



RACT POLICY STATEMENT

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RACT UNIT AND VEHICLE SIGNS

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References:

- A. Defence Road Transport Instructions 2001
- B. LCI OPS(I) 4-1, Design for Unit Signs, Vehicle Unit Signs and Unit Flags, dated 8 September 1991
- C. AOSI 24/90, Operation of the Army Commercial Vehicle Management Program (ACVMP), dated 30 November 1990

INTRODUCTION

1. This statement has been prepared to ensure uniformity in the use of unit and vehicle signs by RACT units.

AIM

2. The aim of this policy statement is to advise the design of, and the detail to be included in, RACT unit and vehicle signs.

POLICY

General

3. All RACT units are to display unit signs at their respective establishments and vehicle signs in accordance with Reference A. These signs are to be designed in accordance with this policy statement. Composite logistic units signs, flags, and vehicle signs are to be in accordance with Reference B.

Unit Signs

4. Dimensions. As a guide, an overall width to height ratio of 1.5:1 should be used for the unit sign. A sign 175 cm wide and 114 cm high would be a suitable size. The specification is contained in AHQ Drawing ECD 16018A.
5. Format. The sign is to be a copy of the RACT flag with the RACT badge located in the centre. Colour specifications are contained in Annex A to this policy statement.
6. Unit Title. The unit title is to be printed, in block letters, in blue on the uppermost white band of the sign as shown in annex A to this policy statement.
7. In situations where more than one RACT unit occupy the same accommodation the title of the headquarters of the major unit is to be printed on the uppermost white band. The two title(s) of the other unit(s) is (are) to be printed on the lower white band of the sign. Parent formation titles may also be added to the sign on the uppermost white band.

Vehicle Unit Signs

8. Vehicle Signs. Dimensions of vehicle signs are contained in Reference A, Chapter 6
9. Commercial Vehicles. In accordance with Reference C, unit and formation signs are not to be displayed on commercial vehicles.
10. Format. Vehicle unit signs are to be designed in accordance with Reference A, Chapter 6. Colour specifications are contained in Annex B to this policy statement.
11. Unit Serial Numbers. Unit serial numbers are allocated by Army Office (Directorate of Establishments) in accordance with Reference A, Chapter 12.

Annexes:

- A. RACT Unit Sign Layout
- B. RACT Badge Details
- C. RACT Vehicle Unit Sign Layout

RACT UNIT SIGN LAYOUT

Fraction of
Height of Sign

Colour

4/32		BLUE
5/32		WHITE
1/32		RED
12/32	<p style="text-align: center;">RACT BADGE CENTRALLY PLACED (HEIGHT: 12/32 OF SIGN) (SEE APPENDIX 1 TO THIS ANNEX)</p>	BLUE
1/32		RED
5/32		WHITE
4/32		BLUE

Note: Colour consistency

BLUE	=	BRITISH COLOUR CODE 48 -	INDIGO
WHITE	=	BRITISH COLOUR CODE 151 -	PEARL WHITE
RED	=	BRITISH COLOUR CODE 126 -	GUARDSMAN RED

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OBJECT (1)	COLOUR
Metal Work of Crown	Gold outlined in Black
Velvet Cap Within Crown	Red with Shades (2)
Central Jewel on Orb of Crown	Red
All Pearls on Crown	White outlined in Black (3)
Ermine Head-Band of Crown	White with Black Flecks (3)
Central Jewel on gold Head-Band	Blue
Oval Jewels on Crown	Green
Outside Jewels on Crown	Red
The Seven Pointed Star (1)	Gold outlined in black (3)
The Monarch's Cipher	Silver outlined in Black (3)
The Roundel and Title	Blue outlined in Silver with Title in Silver (3)
Laurel Wreath	Green and Light Green outlined in Black (2)(3)
Laurel Berries and Stalks	Orange (2)
Scroll	Silver outlined in Black (3)
The Motto	White outlined in Black (3)

