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Request for Approval of Organization Emblem

HQ USAF (AFFMP-12-C)  
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1. Reference Hq USAF (AFFMP-12) 1st Indorsement to our basic communication, subject "Organizational Emblems," dated 27 Sep 61, and in accordance with Air Force Regulation 900-3, request is submitted for approval of an emblem for the Fourteenth Cadet Squadron, Air Force Cadet Wing, U. S. Air Force Academy.

2. Description:

a. The patch is composed of red, blue, gold and gray colors, which are the official colors of the four classes.

b. The rocket arcing into the heavens symbolizes man's desire to explore the unknown and to use Aerospace power for peace.

c. The eight pointed star is Polaris symbolizing the cadets' continued upward search for knowledge.

3. While Air Force Regulation 900-3 clearly states in paragraph 4b (2) (f) that no numerals will appear in the emblem, exception is requested in this case. There is no tactical significance to the numbering of the cadet squadrons, and these squadrons are unique in that there will be no redesignation of numbered squadrons regardless of any possible future expansion of the Academy.

4. Approval of this request will result in increased motivation and morale and enhance the prestige of cadets of the Air Force Cadet Wing.

FOR THE SUPERINTENDENT:

signed Howard I. Withycombe

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