GENERAL ORDERS No. 32

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I. GENERAL COURTS-MARTIAL.—1. The commanding officer, Camp Crowder, Missouri, is designated by the Secretary of the Army, pursuant to the Uniform Code of Military Justice, Article 22(*a*)(6), to convene general courts-martial, *effective 1 April 1953.*

[AG 250.4 (13 Mar 53)]

2. The commanding officer, Fort MacArthur, California, is designated by the Secretary of the Army, pursuant to the Uniform Code of Military Justice, Article 22(*a*)(6), to convene general courts-martial, *effective 1 April 1953.*

[AG 250.4 (3 Apr 53)]

II. SIGNAL SUPPLY SCHOOL, FORT HOLABIRD, MARYLAND.—*Effective 12 October 1951*, the Signal Supply School, Fort Holabird, Baltimore, Maryland, is established as a class II activity under the jurisdiction of the Chief Signal Officer.

[AG 352 (12 Feb 53)]

III. UNITS ENTITLED TO BATTLE CREDITS.—1. **Algeria-French Morocco.**—Section II, WD General Orders 59, 1945, as amended by paragraph 1, section VII, WD General Orders 85, 1945; paragraph 1, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; and paragraph 1, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Algeria-French Morocco campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: Company B, Maintenance Battalion, 2d Armored Division.
56th Medical Battalion.
66th Armored Regiment.
213th Coast Artillery Antiaircraft Regiment.
643d Quartermaster Medium Maintenance Company, Aviation.

Add: 2d Armored Division, Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Company.
2d Armored Division, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Combat Command B.
2d Armored Division, Maintenance Battalion.
66th Armored Regiment, 1st Battalion.
82d Armored Reconnaissance Battalion.
213th Coast Artillery Regiment (AA), 2d Battalion.
643d Ordnance Meduim Maintenance Company, Aviation (Q).

2. **Ardennes-Alsace.**—DA General Orders 63, 1948, as amended by paragraph 24, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 2, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 3, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Ardennes-Alsace campaign, is further amended as follows:

Add: 4th Infantry Division, Headquarters, Special Troops.
31st Hospital Train.
254th Infantry Regiment.
342d Armored Field Artillery Battalion.
505th Military Police Battalion.

3. **Bismarck Archipelago.**—Section XIV, WD General Orders 12, 1946, as

amended by paragraph 16, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 3, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 4, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Bismarck Archipelago campaign, is further amended as follows:

Add: 369th Infantry Regiment.

4. **Central Burma.**—Section XVIII, WD General Orders 12, 1946, as amended by paragraph 19, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948, pertaining to the Central Burma campaign, is further amended as follows:

Add: 96th Signal Battalion.
3101st Signal Service Battalion.

5. **Central Europe.**—WD General Orders 116, 1945, as amended by section IV, DA General Orders 29, 1948; paragraph 10, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 4, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 5, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Central Europe campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 38th Antiaircraft Artillery Group, Headquarters and Headquarters Battery.

Add: 38th Antiaircraft Artillery Brigade, Headquarters and Headquarters Battery.
463d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.

6. **East Indies.**—Section IV, WD General Orders 12, 1946, pertaining to the East Indies campaign, is amended as follows:

Delete: 361st Station Hospital.

Add: 131st Field Artillery Regiment, 2d Battalion.

7. **Guadalcanal.**—Section X, WD General Orders 12, 1946, pertaining to the Guadalcanal campaign, is amended as follows:

Delete: 125th Quartermaster Company, Americal Division.
950th Antiaircraft Artillery Battalion, Automatic Weapons (Semi-mobile).

8. **India-Burma.**—Section V, WD General Orders 12, 1946, pertaining to the India-Burma campaign, is amended as follows:

Delete: 96th Signal Battalion. RESCINDED BY SEC VI, PAR 3, DAGO 47-1
3101st Signal Service Battalion.

9. **Leyte.**—Section I, DA General Orders 29, 1948, as amended by paragraph 22, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 5, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 6, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Leyte campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 40th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop (Mechanized) (40th Infantry Division).
40th Infantry Division, Headquarters and Headquarters Company; Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery; Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops; Band and Military Police Platoon.
40th Quartermaster Company (40th Infantry Division).
40th Signal Company (40th Infantry Division).
115th Engineer Combat Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
115th Medical Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
143d Field Artillery Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
160th Infantry Regiment (40th Infantry Division).
185th Infantry Regiment (40th Infantry Division).
213th Field Artillery Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
222d Field Artillery Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
231st Port Company.
740th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company (40th Infantry Division).

Add: 108th Ordnance Maintenance Company.
115th Engineer Combat Battalion Company C (108th Regimental Combat Team).
115th Medical Battalion Company C (108th Regimental Combat Team).
711th Tank Battalion.

