

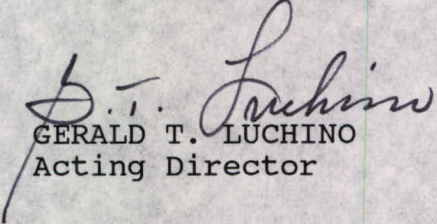
4 September 1990

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD

SUBJECT: 100th Infantry Battalion Flag

1. Today I spoke with Mrs. Alyce Katayama, Hawaii 2d Congressional District Office (local telephone 225-4906) regarding the flag of the 100th Infantry which was on loan to the late Senator Matsunaga. She informed me the flag had been shipped to Hawaii with approximately 1,000 boxes of the Senator's personal effects. Half of the boxes have been placed in storage and half were shipped to the University of Hawaii. She thinks the box containing the flag went to the University.

2. I explained to Mrs. Katayama that the flag was on loan to the Senator and we would like to have it returned when the boxes of personal effects were opened. Mrs. Katayama took my name and telephone number and said she would contact "someone in Hawaii" who is handling the personal effects of the late Senator and ask that person to give me a call regarding the flag.


GERALD T. LUCHINO
Acting Director

THE INSTITUTE OF HERALDRY, US ARMY
Cameron Station, 5010 Duke Street
Alexandria, Virginia 22314

DAAG-HDP

26 JUL 1983

MEMORANDUM FOR LTC GEORGE LAUFFLEN
OFFICE, CHIEF OF LEGISLATIVE LIAISON

SUBJECT: Organizational Color for the 100th Infantry Battalion

1. Reference is made to Memorandum, DAAG-HDP, 17 Feb 83, concerning the manufacture of the organizational flag of the 100th Infantry Battalion flag to be placed on loan to Senator Matsunaga. (Incl 1)
2. The flag has been completed and is forwarded for appropriate presentation to Senator Matsunaga for display in his office during his tenure in office. The flag is to be returned to this Institute through your office when he is no longer a member of the Senate.

Signed

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as

GERALD T. LUCHINO
Colonel, GS
Director



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
OFFICE OF THE QUARTERMASTER GENERAL
WASHINGTON 25, D. C.

IN REPLY REFER TO

QMGRH 424.2 & 421.4
100th Inf Bn (Sep)

26 May 1952

MEMORANDUM FOR RECORD:

SUBJECT: Rescission of Coat of Arms and Distinctive Insignia
for the 100th Infantry Battalion, Separate

1. The coat of arms and distinctive insignia for the 100th Infantry Battalion, Separate, approved by letters SPQRD 424 and SPQRD 421 - 100th Infantry Bn, the Adjutant General's Office, 3 February 1943; and amended by letter SPQRD 424 - 100th Infantry Battalion (Sep), the Adjutant General's Office, 15 February 1943, are rescinded.
2. This rescission is in accordance with "Official Statement of Lineage and Battle Honors" for the 442nd Infantry Regiment which indicates the 100th Infantry Battalion, Separate, and the 442nd Infantry Regiment have been combined as the 442nd Infantry Regiment, therefore the coats of arms of these two organizations have been combined to form a new one, continuing the traditions of both.

Arthur E. Dubois

ARTHUR E. DUBOIS
Chief, Heraldic Branch
Research & Development Division

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FILE
20 APR 1967

SPORD 421.4
100th Infantry Battalion,
Separate.

23 November 1943.

SUBJECT: Redesignation of the Distinctive Insignia for the
100th Infantry Battalion, Separate.

TO: Commanding Officer, 100th Infantry Battalion, Separate,
APO 700, c/o Postmaster, New York, N. Y.

1. In accordance with letter AG 314.73 OB-I, The Adjutant General's Office, 9 November 1943, and by the authority delegated to The Quartermaster General by 2nd Indorsement AG 421.7 Insignia (9-15-42) OB-I, The Adjutant General's Office, 8 October 1942, the Distinctive Insignia for the 100th Infantry Battalion, approved by letter SPORD 421 100th Infantry Bn, this office, 9 February 1943, is redesignated as the Distinctive Insignia for the 100th Infantry Battalion, Separate.

2. While the Distinctive Insignia is redesignated as indicated above, in view of Paragraph 3, Section 1, Circular #161, War Department, 14 July 1943, Distinctive Insignia will not be manufactured.

For The Quartermaster General:

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GEORGE F. BORIOT,
Colonel, Q.M.G.,
Assistant.

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HEADQUARTERS 100TH INFANTRY BATTALION (SEP)
Camp Shelby, Mississippi

FLT/tk

14 June 1943

SUBJECT: Coat of Arms for the 100th Infantry Battalion (Separate)

TO : The Quartermaster General, Washington, D. C.

Painting of Coat of Arms for this unit has been received.



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FARRANT L. TURNER
Lt Col, 100th Inf Bn (Sep)
Commanding

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4247-100th Infantry Bn.

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6/17/43

SPQRD 424.2
100th Infantry Bn. (Sep.)

9 June 1943.

SUBJECT: Coat of Arms for the 100th Infantry Battalion (Separate).

TO : Commanding Officer, Headquarters 100th Infantry Battalion (Separate), A. P. O. #85, Camp Shelby, Mississippi.

1. By direction of The Secretary of War there are furnished herewith the following blazonry and description of the coat of arms for the 100th Infantry Battalion (Separate) as approved by letter SPQRD 424 100th Infantry Bn. this office, February 3, 1943, and amended by letter SPQRD 424 100th Infantry Battalion (Sep.), this office, February 15, 1943; also painting of the coat of arms.

BLAZON

SHIELD: Per bend argent and azure, on the first a taro leaf proper, on the second a Hawaiian warrior's helmet of the last (gold feathers trimmed in maroon).

CREST: None.

MOTTO: Remember Pearl Harbor.

DESCRIPTION

The 100th Infantry Battalion (Separate) was constituted on the Regular Army inactive list, pursuant to letter, War Department, AG 320.2 (6-2-42), dated 4 June, 1942. The Battalion was made active at Oakland, California, 12 June, 1942. The 100th Infantry Battalion (Separate) has no other history and is not entitled to battle honors.

The blue is for the Infantry. The taro leaf and the Hawaiian warrior's helmet both represent Hawaii.

It is requested that acknowledgment of receipt of the painting be made to this office by separate letter, this letter being retained for your files.

For The Quartermaster General:

COPY TO DECORATIONS & AWARDS BRANCH,
THE ADJUTANT GENERAL'S OFFICE.

GEORGES F. DORICQ,
Colonel, Q. M. C.,
Assistant.

1 Incl. - Painting
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