

# 1<sup>st</sup> SPECIAL OPERATIONS CONTRACTING SQUADRON



## **LINEAGE**

1<sup>st</sup> Special Operations Contracting Squadron constituted, 23 Feb 1993  
Activated, 24 Mar 1993  
Redesignated 16<sup>th</sup> Contracting Squadron, 1 Oct 1993  
Redesignated 1<sup>st</sup> Special Operations Contracting Squadron, 16 Nov 2006

## **STATIONS**

Eglin AF Aux Fld #9 (Hurlburt Fld), FL, 24 Mar 1993-

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

1<sup>st</sup> Special Operations Logistics (later, 16<sup>th</sup> Logistics) Group, 24 Mar 1993-30 Sep 2002  
16<sup>th</sup> Mission Support Group, 1 Oct 2002-15 Nov 2006  
1<sup>st</sup> Special Operations Mission Support Group, 16 Nov 2006

## **COMMANDERS**

### **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

### **Decorations**

Air Force Outstanding Unit Award w/Valor  
1 Jun 1997-31 May 1999

1 Jul 2003-30 Jun 2005  
1 Oct 2006-30 Jun 2007

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards  
[24 Mar 1993]-15 Apr 1994  
1 Jun 1995-31 May 1997  
1 Jul 1999-30 Jun 2001  
1 Jul 2001-30 Jun 2003  
1 Oct 2005-30 Sep 2006

### **EMBLEM**

Blue represents the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow signifies the sun and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The ink quill and paper scroll represent the essential tools of the contracting function; the mission of the unit. The dagger represents the support of the unit's primary customers, Air Force Special Operations Command and the 1st Special Operations Wing.

### **MOTTO**

### **NICKNAME**

### **OPERATIONS**

The 1st Special Operations Contracting Squadron provides first class excellence in total acquisition support to the 1st Special Operations Wing and all other Hurlburt Field tenant units. 1st Special Operations Contracting Squadron provides a full range of support including negotiating, awarding, and administering Hurlburt's commodity, service, and construction requirements; monitoring and managing the installation's Government Purchase Card and Base Quality Assurance Programs, executing the acquisition portion of several A-76 cost studies, and employing advisory and assistance services contracts. Additionally, the military and civilian professionals of 1st Special Operations Contracting Squadron support the 1st SOW and tenant units' diverse training and real-world missions.

1<sup>st</sup> Special Operations Contracting Squadron consists of four flights.



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