



REPLY TO
ATTENTION OF

**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
THE INSTITUTE OF HERALDRY**

9325 GUNSTON ROAD, ROOM S117
FORT BELVOIR, VIRGINIA 22060-5579



TAPC-PDH-H (840-10a)

10 October 2000

MEMORANDUM THRU Chief, National Guard Bureau, ATTN: NGB-PAI-H (CPT Melnyk), 1411 Jefferson Davis Highway, Suite 11200, Arlington, VA 22202-3231

FOR Commander, 2d Battalion (Air Assault), 135 Infantry, 301 North 2d Street, Manikato, MN 56001-3511

SUBJECT: Background Trimming for 2d Battalion (Air Assault), 135 Infantry

1. In accordance with the provisions of paragraph 27-29b, AR-670-1, background trimming is authorized for wear by members of the 2d Battalion (Air Assault), 135th Infantry.
2. The description of the design is as follows:

BACKGROUND TRIMMING

On a Scarlet oval-shaped embroidered item edged with a 1/8 inch (.32cm) Scarlet border, 2 1/4 inches (5.72cm) in width and 1 3/8 inches (3.49cm) in height overall, a flag blue background which changes to smoke gray below the horizontal centerline, over the horizontal centerline lies a 1/8 inch (.32cm) black bar interrupted by a 1/4 inch (.64cm) break at the center point.

CABLE NUMBERS OF COLORS

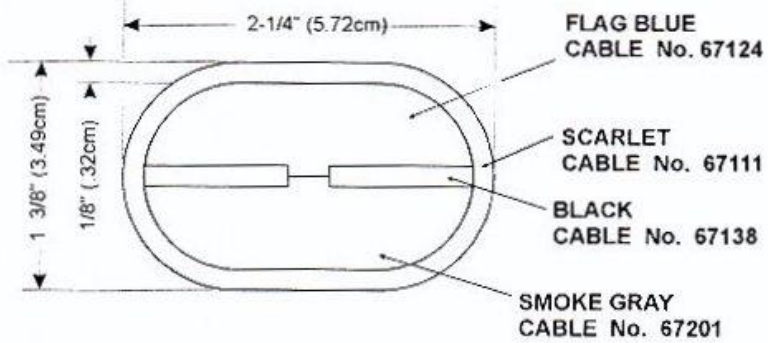
Flag Blue	67124
Scarlet	67111
Black	67138
Smoke Gray	67201

3. This authorization does not grant exclusive use of the above colors and pattern design for the 2d Battalion (Air Assault), 135th Infantry.


 FRED N. EICHORN
 Director

REVISIONS

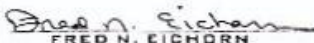
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DESIGNED FOR OVEREDGE STITCHING

UNLESS OTHERWISE SPECIFIED DIMENSIONS ARE IN INCHES TOLERANCES ON FRACTIONS DECIMALS ANGLES

MATERIALS:
TO BE MANUFACTURED IN ACCORDANCE WITH MIL-DTL-14652

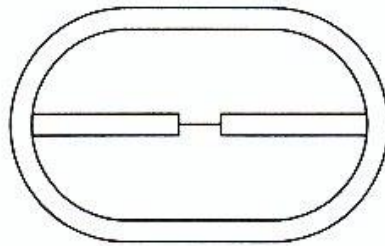
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CHECKED	JPS	<i>ja</i>
PREPARED	DMA	
APPROVED	 FRED N. EICHORN DIRECTOR	

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BACKGROUND TRIMMING FOR
2D BATTALION (AIR ASSAULT)
135TH INFANTRY

SIZE	CONTROL IDENT. NO	
A	22571	A-6-203

SCALE FULL DATE **10 OCTOBER 2000**



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2D BATTALION (AIR ASSAULT) 135TH INFANTRY