10. Luzon.—Section XVII WD General Orders 12 1946 as amended by paragraph 4 section V, DA General Orders 29, 1948; paragraph 18, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 6, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 7, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Luzon campaign is further amended as follows:

Delete: 361st Station Hospital.
Add: 1st Field Hospital.
2820th Engineer Base Reproduction Company.
2821st Engineer Base Photomapping Company.

11. Naples-Foggia.—WD General Orders 96, 1945, as amended by section III, DA General Orders 29, 1948; paragraph 6, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 7, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 8, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Naples-Foggia campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: Headquarters, Reserve Command, 1st Armored Division.
463d Parachute Field Artillery Battalion.

12. New Guinea.—Section XI, WD General Orders 12, 1946, as amended by paragraph 2, section V, DA General Orders 29, 1948; paragraph 8, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 9, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the New Guinea campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 542d Engineer Shore Regiment, Detachment, Boat Company.
Add: 542d Engineer Boat and Shore Regiment.

13. Normandy.—WD General Orders 102, 1945, as amended by paragraph 8, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 9, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 10, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Normandy campaign, is further amended as follows:

Add: 96th Quartermaster Battalion, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment and Medical Detachment.
3580th Quartermaster Truck Company.

14. Northern France.—WD General Orders 103, 1945, as amended by paragraph 9, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 10, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 12, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Northern France campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 398th Engineer General Service Company.
729th Railway Operations Detachment.
3853d Quartermaster Gas Supply Company.
Add: 398th Engineer General Service Regiment.
729th Railway Operating Battalion.

15. Northern Solomons.—Section XII, WD General Orders 12, 1946, as amended by paragraph 15, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; and paragraph 13, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Northern Solomons campaign, is further amended as follows:

Add: 1st Ordnance Battalion, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment.
108th Ordnance Maintenance Company.
120th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company.
121st Medical Battalion.
245th Field Artillery Battalion.
578th Signal Aircraft Warning Battalion, Company B.

16. Papua.—Section IX, WD General Orders 12, 1946, as amended by paragraph 14, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948, pertaining to the Papua campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 1st Field Hospital Detachment.

17. Rhineland.—WD General Orders 118, 1945, as amended by section IV, DA General Orders 29, 1948; paragraph 11, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 11, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 14, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Rhineland campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 76th Signal (Heavy) Construction Company.
610th Ordnance Base Armament Maintenance Battalion, Headquarters Service Company.

Add: 1st Antiaircraft Artillery Group, Headquarters and Headquarters Battery.
9th Antiaircraft Artillery Group, Headquarters and Headquarters Battery.
73d Antiaircraft Artillery Gun Battalion.
76th Signal Heavy Construction Battalion.
114th Antiaircraft Artillery Gun Battalion.
115th Evacuation Hospital (Semimobile).
122d Quartermaster Battalion, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment and Medical Detachment.
133d Engineer Combat Battalion.
144th Quartermaster Truck Company.
152d Quartermaster Battalion, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment.
164th Engineer Combat Battalion.
167th Engineer Combat Battalion.
193d Field Artillery Group.
194th Chemical Depot Company.
196th Field Artillery Battalion.
463d Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.
610th Ordnance Base Armament Maintenance Battalion.

18. Rome-Arno.—WD General Orders 99, 1945, as amended by paragraph 7, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 12, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 15, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Rome-Arno campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 105th Antiaircraft Artillery Airways Battalion.
177th Military Police Company, Zone of Interior.
337th Engineers General Supply Regiment.

Add: 105th Antiaircraft Artillery Automatic Weapons Battalion.
337th Engineer General Service Regiment.

19. Ryukyus.—Section XIX, WD General Orders 12, 1946, as amended by paragraph 20, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 13, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 16, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Ryukyus campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 706th Tank Battalion, Detachment.

Add: 706th Tank Battalion.

20. Sicily.—WD General Orders 91, 1945, as amended by paragraph 14, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 17, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Sicily campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: Company C, Maintenance Battalion, 2d Armored Division.

Add: 2d Armored Division, Maintenance Battalion.
2d Armored Division, Supply Battalion.

