

52 EXPEDITIONARY INTELLIGENCE SQUADRON



MISSION

LINEAGE

6952 Electronic Security Squadron designated and activated, 1 Jan 1982

Inactivated, 30 Sep 1993

Redesignated 52 Expeditionary Intelligence Squadron, and converted to provisional status, 23 Jul 2010

STATIONS

RAF Alconbury, UK, 1 Jan 1982-30 Sep 1993

ASSIGNMENTS

6910 Electronic Security Wing, 1 Jan 1982

Electronic Security, Europe (later, European Electronic Security Division), 1 Jan 1985

693 Electronic Security Wing, 7 Jul 1988

6950 Electronic Security Group, 23 May 1991-30 Sep 1993

Air Force Intelligence, Surveillance, and Reconnaissance Agency to activate or inactivate at any time on or after 23 Jul 2010

COMMANDERS

Maj Perry R. Kyzar

HONORS

Service Streamers

Campaign Streamers

Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers

Decorations

Air Force Outstanding Unit Awards

1 Jul 1984-30 Jun 1986

1 Jul 1988-30 Jun 1990

1 Jul 1990-30 Jun 1991

EMBLEM



6952 Electronic Security Squadron emblem approved, 29 Sep 1983

MOTTO

OPERATIONS

The mission of the 6952nd ESS is to maintain electronic sensors on board the TR-1, tactical reconnaissance aircraft. The TR-1 aircraft, a variant on the U-2, is assigned to and maintained by the 17th Reconnaissance Wing which is also a tenant at Alconbury. The 6952nd and the 17th work hand in hand to effectively accomplish the ESC mission.

The first TR-1 was deployed to RAF Alconbury, United Kingdom, on 10 February 1983, and the 6952nd ESS entered the era of providing direct support to intelligence operations in Europe.

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