

6931 SECURITY GROUP

MISSION

Collected, processed and disseminated communications intelligence as directed by the National Security Agency.

LINEAGE

6934 Radio Squadron, Mobile designated and organized, 8 May 1955
Redesignated 6930 Radio Group, Mobile 1 Oct 1956
Redesignated HQ 6930 Radio Group, Mobile, 1 Jul 1958
Redesignated HQ 6931 Security Group, 1 Jul 1963
Inactivated, 1 Oct 1978

STATIONS

Wheelus Field (later, Wheelus AB), Libya, 8 May 1955
Iraklion AS, Crete, 1 Apr 1958-1 Oct 1978

ASSIGNMENTS

6930 Security Group, 8 May 1955
6900 Security Wing, 1 Oct 1956
European Security Region, 1 Oct 1961
Air Force Security Services, 30 Jun 1972-1 Oct 1978

COMMANDERS

Lt Col Ethel B. Branham, 8 May 1955
Lt Col Clyde W. Gabler, 1 Apr 1958
Col John Shean, 16 Jun 1958
Col Jonathan Leet, 18 Jul 1961
Col John P. Wells, 3 Jul 1963
Col Ross E. Spence, 22 Apr 1965
Col Wilmer R. Sturm, 13 Mar 1967
Col Louie Miller Jr., 7 Mar 1969

Col Robert F. Stark, 2 Mar 1971
Col Robert L. Burt, 9 Feb 1973
Lt Col James C. Embry, 28 Jan 1975
Col Edwin M. Binder, 25 Apr 1975

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award
1 Jul 1963-30 Jun 1964
1 Jul 1968-31 Mar 1969
1 Apr 1969-31 Mar 1971
1 Jul 1972-30 Jun 1974
1 Jul 1974-30 Jun 1975

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OPERATIONS

Tops among Wheelus Field squadrons in personnel, and among the finest in quality and ability, is the 6934th Radio Squadron Mobile, or just "Mobileers", as they have been nicknamed. Commanded by Lt. Col. Noel O. E. Lathan, who took over the squadron after the first of the year, the Mobileers have maintained an outstanding competitive spirit in the Wheelus Field community.

On 16 August, Greek protesters penetrated the base perimeter at Iraklion AS, Crete, the home of the 6931 SG. The protestors inflicted considerable damage to U.S. property near the station's perimeter fence. 1974

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Sources

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