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DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
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I. DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY.—1. Pursuant to the provisions of the National Security Act of 1947 (Public Law 253—80th Cong.), it is announced that the Department of War is designated the Department of the Army and that the title of the Secretary of War is changed to Secretary of the Army.

2. All laws, orders, regulations, and other actions relating to the Department of War are, in so far as they are not inconsistent with the provisions of the National Security Act of 1947, deemed to relate to the Department of the Army within the National Military Establishment.

[AG 040 (25 Sep 47)]

II. SEALS AND FLAGS, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY.—1. By direction of the President, the seal previously designated for the Department of War is hereby redesignated as the seal of the Department of the Army in accordance with the provisions of the National Security Act of 1947 (Public Law 253—80th Cong.).

2. By order of the Secretary of the Army, the distinguishing flags prescribed by AR 260-10 for the Secretary of War, the Under Secretary of War, and the Assistant Secretaries of War are hereby redesignated as the distinguishing flags of the Secretary of the Army, the Under Secretary of the Army, and the Assistant Secretaries of the Army, respectively.

[AG 424.2 (23 Sep 47)]

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

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