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THE INSTITUTE OF HERALDRY 9325 GUNSTON ROAD, ROOM S112 FORT BELVOIR, VIRGINIA 22060-5579

AAHS-IHS (840-10a)

AUG 1 2 2015

MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, Headquarters, 101st Sustainment Brigade, 6741 Airborne Street, ATTN: AFKB-KE-CO (CPT Risher), Fort Campbell, KY 42223

SUBJECT: Distinctive Unit Insignia for the Headquarters and Special Troops Battalion, 101st Airborne Division Sustainment Brigade

- 1. In accordance with paragraph 21-22a(21)(a), AR 670-1, the distinctive unit insignia (DUI) previously approved for the 101st Sustainment Brigade has been redesignated for the Headquarters and Special Troops Battalion, 101st Airborne Division Sustainment Brigade and the authorization letter is at enclosure 1. Also enclosed for your records are the manufacturing drawing, black and white line drawing, color guide and actual size color print of the DUI (encls 2-5).
- 2. You are not entitled to retain the shoulder sleeve insignia (SSI). The letter cancelling the SSI is at enclosure 6 and the cancelled manufacturing drawing is at enclosure 7.
- 3. Point of contact at this Institute is Mrs. Henning at DSN 656-4972, COMM (703) 806-4972 or by email at bonnie.s.henning.civ@mail.mil.

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CHARLES V. MUGNO

Director



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- 1. The distinctive unit insignia redesignated effective 30 September 2015, for the Headquarters and Special Troops Battalion, 101st Airborne Division Sustainment Brigade, was:
- a. **Originally authorized** for the 101st Sustainment Brigade by letter AAHS-IHS, The Institute of Heraldry, 22 November 2010.
- b. **Amended** to correct the motto by letter AAHS-IHS, The Institute of Heraldry, 15 December 2010.
- 2. The description and symbolism of the design are as follows:

DESCRIPTION

A Gold color metal and enamel device 1 3/16 inches (3.02 cm) in height overall blazoned as follows: Tierced in pairle reversed Gules, Vert and Or, in the first a deployed parachute Argent, in the second a saltire couped nowy pierced of the third and in the third a compass rose Sable charged in the center with an eagle's head erased of the third garnished of the fifth between on each directional point playing card symbols - in chief a club, a spade and heart in fess and in base a Torii gate all of the third. Attached below a Black scroll inscribed "VITA VERSUS" in Gold.

SYMBOLISM

Red implies liberation. The deployed parachute denotes the unit's area of operations, which the Brigade supports. The saltire with the pierced circular center alludes to helicopter propellers. Black suggests steadfastness and strength. The compass rose symbolizes the global directional support to forces anytime, anywhere under all conditions. The eagle's head, adapted from the 101st Airborne Division's shoulder sleeve insignia, alludes to the unit's airborne status when the organization was founded. The playing card symbols and the Torii gate allude to the original symbols painted on the 101st Soldiers' helmets during World War II. The motto translates to "Lifeliner."

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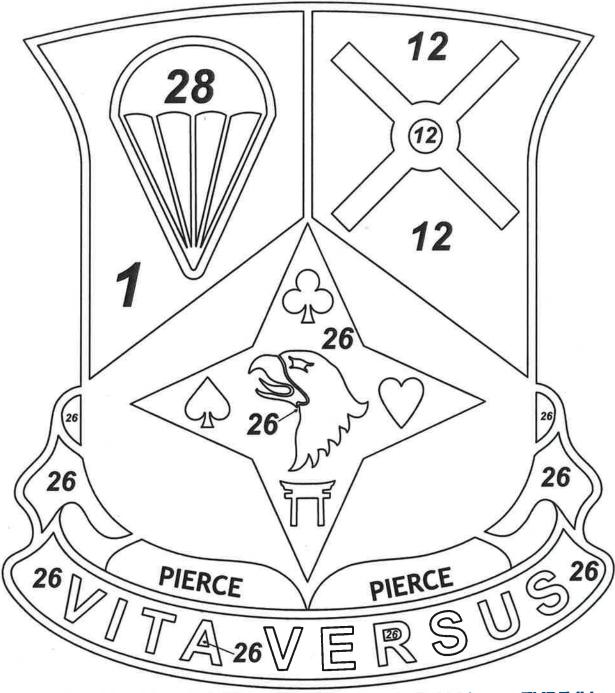
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3. This authorization is in accordance with AR 670-1. This authorization letter will become a part of your permanent organizational history files.

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Director

CF: CMH



HEADQUARTERS and SPECIAL TROOP BATTALION, 101ST AIRBORNE DIV SUSTAINMENT BRIGADE

D 6866 TYPE IV

This Drawing is 6X Actual size

ACTUAL SIZE-----1 3/16" $\pm 1/64$ " High (3.02cm $\pm .04$ cm)

METAL COLOR

& PLATING------Gold FINISH------Mirror-like polish

DESIGN:

CHARGES-----Flush, except detail lines of eagle to be incised and filled with epoxy Black #26. Eagle's eye to

be incised.

