

1145-0001/17

MEMORANDUM

HQ 1175-1/17 (Adm 1B)

9 Jan 63

PM(Army)

PA →
Attention: WOI Boudreau

Coloured Badge
C Pro C

1. In accordance with your verbal request, enclosed on loan is a coloured transparency of the Canadian Provost Corps Badge design.
2. The colouring used is in accordance with the description of the C Pro C blazer badge a copy of which is attached. You will note that the coloured illustration is larger than the dimensions shown for the blazer badge.
3. Please return the coloured transparency to D Adm 1B when its purpose has been served.

J
W. B. ARMSTRONG
D. ADM. 1 B

JAN 9 1963

(T. de Faye)
Colonel

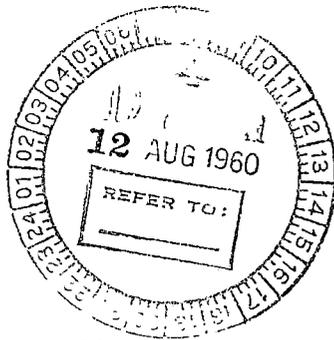
Director of Administration

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Description

Blazer Badge - Canadian Provost Corps

- Crown: - Design and colour in accordance with Annex to
CAO 64-5
- Crowned Lion - Gold
- Scrolls - Red with gold edging
- Lettering - Gold
- Embroidery - metallic wire and coloured thread
- Background - navy blue to match the blazer
- Dimensions of
C Pro C Badge - Height 3 inches
Width 2 5/8 inches



MEMORANDUM

HQ 1175-1/17 (Adm 1B)

4 Aug 60

FM (Army)

C Pro C Badge
Colour Scheme

1. It is proposed to reproduce in colour the various corps and regimental badges for use as crests.
2. The coloured drawing at flyleaf of the C Pro C badge is in accordance with the design previously stated as correct by your corps. It should be noted that this design is not a finished drawing but is a coloured black and white photograph of the corps badge design.
3. Before producing coloured transparencies of the enclosed drawing your concurrence or comments concerning the design are requested. Should the colours used be considered incorrect, it will be appreciated if a coloured reproduction or description of the correct colours for the C Pro C badge were forwarded to this Directorate.
4. The C Pro C badge in colour is required for use in connection with the Shilo Chapel, therefore, it is requested that the drawing be returned to this Directorate as soon as possible, please.

②
 D Wdm.
 The coloured drawing at flyleaf is correct except that the red on the scroll should be the same as the backing for the cross. In addition the colour used as gold would appear to be too yellow.

W & Arms Long
 (RB McDougall)
 Colonel
 Director of Administration

J. K. ...
 for PM(A)
 11 Aug 60.

Notes
 12 Aug 60
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To File 1175-1/17

Date 31 Oct 55

Corps CANADIAN PROVOST CORPS

Description of Crest for use on blazers will be found on
HQ 1175-1 under date of 31 Oct 55


for D Adm (18)

MEMORANDUM

Ottawa, 26 Sep 55

SEP 30 1955
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PM (Army)

Blazer Crests
The Canadian Provost Corps

- 1 A request has been received from Stanley A. Grant, Limited, for the description and colours of blazer crests for all corps of the Canadian Army.
- 2 It is proposed to consolidate and forward this information to Stanley A. Grant, unless, as it is a corps matter, you would prefer to forward this information direct.
- 3 The following information with respect to the blazer crest for the Canadian Provost Corps is required:
 - (a) confirmation that the design at flyleaf is correct;
 - (b) colours to be used in the crest as well as the background on which it is mounted;
 - (c) type of embroidery (metallic or silk);
 - (d) the height and width in which the blazer crest should be manufactured.

② J Adm,
Here under replies to your queries in para 3 of Annex 1

- a) Design correct.
- b) (i) Brown as CAO-64-5
(ii) Scroll - Gold
(iii) Scroll background - Lt-red
(iv) Crest background - navy blue.
- c) metallic
- d) Ordinary pocket size is surrounded by a border 3/16"

J. W. Johnston
(IA Johnston)
Colonel
Director of Administration

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29 Sep 55
JPM

STANLEY A. GRANT LIMITED
134 PARK LAWN ROAD
TORONTO 14.

