

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY Lineage and Honors

522d MILITARY INTELLIGENCE BATTALION (THE EQUALIZERS)

Constituted 1 September 1950 in the Regular Army as the 522d Military Intelligence Service Detachment and activated at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Inactivated 28 December 1951 in Korea

Redesignated 23 June 1954 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 522d Military Intelligence Battalion (Companies A and B concurrently constituted)

Battalion activated 27 July 1954 in Germany

Inactivated 15 August 1958 in Germany

Activated 21 December 1976 in Fort Hood, Texas

(373d Army Security Agency Company [see ANNEX 1] and the 502d Military Intelligence Company [see ANNEX 2] consolidated 16 October 1979 with, respectively, Companies A and B, 522d Military Intelligence Battalion; Company C, 522d Military Intelligence Battalion concurrently constituted and activated at Fort Hood, Texas)

Battalion inactivated 15 January 1996 at Fort Hood, Texas

Activated March 2016 in Germany

ANNEX 1

Constituted 11 May 1962 in the Regular Army as Company B, 303d Army Security Agency Battalion

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Activated 25 June 1962 at Fort Benning, Georgia

Reorganized and redesignated 15 October 1966 as the 373d Army Security Agency Company

ANNEX 2

Constituted 21 June 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 520th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment

Activated 1 July 1944 at Camp Campbell, Kentucky

Allotted 17 December 1948 to the Regular Army

Reorganized and redesignated 25 January 1958 as the 502d Military Intelligence Detachment

Consolidated 28 December 1961 with the 502d Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment [see ANNEX 3] and consolidated unit designated as the 502d Military Intelligence Detachment

Reorganized and redesignated 8 January 1971 as the 502d Military Intelligence Company

ANNEX 3

Constituted 12 July 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 502d Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment

Activated 16 August 1944 in France with personnel from provisional Counter Intelligence Corps detachment attached to the 2d Armored Division

Inactivated 14 October 1946 in Germany

Activated 10 May 1947 on Guam

Inactivated 14 March 1950 on Guam

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

Korean War
UN Offensive
CCF Intervention
First UN Counter Offensive
CCF Spring Offensive
UN Summer-Fall Offensive
Second Korean Winter

Company B additionally entitled to:

World War II
Normandy
Northern France
Rhineland
Ardennes-Alsace
Central Europe

DECORATIONS

None

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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