

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Lineage and Honors

256th SIGNAL COMPANY

Constituted 12 April 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 3256th Signal Company

Activated 25 April 1944 in England

Inactivated 28 January 1946 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey

Redesignated 25 March 1953 as the 256th Signal Company, allotted to the Regular Army, and activated at Camp Gordon, Georgia

Inactivated 1 November 1955 at Camp Gordon, Georgia

Activated 1 May 1960 in France

Inactivated 1 July 1967 in Germany

Activated 1 June 1974 in Germany

Inactivated 1 July 1975 in Germany

Activated 1 October 1979 at Fort Rucker, Alabama

Inactivated 15 September 1994 at Fort Rucker, Alabama

Activated 16 May 2008 at Fort Lewis, Washington

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

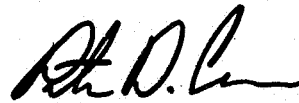
World War II
Northern France
Rhineland
Ardennes-Alsace
Central Europe

War on Terrorism
Campaigns to be determined

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered IRAQ 2009-2010

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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