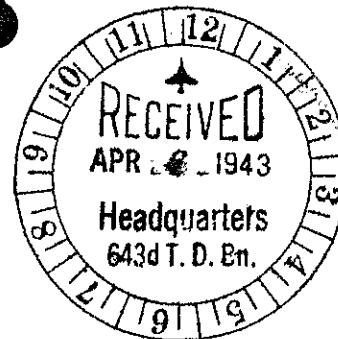


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April 3, 1943.

**SUBJECT:** Transfer of 826th Tank Destroyer Battalion to Camp Adair, Oregon, and 643d Tank Destroyer Battalion to Desert Training Center, Camp Young, California.

**TO:** Commanding Generals,  
 Desert Training Center,  
 Tank Destroyer Center.

1. It is desired that you issue necessary instructions to transfer Tank Destroyer Battalions listed below from their present stations to new stations indicated. Movement will be made on or about dates shown.

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Present Station</u>	<u>New Station</u>	<u>Ordered By</u>	<u>Date</u>
643d TD Bn	Camp Shelby, Miss. (temp Camp Hood, Tex.)	Desert Training Center, Camp Young, Calif.	CG, TDC	Apr. 11, 1943.
826th TD Bn	Desert Training Center, Camp Young, Calif.	Camp Adair, Ore.	CG, DTC	Upon arrival 643d TD Bn

2. These are PERMANENT changes of station.

3. Movement will be by rail. Coordinate rail movements with Office, Chief of Transportation, Army Service Forces, through Post Transportation Officer at point or points of origin. Elements moving by rail will be under control of Commanding General, Army Service Forces, for rail movement, to include entrainment and detrainment. Personnel not required to accompany troops may be authorized to proceed by privately owned conveyances under the provisions of paragraph 1 j, AR 35-4820, September 19, 1942. Consult Commanding General, Desert Training Center, for routings and points of detrainment within Desert Training Center.

4. Attention is invited to paragraph 8, AR 55-130, December 28, 1942, and paragraph 4, AR 55-145, September 30, 1942.

5. Advise Commanding Generals, Ninth Service Command, Army Service Forces, and Desert Training Center, of strength, dates of departure, mode of travel, and expected date and hour of arrival of all elements. Direct

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communication, consistent with the RESTRICTED classification of this order, is authorized between interested commanders. Commanders concerned will report departures and arrivals to this headquarters by teletype or telephone.

6. Only Tables of Basic Allowances equipment on hand will be taken.

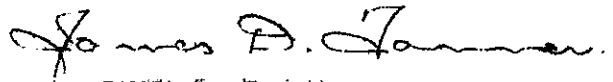
7. Upon arrival at destinations these units are relieved from their present assignments and are reassigned as indicated:

<u>Unit</u>	<u>Relieved from:</u>	<u>Reassigned to:</u>
643d TD Bn	Tank Destroyer Center	Desert Training Center
826th TD Bn	Desert Training Center	IV Corps

8. The provisions of paragraphs 12 and 18, AR 345-800, Military Records-Report of Change, July 1, 1942, as amended by Changes Nos. 2 and 4, will be complied with where applicable.

9. Allotment: Obligate funds as prescribed by Section II, Circular No. 206, WD, 1942, as amended.

By command of LT. GEN. McNAIR:



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