LETTERING------Finished metal

PIERCING-----Between shield and scroll

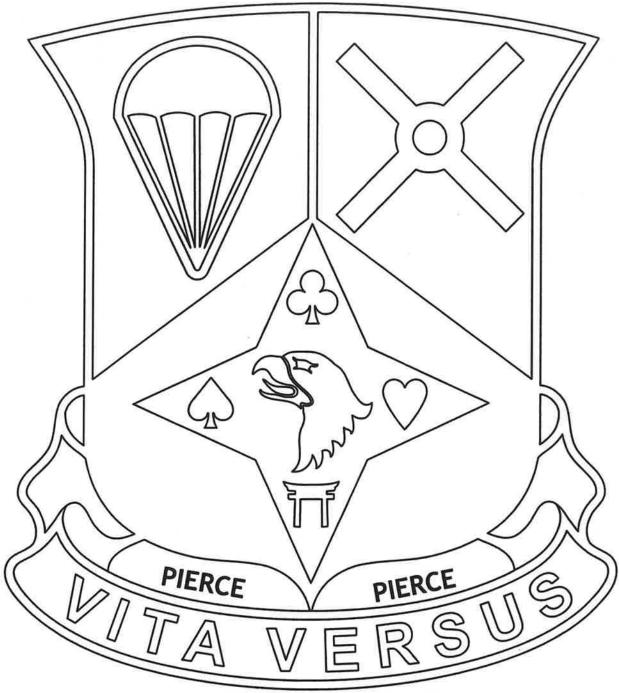
EPOXY----Stoning

CHIP Nos-----Red #1, Green #12, Black #26, White #28

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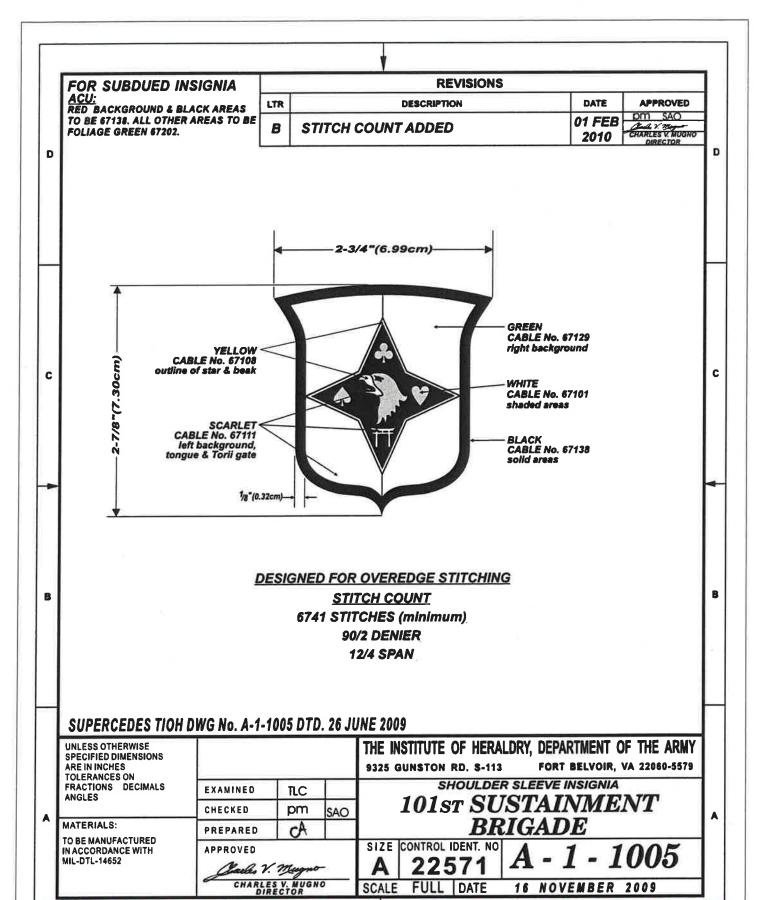
SUBJECT: Shoulder Sleeve Insignia for 101st Sustainment Brigade

- 1. The shoulder sleeve insignia originally approved for the 101st Sustainment Brigade by letter AAHS-IHS, The Institute of Heraldry, 17 November 2009 and amended to correct the description letter AAHS-IHS, The Institute of Heraldry, 17 March 2011, is cancelled effective 30 September 2015.
- 2. This action is taken due to the unit having been redesignated to the Headquarters and Special Troops Battalion, 101st Airborne Division Sustainment Brigade.
- 3. This letter will become a part of the permanent files of the organization.

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Director

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CANCELLED EFFECTIVE 30 SEPTEMBER 2015