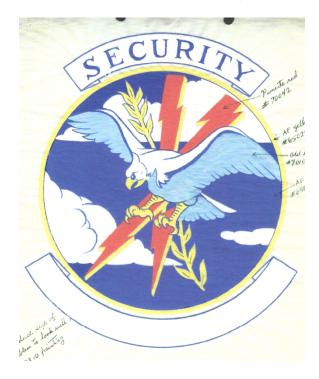
# **4136 COMBAT DEFENSE SQUADRON**



### **MISSION**

### LINEAGE

4136 Combat Defense Squadron

### **STATIONS**

Minot AFB, ND

### **ASSIGNMENTS**

### **COMMANDERS**

### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers** 

## **Campaign Streamers**

## **Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

### **EMBLEM**

On an Air Force blue disc fimbriated Air Force golden yellow, three white cloud formations, one

issuing from sinister chief, one from dexter and one small one from sinister, all surmounted by an Air Force golden yellow olive branch bendwise, all surmounted by two red lightning flashes edged Air Force golden yellow and crossed band sinisterwise; over all a silver-grey bird of prey, highlighted white, his beak and talons Air Force golden yellow, in flight downward and poised to attack; outlines and details Air Force blue throughout. Above the emblem on a white scroll edged and inscribed Air Force blue; Security. **SIGNIFICANCE:** The emblem is symbolic of the squadron and its mission. Against a background of blue sky and clouds to represent and its mission. Against a background of blue sky and clouds to represent the primary theater of operations, two red lightning flashes represent instantaneous ability to attack and defend, and the olive branch represents our hope for peace. Over all overs the bird of prey to represent the power and night of the squadron to defend against aggression. The emblem reflects the Air Force colors, ultramarine blue and golden yellow, ant the national colors, red, white, and blue. (Approved, 5 Nov 1950)

#### **MOTTO**

#### **OPERATIONS**

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