September 2nd, 1955.

The Department of National Defence,
Directorate of Inter-Service Development,
224 Wellington Street,
OTTAWA, Ontario

Attention: Mr. Andrew Crawford

Dear Sirs:

This confirms my telephone conversation with your
Mr. Holmes requesting complete specifications covering de-
sign and colours of the Corps Insignia, viz:

Royal Canadian Intelligence Corps,
Royal Canadian Postal Corps,
Royal Canadian Provost Corps,
Royal Canadian Armoured Corps,
Royal Canadian Army Chaplains Corps,
Royal Canadian Army Medical Corps,
Royal Canadian Army Pay Corps,
Royal Canadian Army Service Corps,
Royal Canadian Artillery Corps,
Royal Canadian Dental Corps,
Royal Canadian Engineers,
Royal Canadian Electrical & Mechanical Engineers,
Royal Canadian Infantry Corps,
Royal Canadian Ordnance Corps, and
Royal Canadian Signal Corps.

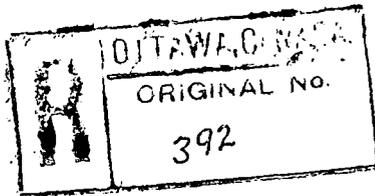
We have had numerous requests to supply these crests but
hesitate to do so without first obtaining all of the pertinent
information. We trust that you will be able to assist us in
this endeavour.

We also require the same information for the Canadian Guards
Regiment, and have written to the Director of Administration in
this regard, at the suggestion of Mr. Holmes.

Yours very truly,

STANLEY A. GRANT LIMITED

HQ 1175-1/17
(Adm A2)



- ARMY -

Ottawa, Canada,
22 June, 1954.

Ducharme Crests, Limited,
4147 Rue Saint Denis,
Montreal, Quebec.

Dear Sirs:-

Reference is made to your letter of
6 February, 1954, with regard to embroidered blazer crests.

The design of the Royal Crest was altered
when the St Edward's Crown was introduced in 1952, (print of
Royal Crest attached), and for this reason a new design for
the badge of the Canadian Provost Corps is being developed.

A comparison of the new design of the Royal
Crest with the sample submitted is as follows:-

- (a) the centre jewel on the band of the Crown
should be sapphire;
- (b) the Crown on the lion's head is too small,
(see Crown on attached print);
- (c) the height of the cross pattee, in the
centre of the Crown, should equal the width.

The sample blazer crest is returned herewith,
and a drawing of the new badge will be forwarded when available.

Yours truly,
Original Signed by
T. R. Findlay
Major

(John Wallis)
Colonel
Director of Administration.

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HQ 1175-1/17
(Adm A2)

MEMORANDUM

Ottawa, 25 Feb. 54
Administration
ARMY
FEB 26 1954
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PM (Army)

Dress - Blazer Crest
The Canadian Provost Corps

1 Herewith is a sample blazer crest for the Canadian Provost Corps which has been submitted by DuCharme Crests, Montreal, Quebec, for approval.

2 Comments with respect to the design of the crest are as follows:

- (a) the centre jewel on the band of the Crown should be a sapphire,
- (b) the height of the cross pattee, in the centre of the Crown, should equal the width,
- (c) the Crown on the lion's head is too small, (see sketch attached at flyleaf).

3 Your comments and recommendations with respect to the suitability of this crest are requested, please.

Allen
 The attached sample crest is the most horrible example of thread work I have yet seen. Under no circumstances would it be acceptable even with the improvements suggested in a b & c.

The balance in God and the colours and detail are worse. The forelegs of the lion should be separated by more than a black thread. In general the appearance of the lion approximates the cowardly lion in the Wizard of Oz.

John Wallis
 (John Wallis)
 Colonel
 Director of Administration

Stewart
 2:54 PM