7 INTELLIGENCE SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

957 Signal Radio Intelligence Company, Aviation constituted, 23 Jul 1942

Activated, 15 Oct 1942

Redesignated 7 Radio Squadron, Mobile (J), 19 Feb 1944

Inactivated, 25 Dec 1945

Redesignated 7 Radio Squadron, Mobile, 14 Nov 1946

Redesignated 302 Radio Squadron, Mobile and allotted to the Organized Reserve 29 Mar 1948

Activated, 12 Apr 1948

Inactivated, 22 Jun 1949

Redesignated 7 Radio Squadron, Mobile, 2 Nov 1949

Disbanded, 15 Jun 1983

Reconstituted and redesignated 7 Intelligence Squadron, 20 Mar 2009

Activated, 15 Apr 2009

STATIONS

Davis-Monthan Field, AZ, 15 Oct 1942 Reno AAB, NV, 17 Nov 1942 Camp Pinedale, CA, 21 Jan 1943 Camp Stoneman, CA, 5 Oct-11 Nov 1944 Hollandia, New Guinea, 1 Dec 1944 Morotai, Luzon, 16 Jan 1945 Leyte, 12 May-4 Dec 1945 Camp Stoneman, CA, 22-25 Dec 1945 San Antonio, TX, 29 Mar 1948-22 Jun 1949 Fort George G. Meade, MD, 15 Apr 2009

ASSIGNMENTS

Second Air Force, 15 Oct 1942
Fourth Air Force, 21 Jan 1943
Thirteenth Air Force, 1 Dec 1944-25 Dec 1945
Fourth Army, 29 Mar 1948-22 Jun 1949
70 Intelligence, Surveillance and Reconnaissance Group, 15 Apr 2009

COMMANDERS

HONORSService Streamers

Campaign Streamers

World War II Leyte New Guinea Southern Philippines

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Philippine Presidential Unit Citation (WWII)

EMBLEM





On a disc Sable, a tiger face affronté of the field, outlined Gris, armed Argent, eyed Or, pupil of the first, charged on the cheeks with four lightning flashes two and two of the third; in chief a winged mullet Argent, bearing a torteau, wings Or; all within a narrow Yellow border. Above the disc a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "AMBUSH EXPLOIT DEFEND" in Yellow letters. Below the disc a Blue scroll edged with a narrow Yellow border and inscribed "7TH INTELLIGENCE SQ" 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 tiger represents stealth and lethality the adversaries in cyber space don't recognize the unit's presence until the ambush is sprung. The tiger's lightning stripes signify the effect of some weighty business with great clarity and force; lightning also represents the electro—magnetic spectrum in which the unit operates. The wings are from the WWII-era Far East Air Force emblem. The historical 7 RSM was subordinate to the 13th Air Force and Far East Air Forces in WWII.

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OPERATIONS

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