

## **2D BATTALION, 15TH INFANTRY REGIMENT**

Constituted 3 May 1861 in the Regular Army as Company B, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry

Organized September 1861 at Newport Barracks, Kentucky

Reorganized and redesignated 21 September 1866 as Company B, 15th Infantry

Consolidated 12 August 1869 with Company B, 35th Infantry (see ANNEX), and consolidated unit designated as Company B, 15th Infantry

(15th Infantry assigned 17 July 1922 to the Philippine Division)

Inactivated 1 April 1929 in the Philippines at Fort William McKinley, Philippine Islands

(1st Battalion, 15th Infantry, relieved 26 June 1931 from assignment to the Philippine Division; assigned 12 January 1940 to the 3d Division [later redesignated as the 3d Infantry Division])

Activated 23 May 1940 at Fort Lewis, Washington

Reorganized and redesignated 1 July 1957 as Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Battle Group, 15th Infantry, relieved from assignment to the 3d Infantry Division, and assigned to the 10th Infantry Division (organic elements concurrently constituted and activated)

Inactivated 19 June 1958 at Fort Benning, Georgia

Redesignated 23 May 1963 as the 2d Battalion, 15th Infantry; concurrently, relieved from assignment to the 10th Infantry Division and assigned to the 3d Infantry Division. Activated 3 June 1963 in Germany

### **ANNEX**

Constituted 3 May 1861 in the Regular Army as Company B, 3d Battalion, 17th Infantry

Organized 29 October 1865 at Hart Island, New York

Reorganized and redesignated 21 September 1866 as Company B, 35th Infantry

Consolidated 12 August 1869 with Company B, 15th Infantry, and consolidated unit designated as Company B, 15th Infantry

### **CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT**

#### Civil War

\*Shiloh

\*Murfreesborough

Chickamauga

Chattanooga

Atlanta

\*Alabama 1862

\*Kentucky 1862

\*Mississippi 1862

\*Tennessee 1862

Tennessee 1863

Georgia 1864

#### Indian Wars

Utes

New Mexico 1880

#### China Relief Expedition

\*Streamer without inscription

#### Philippine Insurrection

Luzon 1900

Luzon 1901

#### World War II

\*Algeria-French Morocco (with arrowhead)

\*Tunisia

\*Sicily (with arrowhead)

\*Naples-Foggia

\*Anzio (with arrowhead)

\*Rome-Arno

\*Southern France (with arrowhead)

\*Rhineland

\*Ardennes-Alsace

\*Central Europe

#### Korean War

\*CCF Intervention

\*First UN Counteroffensive

\*CCF Spring Offensive

\*UN Summer-Fall Offensive

\*Second Korean Winter

\*Korea, Summer-Fall 1952

\*Third Korean Winter

\*Korea, Summer 1953

#### DECORATIONS

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered SAN FRATELLO

\*Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered MONTELIMAR

\*Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered COLMAR

Presidential Unit Citation (Army), Streamer embroidered KOWANG-NI

\*Presidential Unit Citation (Navy), Streamer embroidered HWACHON RESERVOIR

\*Navy Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered PANMUNJOM

\*French Croix de Guerre with Palm, World War II, Streamer embroidered COLMAR

\*French Croix de Guerre, World War II, Fourragere

\*Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered UIJONGBU CORRIDOR

\*Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered IRON TRIANGLE

\*Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered KOREA 1950-1952

\*Chryssoun Aristion Andrias (Bravery Gold Medal of Greece), Streamer embroidered KOREA