

899th TD Bn

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HEADQUARTERS FIFTH ARMY
A. P. O. #464, U. S. Army

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By Authority of
CG, Fifth Army
Initials: JRC
Date: 10 Aug 43

AG 322.1-Y

SUBJECT: Troop Assignments and Attachments.

10 August 1943

TO : See Distribution.

1. a. Pursuant to radio #8504, AFHQ, time date 062116B August 1943, the following units are relieved from assignment to Seventh Army and are assigned Fifth Army, effective 070001B August 1943.

- 1st TD Group.
- Hq & Hq Co, 1st TD Group.
- 776th TD Bn.
- 894th TD Bn.
- 899th TD Bn.

b. Present attachment to Fifth Army Tank Destroyer Training Center remains in effect.

2. Confirming radio #4430, Headquarters Fifth Army, time date 071104B August 1943, 344th Engr Regt (GS) (-Co B), with Co B, 337th Engr Regt (GS) attached, is detached FAITC and attached VI Corps, effective 7 August 1943.

3. a. Pursuant to letter, Headquarters NATOUSA, 5 August 1943, AG 370.5/011 C-0, subject "Assignment of Army Postal Units" the following units are relieved from present assignment and are assigned Fifth Army, effective 5 August 1943:

- 541st APU
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b. Present attachment of 541st APU to FAA/BTC remains in effect.

c. 543rd APU is hereby attached ABS.

4. The following units are relieved from present attachment and attached to VI Corps, without change in location, effective 8 August 1943.

UNIT	PRESENT ATTACHMENT
24th Cml Co (Decon)	-----
25th Cml Co (Decon)	-----
6th Cml Co (Depot) with Det, 11th Cml Co (Maint) attached	-----
Co F, 337th Engr Regt (GS)	Sp Trs, Fifth Army
Co A, 405th Engr Wat Sup Bn	Sp Trs, Fifth Army

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5. The following units are relieved from present attachment and revert to control of their parent units, without change in location, effective 8 August 1943.

<u>UNIT</u>	<u>PRESENT ATTACHMENT</u>
3d Bn, 142d Inf Regt	FAITC
Co A, 16th Armd Engr Bn	FAETC

6. The following units, assigned Fifth Army, are detached 45th AAA Brig and are further assigned VI Corps, effective 8 August 1943:

Hq & Hq Btry, 35th AAA Brig.
 1st & 2d Bns, 505th CA Regt (AA)
 409th AAA Gun Bn (SM)
 534th AAA AW Bn.
 630th AAA AW Bn.

7. Having been assigned Fifth Army by radio #7652, AFHQ, time date 041502B August 1943, the following unit is attached Special Troops, Fifth Army, effective upon its arrival in MOSTAGANEM.

182d WAC Headquarters Plat.

8. Pursuant to radio #8980, AFHQ, time date 081425B August 1943, Co B, 84th Engr Cam Bn is detached EBS and attached MBS, effective upon its arrival in the ARZEW area.

9. Pursuant to radio #8974, AFHQ, time date 081324B August 1943, Co D, 84th Engr Cam Bn is relieved from present attachment and attached MBS, effective upon its arrival in the ARZEW area.

By command of Lieutenant General CLARK:

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3 - CG, 36th Inf Div	1 - CO, 337th Engr Regt (GS)
3 - CG, 45th AAA Brig	1 - CO, 11th Cml Co (Maint)
2 - CG, FAITC	1 - CO, 405th Engr Wat Sup Bn
2 - CO, FAIDTC	1 - CO, 84th Engr Cam Bn
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