



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

21st MILITARY POLICE DETACHMENT

Constituted 2 March 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 21st Criminal Investigation Section

Activated 1 April 1944 in New Caledonia

Reorganized and redesignated 10 August 1944 as the 20th Military Police Criminal Investigation Section

Redesignated 29 April 1945 as the 21st Military Police Criminal Investigation Detachment

Inactivated 30 September 1946 in Japan

Activated 15 June 1947 in Japan

Allotted 25 October 1951 to the Regular Army

Reorganized and redesignated 27 March 1954 as the 21st Military Police Detachment

Inactivated 25 March 1956 in Japan

Activated 15 February 1957 at Fort Lawton, Washington

Inactivated 25 March 1965 at Fort Lawton, Washington

Activated 25 June 1965 in Germany

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Inactivated 20 November 1977 in Germany

Activated 25 June 1965 in Germany

Activated 16 October 1994 in Korea

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Asiatic-Pacific Theater, Streamer with inscription

Korean War

UN Defensive

UN Offensive

CCF Intervention

First UN Counter Offensive

CCF Spring Offensive

UN Summer-Fall Offensive

Second Korean Winter

Korea, Summer-Fall 1952

Third Korean Winter

Korea, Summer 1953

War on Terrorism

Global War on Terrorism

(Additional campaigns to be determined)

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered KOREA 1952-1953

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered KOREA 1953-1954

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered SOUTHWEST ASIA
2005-2006

21st MILITARY POLICE DETACHMENT

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1950-1952

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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