

673 CONTRACTING SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

673 Contracting Squadron constituted, 14 Dec 2009
Activated on 24 Jun 2010

STATIONS

Elmendorf AFB, AK, 24 Jun 2010

ASSIGNMENTS

673 Mission Support Group, 24 Jun 2010

COMMANDERS

HONORS

Service Streamers

None

Campaign Streamers

None

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

None

Decorations

None

EMBLEM

On a disc Azure, in dexter chief a flight symbol emitting three contrails radiating bendwise to base Or, surmounted by a parchment scroll bendwise sinister Argent, detailed and shaded Gris, overall a quill pen fesswise Gules, vein of the first, nib of the second, feathers forming the silhouette of a mountain range of the third, outlined of the first; all within a narrow border Yellow. Attached above the disc, a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "JOINT STRENGTH" in Yellow letters. Attached below the disc, a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "673D CONTRACTING SQUADRON" in Yellow letters.

SIGNIFICANCE:

Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The quill pen and the mountain range represent knowledge, wisdom and the ambition of reaching the highest levels. The flight symbol and contrails symbolize mobility, strength and professionalism and is reminiscent of the badge worn by United States Air Force military contracting specialists. The parchment scroll signifies the written word, the contract, which is the contracting professional's tool in supporting the warfighter. (Approved, 24 Jun 2010)

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OPERATIONS

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