

# Department of the army Lineage and Honors

## HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS DETACHMENT 247th QUARTERMASTER BATTALION

Constituted 12 April 1942 in the Army of the United States as the 247th Quartermaster Battalion

Activated 1 June 1942 at the New Orleans Port of Embarkation, Louisiana, as the 247th Quartermaster Service Battalion

Battalion broken up 20 September 1943 and its elements reorganized and redesignated as follows:

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment as Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 247th Quartermaster Battalion

(Companies A, B, C, and D as the 3145th, 3146th, 3147th, and 3148th Quartermaster Companies, respectively - hereafter separate lineages)

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 247th Quartermaster Battalion, inactivated 25 January 1946 in the Philippine Islands

Redesignated 14 December 1962 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 247th Quartermaster Battalion, and allotted to the Army Reserve (organic elements concurrently constituted)

Battalion activated 7 January 1963 with Headquarters at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Inactivated 31 January 1968 at Pittsburgh, Pennsylvania

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 247th Quartermaster Battalion, activated 2 September 1996 at Punxsutawney, Pennsylvania

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#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II Rhineland Ardennes-Alsace Asiatic-Pacific Theater, Streamer without inscription

#### DECORATIONS

None

#### BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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