



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

42d MILITARY POLICE DETACHMENT

Constituted 18 November 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 42d Military Police Criminal Investigation Section

Activated 26 November 1944 in France

Redesignated 31 March 1945 as the 42d Military Police Criminal Investigation Detachment

Inactivated 15 November 1945 at Camp Bullis, Texas

Redesignated 8 May 1947 as the 300th Military Police Criminal Investigation Detachment and allotted to the Organized Reserves

Activated 30 May 1947 at Memphis, Tennessee

(Organized Reserves redesignated 25 March 1948 as the Organized Reserve Corps; redesignated 9 July 1952 as the Army Reserve)

Ordered into active military service 11 September 1950 at Memphis, Tennessee; released from active military service 15 February 1955 and reverted to reserve status

Reorganized and redesignated 31 May 1955 as the 300th Military Police Detachment

42d MILITARY POLICE DETACHMENT

Inactivated 15 October 1958 at Memphis, Tennessee

Allotted 1 July 1968 to the Regular Army

Activated 1 September 1968 at Oakland Army Base, California

Inactivated 29 August 1971 at Oakland Army Base, California

Activated 21 April 1975 in Germany

Inactivated 20 November 1977 in Germany

Reorganized and redesignated 2 July 1996 as the 42d Military Police Detachment

Activated 16 October 1997 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Rhineland

Ardennes-Alsace

Central Europe

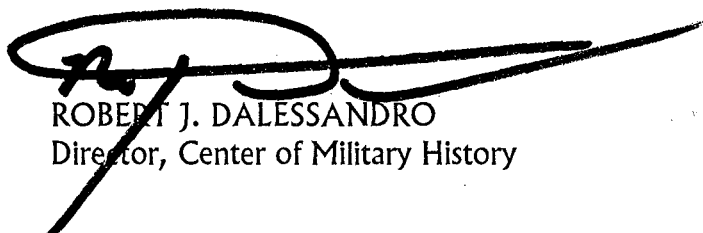
War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined

DECORATIONS

None

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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