

**Special Operations Association
Approved Units List**

Unit	Service	Location	Inclusive Dates		Comments/Justification
			Begin	End	
101st Abn, 158th AHB, A Co (Phoenix)	USA	Vietnam			CCN
101st Abn, 158th AHB, B Co (Lancers)	USA	Vietnam			CCN
101st Abn, 17th Avn Co	USA	Vietnam	after TET	1968	CCN, became B Co, 101st AHB
101st Abn, 17th Cav, 2nd Sq, A, B & C Troops	USA	Vietnam	after TET		CCN
101st Abn, 188th AHC	USA	Vietnam	Jul-68		CCN
101st Abn, 77th ARA, 4th Bn	USA	Vietnam	after TET		CCN
101st AHB, A Co (Comancheros)	USA	Vietnam			CCN
101st AHB, B Co (Kingsmen)	USA	Vietnam	1968		CCN
101st AHB, C Co (Black Widows)	USA	Vietnam	after TET	1972	CCN
101st AHB, D Co (Hawks)	USA	Vietnam	after TET		CCN
10th SFGA	USA	Middle East	2001	present	
119th AHC	USA	Vietnam	27-Jun-66		
119th AHC	USA	Vietnam	Dec-66	late 67	CCC, Omega
119th AHC	USA	Vietnam	28/Mar/67	16-May-67	
119th AHC	USA	Vietnam	23/Oct/67	25-Oct-67	
119th AHC	USA	Vietnam	25/Nov/67	28-Jan-68	
145th Airlift Platoon	USA	Vietnam	6-Jan-65	25-Jan-66	Air Asset Delta
155th AHC	USA	Vietnam	23-Oct-66		CCS
155th AHC	USA	Vietnam	1-Nov-66	30-Nov-66	CCS
160th SOAR(A)	USA	Afghanistan	2002		
160th SOAR(A)	USA	Grenada	25-Oct-83	2-Nov-83	
160th SOAR(A)	USA	Iraq	2003		
16th SOS	USAF	USSOCOM ops			ASSOCIATE ONLY
170th AHC	USA	Vietnam	1-Jan-67	15-Sep-67	CCC
170th AHC	USA	Vietnam	24-Mar-68	1-May-68	CCC
170th AHC	USA	Vietnam	21-Jan-70	16-Mar-71	CCC
171st Avn Co, 2d Plt	USA	Vietnam	25-Jan-66	Jul-66	Air Asset Delta
176th AHC Muskets (guns only)	USA	Vietnam			gun platoon only
17th SOS	USAF	Vietnam			became 71st SOS, which is approved. ASSOCIATE ONLY
188th AHC	USA	Vietnam	6/Dec/67	29/Jan/68	B-36
188th AHC	USA	Vietnam	Apr-68	Jun-68	B-36
189th AHC	USA	Vietnam	15/Sep/67	25/Nov/67	CCC
189th AHC	USA	Vietnam	1-Oct-67	Jan/68	FOB 2
189th AHC	USA	Vietnam	1-Feb-69	6-Mar-69	FOB 2
18th SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
195th AHC	USA	Vietnam	1-Dec-67	30-Jun-70	Sigma, Omega, Delta, CCS
19th SFGA	USA	Afghanistan	24-Jun-05	present	only SR
19th TASS	USAF	Vietnam			FAC for Delta
1st Air Commando Squadron	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
1st Flight Detachment	USAF	Vietnam	24-Jan-64	31-Dec-71	
1st SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
20th Helicopter Squadron	USAF	Vietnam	1-Jun-67	31-Aug-68	
20th SFGA, 1st BN	USA	Middle East	2001	present	if with USSOCOM
20th SOS	USAF	Vietnam	1-Nov-68	31-Mar-72	CCS
20th STS	USAF	USSOCOM ops			

