

Department of the army Lineage and Honors

17th MILITARY POLICE DETACHMENT

Constituted 12 August 1943 in the Army of the United States as the 17th Military Police Section, Criminal Investigation

Activated 14 August 1943 at the Provost Marshal General Training Center, Fort Custer, Michigan

Redesignated 15 March 1944 as the 17th Criminal Investigation Section

Redesignated 23 September 1944 as the 17th Military Police Criminal Investigation Section

Redesignated 29 December 1944 as the 17th Military Police Criminal Investigation Detachment

Inactivated 20 October 1945 at Camp Bullis, Texas

Activated 2 January 1947 at the New York Port of Embarkation, Brooklyn Army Base, New York

Redesignated 16 August 1954 as the 17th Military Police Detachment

Inactivated 1 December 1955 at the Brooklyn Army Terminal, New York

Allotted 28 January 1957 to the Regular Army

Activated 15 February 1957 at Camp Irwin, California

Inactivated 25 March 1965 at Camp Irwin, California

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Activated 25 June 1965 in Germany

Inactivated 20 November 1977 in Germany

Activated 16 June 2001 at Fort Jackson, South Carolina

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II Normandy Northern France

DECORATIONS

None

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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