



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS DETACHMENT
709th MILITARY POLICE BATTALION**

Constituted 10 January 1942 in the Army of the United States as the 709th Military Police Battalion

Activated 9 April 1942 at Camp Niantic, Connecticut

Reorganized and redesignated 5 June 1945 as the 709th Military Police Service Battalion

Reorganized and redesignated 18 September 1951 as the 709th Military Police Battalion and allotted to the Regular Army

(Companies A, B, and C inactivated 21 October 1977 in Germany)

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
Northern France

DECORATIONS

Valorous Unit Award, Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2003-2004

MWC IRAQ 2005-2006 - January
Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 1995-1996

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