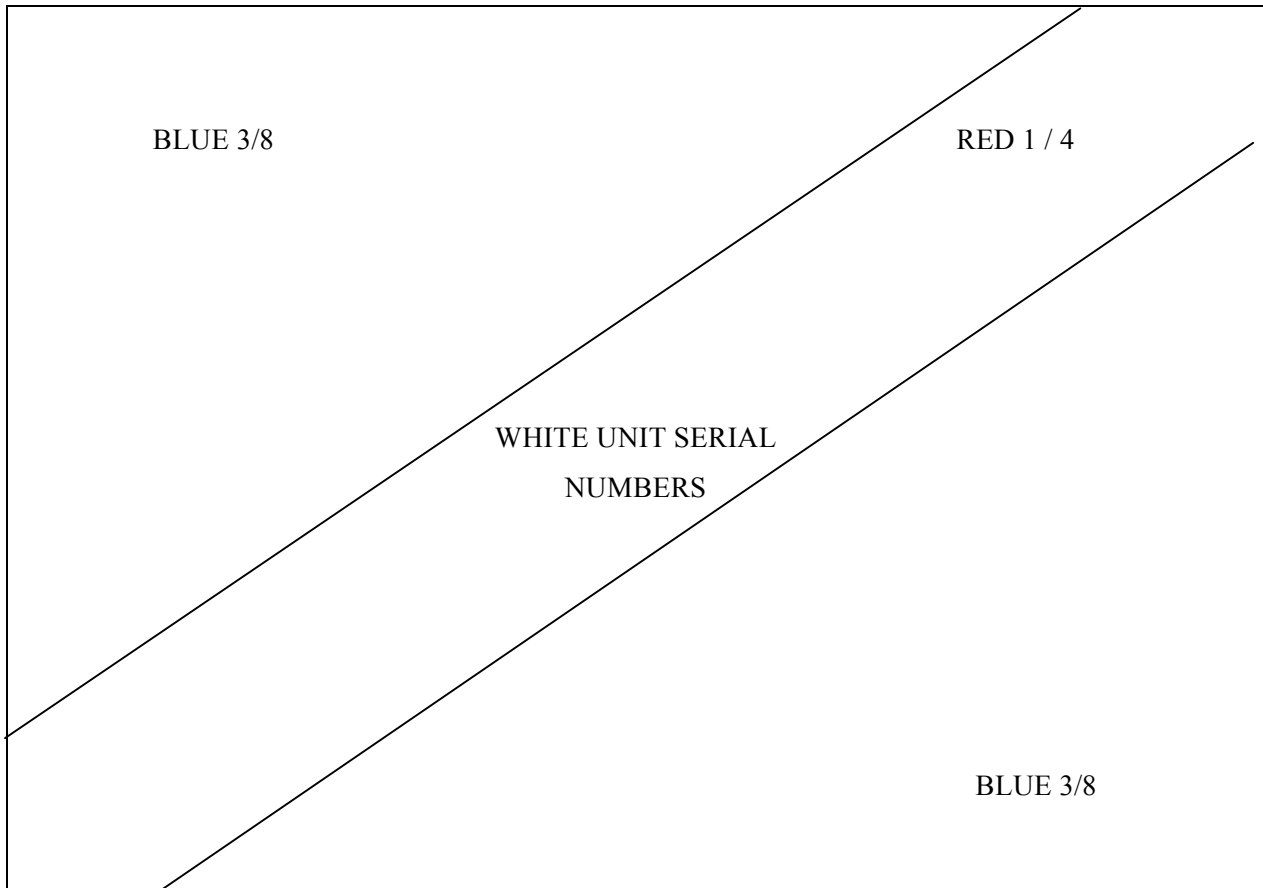
Notes:

1. The detail of the RACT Badge is intricate and may not be achievable on a small reproduction of the Badge. As a guideline all Badges which have a Roundel with an outside diameter of 200 mm or greater should include all the detail listed.
2. Shaded highlights may be used upon the designated colours to produce rounded or third dimensional effects.
3. There are no BS 381 C colour numbers for silver, black and white.
4. BS 381 C Colours

Gold	-	Golden Yellow No 356
Red		Post Office Red No 538
Blue	-	French Blue No 166
Green	-	Brilliam Green No 221
Light Green	-	Opaline Green No 275
Orange	-	International Orange No 592

Silver may be substituted with Light Grey No 63

RACT VEHICLE UNIT SIGN LAYOUT



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