



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

359th REGIMENT

Constituted 5 August 1917 in the National Army as the 359th Infantry and assigned to the 90th Division

Organized in September 1917 at Camp Travis, Texas

Demobilized 24 June 1919 at Camp Bowie, Texas

Reconstituted 24 June 1921 in the Organized Reserves as the 359th Infantry and assigned to the 90th Division (later redesignated as the 90th Infantry Division)

Organized in November 1921 with Headquarters at Dallas, Texas

Ordered into active military service 25 March 1942 and reorganized at Camp Barkeley, Texas

Inactivated 26 December 1945 at Camp Kilmer, New Jersey

Activated 24 March 1947 in the Organized Reserves with Headquarters at Dallas, Texas

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

359th REGIMENT

Reorganized 1 April 1959 as a parent regiment under the Combat Arms Regimental System to consist of the 1st Battle Group, an element of the 90th Infantry Division

Reorganized 15 March 1963 to consist of the 1st and 2d Battalions, elements of the 90th Infantry Division

1st and 2d Battalions inactivated 31 December 1965 and relieved from assignment to the 90th Infantry Division

359th Infantry withdrawn 17 October 1999 from the Combat Arms Regimental System, redesignated as the 359th Regiment, and reorganized to consist of the 1st Battalion, an element of the 91st Division (Training Support); 1st Battalion concurrently allotted to the Regular Army

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War I

St. Mihiel

Meuse-Argonne

Lorraine 1918

World War II

Normandy (with arrowhead)

Northern France

Rhineland

Ardennes-Alsace

Central Europe

359th REGIMENT

DECORATIONS

French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered MOSELLE-SARRE RIVERS

1st Battalion additionally entitled to:

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered PRETOT, FRANCE

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered NORTHERN FRANCE

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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