

7th WEATHER GROUP



LINEAGE

7th Weather Group constituted, 17 Nov 1945
Activated, 4 Dec 1945
Inactivated, 3 Jun 1948
Activated, 20 Apr 1952
Inactivated, 18 Jun 1958

STATIONS

Elmendorf AAB, AK
Elmendorf AFB, AK, 20 Apr 1952

ASSIGNMENTS

Headquarters Army Air Forces Weather Service, 4 Dec 1945

COMMANDERS

Col Carl W. Carlmark, 12 Dec 1945
Maj William A. Pope, 1 Apr 1946
Col Carl W. Carlmark, 26 Sep 1946
Col Richard M. Gill, 20 Apr 1952
LTC Robert B. Hughes, 6 Jun 1954
Col Lawrence A. Atwell, 15 Jul 1954
Col Robert F. Long, 11 Aug 1956
LTC James M. Fahey, 16 May 1958

HONORS

Service Streamers

American Theater, World War II, 7 Dec 1941-2 Mar 1946

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

EMBLEM

Approved, 25 Apr 1956

EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE

The lamp of knowledge signifies meteorological ability necessary to perform the mission; the moon symbol, from an ancient emblem of Byzantium, connected with its presiding goddess, who had saved the city from night assault by Phillip of Macedonia by causing the moon to shine with unexpected brightness, is appropriate since a primary mission of this organization is to provide weather service as a vital necessity in the defense of Alaska; the top triangle is a symbol of a squadron subordinate to this group which flies weather reconnaissance over the Arctic Ocean. The aurora borealis is common to that area; the middle triangle signifies the weather eye over this part of the hemisphere for which they are responsible; the lower dexter triangle depicts one of their 14 weather detachments strategically placed in this theater to provide weather reports and observations; the lower sinister triangle signifies the worldwide transmission of completed weather data; the fleur-de-lis, a symbol of the Air Weather Service, is used to indicate its association with that agency.

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OPERATIONS

7th WIATHEE/2107th AIR WEATHER GROUP JMAJCONJ

Designated the 7th Weather Group on 19 May 1948, it was organized at Eimeadorf AFB, Alaska, and assigned to Air Weather Service on 1 June 1948. It replaced the 7th Weather Group [AFCON]. Redesignated the 2107th Air Weather Group on 1 October 1948, it was discontinued and replaced by the 7th Weather Group [AFCONJ] on 20 April 1952.

AWARDS: Horn.

Col Carl W. Carfmark

Col Marellus Duffy

Maj John E. Barnard

Col Marcdtas Duffy

Lt Col Martin F. C.

Col Marceias Duffy

Col M. GUI

Air Force Order of Battle
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Sources

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