20th TASS	USAF	Vietnam			
219th Aviation Co, 4th Platoon	USA	Vietnam		Aug-71	FAC for CCN, CCC, CCS
219th Helicopter Squadron	VNAF	Vietnam			
21st SOS	USAF	Vietnam	1969	1970	CCN, CCC
21st STS	USAF	USSOCOM ops			
21st TASS	USAF	Vietnam			Project Delta
22nd SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
23rd TASS	USAF	Vietnam			
281st AHC	USA	Vietnam	9/Jun/66	31/Dec/69	Delta
281st AHC	USA	Vietnam	1/Jan/70	31/Dec/70	Off and On spec ops missions for CCC
361st Avn Co	USA	Vietnam	1-Oct-68	stand down	CCC - Cobras only for 170th, so same dates as 170th AHC
3rd SFGA	USA	Middle East	2001	present	if with USSOCOM
3rd SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
403rd SOD ASA	USA	Vietnam			part of SF special projects under C-5, ASSOCIATE ONLY
40th Aerial Recovery Squadron	USAF	Vietnam			Jolly Greens, SOG
46th SF Co, specific individuals	USA	Laos			specific named individuals only
4th SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
5307th Provisional, Merrill's Marauders	USA	China, Burma, India	Aug-43	10-Aug-44	
57th AHC	USA	Vietnam	15/Sep/67	Feb/69	
57th AHC	USA	Vietnam	24/Jan/68	Mar/68	
57th AHC	USA	Vietnam	1/Feb/68	31-Mar-68	FOB 2
57th AHC	USA	Vietnam	1/Oct/68	30-Nov-68	FOB 2
57th AHC	USA	Vietnam	7-Mar-69	Feb/70	FOB 2
5th SFGA	USA	Middle East	2001	present	if with USSOCOM
602nd SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
6th Avn Plt	USA	Vietnam	Dec-66	Jun-66	Air Asset Delta
6th SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
71st SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
75th Ranger Regiment	USA	Iran	1980	1980	only those attached to SFOD-D for Operation Eagle Claw
75th Ranger Regiment	USA	USSOCOM ops			
75th Rangers (all 3 BNs)	USA	Panama	1989	1989	Operation Just Cause, only if assigned to SFOD-D
8240 AU	USA	Korea	10-Dec-51	30-Apr-54	UNPFK, UNPIK
8th SOS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY
90th AS	USAF	Vietnam			ASSOCIATE ONLY but maybe same as 90th SOS on maybe list
919th SOW	USAF	USSOCOM ops			ASSOCIATE ONLY
Alamo Scouts	USA	Pacific	1941	1945	
B-36 MGF	USA	Vietnam			
B-50 Omega	USA	Vietnam	1-Jun-67	31-Oct-67	
B-52 Delta	USA	Vietnam	15-May-64	30-Jun-70	
B-55	USA	Vietnam			
B-56 Sigma	USA	Vietnam		31-Oct-67	
B-57 Gamma	USA	Vietnam			
C&C Detachment	USA	Vietnam	1-Jan-65	31-Dec-68	
CCC	USA	Vietnam	1-Jan-69	31-Dec-71	
CCN	USA	Vietnam	1-Jan-68	31-Dec-71	
CCS	USA	Vietnam	1-Nov-67	1-Nov-71	
CCT	USAF	SOCOM Ops			Combat Control Team
Co B, 3rd Bn, 75th Rangers	USA	Somalia	1993	21-Oct-93	TF Ranger
Co. E, Detachment C-5	USA	Vietnam	1-Jun-67	31-Oct-67	
CSD - Combined Studies Division	USA	Vietnam	1961	1966	

CTs	USA	Vietnam			only if part of Delta
Det 1-314 Troop Carrier Wing	USA	SEA	20-Oct-66	15-Mar-68	PUC Order PO 182-02; Board approved Nov 2009; General Mbr.
FOB 1 thru 6	USA	Vietnam			
Force Recon	USMC	USSOCOM ops			MOS 0321 only
Force Recon	USMC	Vietnam			MOS 8651 only
HAL-3 Seawolves	USN	Vietnam			SEAL ops
HMH-463	USMC	Vietnam	1-Sep-70	30-Sep-70	Operation Tailwind
HML-167	USMC	Vietnam			follow-on unit for HML-367
HML-367	USMC	Vietnam			Operation Tailwind, other CCN
JSOC		USSOCOM ops			
MACVSOG	USA	Vietnam			
Mike Force	USA	Vietnam			
ODA-062	USA	Iraq	2003		
ODA-555	USA	Afghanistan	13-Sep-01		Combat Control Team too, first into Afghanistan
OSS	USA	Europe, Asia	1941	1945	some Far East assignments also
PRUs	USA	Vietnam			
Ravens	USAF	Laos		1973	CIA operation, FAC, we have 1 member
SEAL 1	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL 10	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL 2	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL 3	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL 4	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL 5	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL 7	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL 8	USN	USSOCOM ops			
SEAL Team 1	USN	Vietnam			
SEAL Team 2	USN	Vietnam			
SEAL Team 3	USN	Afghanistan	2002		
SEAL Team 6	USN	Grenada	24-Oct-83	2-Nov-83	
SFOD-D	USA	Afghanistan	Sep-91		
SFOD-D	USA	Grenada	25-Oct-83	2-Nov-83	Operation Urgent Fury
SFOD-D	USA	Iran	1980	1980	Operation Eagle Claw (aka Desert One, aka Iran Hostage)
SFOD-D	USA	Iraq	Sep-91		
SFOD-D	USA	Panama	1989	1989	Operation Just Cause
SFOD-D	USA	Persian Gulf	1991	1991	Gulf War
SFOD-D	USA	Somalia	1993	1993	TF Ranger
Son Tay Raiders	USA	RVN			specific named individuals
STD	ARVN	Vietnam		24-Apr-75	OPERATIONAL ASSOCIATE ONLY
STDAT or STDAT-158	USA	Vietnam	Apr-72	24/Apr/75	US Forces but most likely Associate only
TCAE, Training Center Advisory Element	USA	Vietnam	1-Jan-71	30-Apr-72	ASSOCIATE ONLY
TF Dagger	USA	Afghanistan	2002		
TF1AE, Take Force One Advisory Element	USA	Vietnam	1-Jan-71	30-Apr-72	
TF2AE, Take Force Two Advisory Element	USA	Vietnam	1-Jan-71	30-Apr-72	
TF3AE, Task Force Three Advisory Element	USA	Vietnam	1-Nov-71	30-Apr-72	
USACAPOC	USA	USSOCOM ops			individual basis only, ASSOCIATE ONLY
White Star	USA	Laos	1952	1960	aka WSMTT
OLAA (Operating Location Alpha -Alpha)	USAF	Vietnam	15-Nov-69	17-Dec-70	A1E SPADS supporting SOG recon teams - pilots only General
DET A, Berlin Brigade	USA	Germany			
34th Special Operations Squadron	USAF	Middle East			Pilots U-28A, indiv basis only, ASSOCIATE ONLY