



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

689th TRANSPORTATION DETACHMENT

Constituted 1 May 1936 in the Regular Army as Company B, 394th Quartermaster Battalion

Activated 27 June 1941 at Oakland, California

Converted, reorganized, and redesignated 31 July 1942 as Company B, 394th Port Battalion, Transportation Corps

Reorganized and redesignated 10 November 1943 as the 609th Port Company

Redesignated 25 July 1947 as the 609th Transportation Port Company

Inactivated 25 January 1949 in Korea

Redesignated 1 March 1956 as the 609th Transportation Company

Activated 14 March 1956 at Fort Eustis, Virginia

Inactivated 20 May 1957 at Fort Eustis, Virginia

Activated 1 August 1965 at Fort Benning, Georgia

Inactivated 16 November 1987 at Hunter Army Airfield, Georgia

Redesignated 7 June 2007 as the 689th Transportation Detachment

Activated 16 October 2008 at Fort Eustis, Virginia

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II
East Indies
Papua
New Guinea
Leyte (with arrowhead)

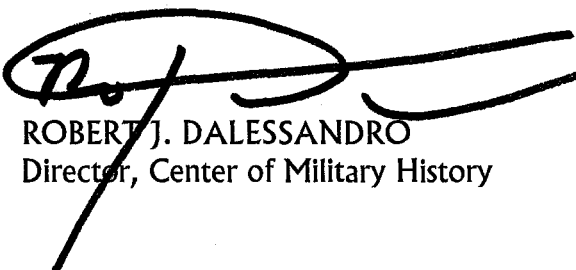
DECORATIONS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered PAPUA

Army Superior Unit Award, Streamer embroidered 2010

Philippine Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered 17 OCTOBER 1944 TO
4 JULY 1945

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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