as Company A, 22d Replacement Battalion

Activated 20 October 1942 at Camp Sutton, North Carolina

Redesignated 17 November 1943 as the 290th Replacement Company

Inactivated 20 April 1946 in Italy

Redesignated 11 December 1947 as the 82d Replacement Company and assigned to the 82d Airborne Division

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
Naples-Foggia
Rome-Arno
Rhineland
Central Europe

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered EUROPEAN THEATER

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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