



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

Lineage and Honors

101st SIGNAL BATTALION

Organized 6 December 1886 and 29 December 1894, in the New York National Guard at New York and Brooklyn, respectively, as the Provisional Signal Corps of the 1st and 2d Brigades

Reorganized and redesignated 11 November 1892 as the Provisional Signal and Telegraph Corps of the 1st and 2d Brigades, respectively.

Reorganized and redesignated 10 January 1895 as the 1st and 2d Signal Corps, respectively

Reorganized and redesignated 23 July 1903 as the 1st and 2d Companies, Signal Corps, respectively

1st and 2d Signal Corps consolidated 7 February 1914 and consolidated unit reorganized and redesignated as the 1st Battalion, Signal Corps, with Headquarters at New York

Called into Federal Service 18 June 1916 for service on the Mexican Border

Mustered into Federal service 3 July 1916 at home stations; mustered out of Federal service 23 December 1916 at home stations

Mustered into Federal service 21-25 July 1917 at home stations; drafted into Federal service 5 August 1917

Reorganized and redesignated 1 October 1917 as the 102d Field Signal Battalion and assigned to the 27th Division

(1st Battalion, Signal Corps organized 19 November 1917 in the New York Guard with Headquarters at New York to replace battalion in Federal service)

Demobilized 31 March 1919 at Camp Upton, New York

Consolidated with the 1st Battalion, Signal Corps, New York Guard, and consolidated unit reorganized in the New York National Guard as the 1st Battalion, Signal Corps, with Headquarters Federally recognized 3 May 1921 at New York

Redesignated 1 June 1921 as the 101st Signal Battalion

Inducted into Federal service 13 January 1941 at home stations

Inactivated 8 December 1945 at Camp Stoneman, California

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Reorganized and Federally recognized 16 October 1947 with Headquarters at Yonkers

Reorganized and redesignated 1 March 1950 as the 101st Signal Battalion, Corps

Ordered into active Federal service 19 August 1950 at home stations

(101st Signal Battalion, Corps (NGUS) organized and Federally recognized 19 August 1952 with Headquarters at Yonkers)

Released from active Federal service 27 September 1954 and reverted to state control; Federal recognition concurrently withdrawn from the 101st Signal Battalion, Corps (NGUS)

Reorganized and redesignated 16 March 1959 as the 101st Signal Battalion

Ordered into active Federal service 1 October 1961 at home stations; released 5 August 1962 from active Federal service and reverted to state control

Ordered into active Federal service 24 March 1970 at home stations; released 30 March 1970 from active Federal service and reverted to state control

Inactivated on 20 August 1994 at Camp Smith, Peekskill, NY

Reconstituted into the Army Force Structure effective 1 September 2004 and into the New York Army National Guard as the 101st Signal Battalion (The 101st Signal Battalion retains all original lineage and honors)

HOME STATION: Eastern New York

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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

World War I

Ypers-Lys
Somme Offensive
Flanders 1918

World War II

Leyte (with arrowhead)
Ryukyus

Korean War

First UN counteroffensive
CCF Spring offensive
UN summer-fall offensive
Second Korean winter
Korea, summer-fall 1952
Third Korean Winter
Korea, summer 1953

DECORATIONS

Meritorious Unit Commendation, Streamer embroidered KOREA

Philippine Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered

17 October 1944 to 4 July 1945

Republic of Korea Presidential Unit Citation, Streamer embroidered
KOREA

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


J.C. PENNINGTON
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The Adjutant General