



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
Lineage and Honors

278th SIGNAL COMPANY

Constituted 12 February 1943 in the Army of the United States as the 1308th Signal Pigeon Company

Activated 20 March 1943 at Jacksonville, Florida

Disbanded 29 February 1944 at Gulfport, Mississippi

Reconstituted 14 April 1944 in the Army of the United States as the 1308th Signal Pigeon Company

Activated 28 April 1944 at Gulfport, Mississippi

Redesignated 26 October 1944 as the 278th Signal Pigeon Company

Inactivated 30 October 1945 in Germany

Redesignated 25 June 1964 as the 278th Signal Company, allotted to the Regular Army, and activated at Fort Lewis, Washington

Inactivated 1 September 1970 in Vietnam

Activated 16 March 1980 at Fort Hood, Texas

Inactivated 14 August 1987 at Fort Hood, Texas

Activated 16 October 2005 in Kuwait

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
Rhineland
Central Europe

Vietnam
Counteroffensive, Phase II
Counteroffensive, Phase III
Tet Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase IV
Counteroffensive, Phase V
Counteroffensive, Phase VI
Tet 69/Counteroffensive
Summer-Fall 1969
Winter-Spring 1970
Sanctuary Counteroffensive
Counteroffensive, Phase VII

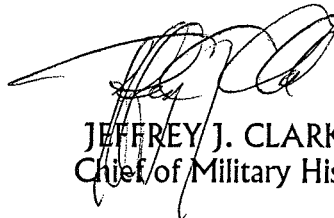
DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1966-1967

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1967-1968

Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered VIETNAM 1968-1970

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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