21. **Southern Philippines.**—Paragraph 3, section V, DA General Orders 29, 1948, as amended by paragraph 23, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; paragraph 16, section II, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 2, section VII, DA General Orders 44, 1950, pertaining to the Southern Philippines campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 11th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment (11th Abn Div).
11th Parachute Maintenance Company (11th Abn Div).
96th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop (Mechanized) (96th Inf Div).
96th Counter Intelligence Corps Detachment (96th Inf Div).
96th Infantry Division, Headquarters and Headquarters Company; Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery; Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops; Band and Military Police Platoon.
96th Quartermaster Company (96th Inf Div).
96th Signal Company (96th Inf Div).
115th Engineer Combat Battalion, Company C (108th Regimental Combat Team).
115th Medical Battalion, Company C (108th Regimental Combat, Team).
127th Airborne Engineer Battalion (11th Abn Div).
152d Airborne Antiaircraft Battalion (11th Abn Div).
187th Glider Infantry Regiment (11th Abn Div).
188th Glider Infantry Regiment (11th Abn Div).
221st Airborne Medical Battalion (11th Abn Div).
321st Engineer Combat Battalion (96th Inf Div).
321st Medical Battalion (96th Inf Div).
361st Field Artillery Battalion (96th Inf Div).
362d Field Artillery Battalion (96th Inf Div).
363d Field Artillery Battalion (96th Inf Div).
381st Infantry Regiment (96th Inf Div).
382d Infantry Regiment (96th Inf Div).
383d Infantry Regiment (96th Inf Div).
408th Airborne Quartermaster Company (11th Abn Div).
457th Parachute Field Artillery Battalion (11th Abn Div).
511th Airborne Signal Company (11th Abn Div).
511th Parachute Infantry Regiment (11th Abn Div).
674th Glider Field Artillery Battalion (11th Abn Div).
675th Glider Field Artillery Battalion (11th Abn Div).
711th Airborne Ordnance Maintenance Company (11th Abn Div).
796th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company (96th Inf Div).
921st Field Artillery Battalion (96th Inf Div).

Add: 40th Cavalry Reconnaissance Troop (Mechanized) (40th Infantry Division).
40th Infantry Division, Headquarters and Headquarters Company; Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, Division Artillery; Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops; Band and Military Police Platoon.
40th Quartermaster Company (40th Infantry Division).
40th Signal Company (40th Infantry Division).
115th Engineer Combat Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
115th Medical Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
143d Field Artillery Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
160th Infantry Regiment (40th Infantry Division).

Add: 185th Infantry Regiment (40th Infantry Division).
213th Field Artillery Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
222d Field Artillery Battalion (40th Infantry Division).
231st Port Company.
361st Station Hospital.
740th Ordnance Light Maintenance Company (40th Infantry Division).

22. Tunisia.—Section III, WD General Orders 59, 1945, as amended by paragraph 2, section VII, WD General Orders 85, 1945; and paragraph 2, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948, pertaining to the Tunisia campaign, is further amended as follows:

Delete: 501st Counter Intelligence Corps, 1st Armored Division.

23. Western Pacific.—Section XV, WD General Orders 12, 1946, as amended by paragraph 17, section I, DA General Orders 72, 1948; and paragraph 19, section I, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Western Pacific campaign, is further amended as follows:

Add: 2d Portable Surgical Hospital.
23d Portable Surgical Hospital.
31st Infantry Division, Headquarters.
124th Infantry Regiment, Company F.
149th Field Artillery Battalion, Battery A.
167th Infantry Regiment, 2d Battalion.

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IV. UNITS CREDITED WITH ASSAULT LANDINGS.—**1. Italy.**—Paragraph 2, section II, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Italy assault landings, is amended as follows:

6. Salerno.—*a. Amphibious, 9 and 10 September 1943.*

Delete: 52d Medical Battalion.
307th Airborne Engineer Battalion.
337th Engineer General Service Regiment.
540th Military Police Company, Detachment.

Add: 84th Chemical Battalion (less Company A).
307th Airborne Engineer Battalion, 2d Platoon, Company A.
337th Engineer General Service Regiment, 2d Battalion.

7. Anzio.

Delete: 307th Airborne Engineer Battalion.

Add: 307th Airborne Engineer Battalion, Company C.

2. Luzon.—Paragraph 4, section II, WD General Orders 109, 1946, as amended by paragraph 2, section II, DA General Orders 23, 1947; and paragraph 3, section II, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Luzon assault landings, is further amended as follows:

b. Zambalas, Luzon.

Delete: 3350th Quartermaster Service Platoon

3. New Guinea.—Paragraph 1, section II, WD General Orders 109, 1946, as amended by paragraph 2, section II, DA General Orders 23, 1947; and paragraph 4, section II, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the New Guinea assault landings, is further amended as follows:

a. Aitape.

Add: 99th Signal Battalion, Detachment.

b. Biak Island.

Add: 99th Signal Battalion, Detachment.

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k. Wadke Island, Arara, Toem.

Add: 99th Signal Battalion, Detachment.

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4. Nijmegen-Arnhem (airborne).—Paragraph 12, section II, WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by paragraph 2, section VIII, WD General Orders 75, 1945; and paragraph 5, section II, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Nijmegen-Arnhem assault landings, is further amended as follows:

Add: 376th Parachute Field Artillery Battalion.

