

Statement of Service: 556th Maintenance Company (Patton's Stevedores)

Constituted 1 August 1940 in the Regular Army as Company D, 67th Quartermaster Battalion, and activated at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Converted & redesignated 1 August 1942 as Company D, 67th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Battalion

Reorganized & redesignated 4 November 1942 as the 3408th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company

Reorganized & redesignated 15 June 1944 as the 3408th Ordnance Medium Automotive Maintenance Company

Inactivated 25 March 1946 at Camp Kilmer New Jersey

Redesignated 10 February 1947 as the 556th Ordnance Medium Automotive Maintenance Company

Activated 20 June 1947 In Germany

Reorganized & redesignated 1 November 1948 as the 556th Ordnance Tank Maintenance Company

Reorganized & redesignated 2 December 1949 as the 556th Ordnance Heavy Maintenance Company

Reorganized & redesignated 10 April 1950 as the 556th Ordnance Medium Maintenance Company

Reorganized & redesignated 1 April 1953 as the 556th Ordnance Company

Inactivated 16 August 1965 in Germany

Redesignated 18 January 1966 as the 556th Maintenance Company

Activated 25 March 1966 at Fort Bragg, North Carolina

Inactivated 1 July 1969 at Camp Kanchanaburi, Thailand

Activated 1 December 1970 at Fort Riley, Kansas

Inactivated 15 June 1995 at Fort Riley, Kansas

Activated 16 July 2004 at Fort Huachuca, Arizona

CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War II

Tunisia, Sicily, Naples-Foggia, Rome-Arno, Southern France, Rhineland, Ardennes-Aisace, Central Europe

Southwest Asia

Liberation and Defense of Kuwait, Cease-Fire

**DECORATIONS: Meritorious Unit Commendation (Army), Streamer embroidered
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