

## 454 AIRBORNE MISSILE MAINTENANCE SQUADRON



### MISSION

### LINEAGE

454 Airborne Missile Maintenance Squadron activated, 1 Feb 1963  
Inactivated, Jul 1969

### STATIONS

Columbus AFB, MS, 1 Feb 1963-25 Mar 1968

### ASSIGNMENTS

### COMMANDERS

### HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

### EMBLEM

On a medium blue disc within a narrow yellow border, originating in the viewer's lower right a gray gauntlet grasping a yellow and Air Force Blue missile in the vertical center emitting a red trail to the bottom of the disc, the missile within three red orbital rings. Attached below the disc a blank Air Force Blue scroll within a yellow border. **SIGNIFICANCE:** The blue background

alludes to sky. The mailed fist grasping the missile represents an airborne missile ready to be released. The atom is symbolic of the nuclear striking, force of the airborne missile. (Approved, 2 Dec 1963)

## **MOTTO**

## **OPERATIONS**

Replaced 4228 Airborne Missile Maintenance Squadron.

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