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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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DESIGNATION OF TABLE OF DISTRIBUTION UNITS OF THE ARMY STAFF

1. *Effective 1 January 1957*, Table of Distribution Units of the Army Staff are redesignated as follows:

Current	*New*
Office of the Chief of Staff (8525)	Office of the Chief of Staff, U. S. Army.
Civilian Personnel Office, Office of the Chief of Staff (8525-4).	Civilian Personnel Office, Office of the Chief of Staff, U. S. Army.
Management Office, Office of the Chief of Staff (8525-5).	Management Office, Office of the Chief of Staff, U. S. Army.
Staff Communications Office, Office of the Chief of Staff (8525-6).	Staff Communications Office, Office of the Chief of Staff, U. S. Army.
General Staff Committee on National Guard and Army Reserve Policy, Office of the Chief of Staff, Army (8526).	General Staff Committee on National Guard and Army Reserve Policy, Office of the Chief of Staff, U. S. Army.
Office of the Comptroller of the Army (8528).	Office of the Comptroller of the Army.
Office of the Chief of Information (8529).	Office of the Chief of Information, U. S. Army.
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Reserve Components (8530).	Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff for Reserve Components, U. S. Army.
Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel (8531).	Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Personnel, U. S. Army.
Office of the Director, Women's Army Corps (8532).	Office of the Director, United States Women's Army Corps.
Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence (8533).	Office of the Assistant Chief of Staff, Intelligence, U. S. Army.
Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations (8534).	Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Military Operations, U. S. Army.
Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics (8535).	Office of the Deputy Chief of Staff for Logistics, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief of Army Reserve and ROTC Affairs (8536).	Office of the Chief of U. S. Army Reserve and ROTC Affairs.
National Guard Bureau (8537)	National Guard Bureau.
Office of the Chief of Military History (8538).	Office of the Chief of Military History, U. S. Army.
Office of The Inspector General (8539)	Office of The Inspector General, U. S. Army.
Office of The Judge Advocate General (8540).	Office of The Judge Advocate General, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief of Finance (8541)	Office of the Chief of Finance, U. S. Army.
Army Members, Industrial Personnel Security Boards, Office of the Secretary of Defense (8542).	U. S. Army Members, Industrial Personnel Security Boards, Office of the Secretary of Defense.
Office of the Chief of Special Warfare, United States Army (8544).	Office of the Chief of Special Warfare, U. S. Army.

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Current	*New*
Office of the Chief of Civil Affairs and Military Government (8545).	Office of the Chief of Civil Affairs and Military Government, U. S. Army.
Army Physical Review Council (8549)	U. S. Army Physical Review Council.
The Adjutant General's Office (8553)	Office of The Adjutant General, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief of Chaplains (8554)	Office of the Chief of Chaplains, U. S. Army.
Office of the Provost Marshal General (8555).	Office of the Provost Marshal General, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief of Research and Development (8556).	Office of the Chief of Research and Development, U. S. Army.
Office of The Surgeon General (8560)	Office of The Surgeon General, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief of Ordnance (8561)	Office of the Chief of Ordnance, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief of Engineers (8562)	Office of the Chief of Engineers, U. S. Army.
Office of The Quartermaster General (8563).	Office of The Quartermaster General, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief of Transportation (8564).	Office of the Chief of Transportation, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief Signal Officer (8565)	Office of the Chief Signal Officer, U. S. Army.
Office of the Chief Chemical Officer (8566).	Office of the Chief Chemical Officer, U. S. Army.
Office of the Director of Armed Forces Information & Education, Department of Defense (8476).	Office of the Director of Armed Forces Information & Education, Department of Defense.

2. For the purpose of this directive, the agency designation of the National Guard Bureau and the Office of the Director of Armed Forces Information and Education, Department of Defense, will be changed only so far as pertains to the elimination of the numerical suffix as part of the agency designation. However, for the purpose of TD designation of the Army portion of these agencies, the designations become National Guard Bureau, United States Army Element and United States Army Element, Office of the Director of Armed Forces Information and Education, Department of Defense.

3. For administrative purposes each table of distribution will continue to utilize the currently assigned number. However, this number will be utilized only for the purpose of additional identification in certain administrative actions such as General Orders and organizational reports prepared for and by the Department of the Army. In those administrative actions which require reference to the unit number for additional identification, such reference will be made by inclusion of the TD base number following the unit designation. The unit number will not be used in unit signs, letterheads and similar references.

4. When "Department of the Army" is used as an integral part of agency signs, letterheads, and similar references, the "U. S. Army" suffix to an agency designation will be omitted from the designation; when "U. S." or "United States" appears within the designation of an agency, it will remain as an integral part of the designation. Existing stocks of letterheads, forms, etc., bearing current designations will be continued in use until supplies are exhausted.

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By Order of *Wilber M. Brucker*, Secretary of the Army:

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NG and USAR: B.

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