5. Normandy (amphibious).—Paragraph 11, Section II, WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by paragraph 1, section VIII, WD General Orders 75, 1945; paragraphs 8 and 9, section III, WD General Orders 116, 1946; paragraph 1, section II, DA General Orders 23, 1947; and paragraph 1, section II, DA General Orders 72, 1948, pertaining to the Normandy assault landings (airborne), is further amended as follows:

Delete: 376th Parachute Field Artillery Battalion.

6. North Africa (amphibious).—Paragraph 2, section II, WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by paragraph 2, section III, WD General Orders 116, 1946; paragraph 1, section II, DA General Orders 23, 1947; paragraph 5, section III, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 7, section II, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the North Africa assault landings is further amended as follows:

Delete: 56th Medical Battalion.
66th Armored Regiment.
67th Armored Medical Regiment.
109th Medical Battalion.
213th Coast Artillery (AA) Regiment.
756th Tank Battalion (Companies A and B).

Add: 2d Armored Division, Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Company.
2d Armored Division, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, Combat Command B.
66th Armored Regiment, 1st Battalion.
67th Armored Regiment.
109th Medical Battalion, Company C.
213th Coast Artillery Regiment (AA), 2d Battalion.
756th Tank Battalion, Companies A and C.

7. Sicily (amphibious).—Paragraph 4, section II, WD General Orders 70, 1945, as amended by paragraph 3, section III, WD General Orders 116, 1946; and paragraph 9, section II, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Sicily (amphibious) assault landings, is further amended as follows

Delete: 67th Armored Medical Regiment.

Add: 67th Armored Regiment.

8. Southern France (airborne).—Paragraph 9, section II, WD General Orders 70, 1945, pertaining to the Southern France assault landings, is amended as follows:

Add: 550th Airborne Infantry Battalion.

9. Southern Philippines.—Paragraph 3, section II, WD General Orders 109, 1946, as amended by paragraph 2, section II, DA General Orders 23, 1947; paragraph 2, section III, DA General Orders 6, 1950; and paragraph 11, section II, DA General Orders 37, 1950, pertaining to the Southern Philippines assault landings, is further amended as follows:

a. Leyte Island.

Delete: 718th Amphibian Tractor Company.

Add: 99th Signal Battalion, Detachment.
718th Amphibian Tractor Battalion.
767th Tank Battalion.

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d. Mapia Island.
Add: 167th Infantry Regiment, 2d Battalion.

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f. Mindoro Island.
Delete: Detachment, Company A, 98th Signal Battalion.
Add: 98th Signal Battalion. 1st Platoon, Company A

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V. CHEMICAL PROCUREMENT DISTRICTS.—1. *Effective 1 July 1953*, the Chicago Chemical Procurement District, Chicago, Illinois, a class II activity under the jurisdiction of the Chief Chemical Officer, is redesignated the Rocky Mountain Arsenal Procurement Office, a subactivity of Rocky Mountain Arsenal, Denver, Colorado.

2. *Effective 1 July 1953*, the Dallas Chemical Procurement District, Dallas, Texas, a class II activity under the jurisdiction of the Chief Chemical Officer, is redesignated the Pine Bluff Arsenal Procurement Office, a subactivity of Pine Bluff Arsenal, Arsenal, Arkansas.

3. *Effective 1 January 1954*, the Boston Chemical Procurement District, Boston, Massachusetts, a class II activity under the jurisdiction of the Chief Chemical Officer, is redesignated the Boston Sub-Office, New York Chemical Procurement District, a subactivity of the New York Chemical Procurement District, New York, New York.

4. Section IV, DA General Orders 27, 1949, is amended accordingly.

[AG 323.3 (30 Mar 53)]

VI. THEODORE AMMUNITION TERMINAL, ALABAMA.—*Effective 15 April 1953*, the former United States Naval Magazine, Theodore, Alabama, is designated the Theodore Ammunition Terminal and established as a subinstallation of the New Orleans Port of Embarkation, a class II installation under the jurisdiction of the Chief of Transportation.

[AG 323.3 (4 Apr 53)]

VII. FORT HANCOCK, NEW JERSEY.—*Effective 1 May 1953*, Fort Hancock, New Jersey, a class I installation under the jurisdiction of the Commanding General, First Army, is placed in an inactive status.

[AG 323.3 (2 Apr 53)]

VIII. FORT FLAGLER, WASHINGTON.—*Effective 1 April 1953*, Fort Flagler, Washington, a class I subinstallation of Fort Worden, Washington, a class I installation under the jurisdiction of the Commanding General, Sixth Army, is placed in an inactive status.

[AG 323.3 (2 Apr 53)]

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