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**DESIGNATION OF THE UNITED STATES ARMY SOUTH AS AN ARMY SERVICE
COMPONENT COMMAND**

1. Effective 16 October 2006, U.S. Army South (USARSO) (UIC: WJMWAA) is designated as an Army Service Component Command (ASCC) to United States Southern Command (USSOUTHCOM) reporting directly to Headquarters, Department of the Army.
2. USARSO is an operational level Army force designated by the Secretary of the Army as the ASCC of USSOUTHCOM. USARSO exercises administrative control authority and responsibility on behalf of the Secretary of the Army, and exercises operational control over Army forces, as delegated by the Commander, USSOUTHCOM, throughout the USSOUTHCOM area of responsibility.
3. Upon the effective date of modular conversion, USARSO will consist of the following unit identification codes:
 - a. Main Command Post – WJMWAA.
 - b. Operational Command Post – WJMXAA.
 - c. Special Troops Battalion – WJMYAA.
4. Upon modular conversion, USARSO will perpetuate the lineage and honors of the Sixth Army, and is authorized the display and wear of appropriate Sixth Army heraldic items as specified by The Institute of Heraldry and the Center of Military History.

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5. Effective 16 October 2006, the provisions of Headquarters, Department of the Army General Orders 2003-04, dated 25 April 2003, inconsistent with this order are hereby superseded.

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