Fifteenth Air Force
Key Personnel
1 November 1943

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Brigadier General
Earle E. Partridge

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DeWitt L. Sage

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Colonel
Thomas A. Fitzpatrick (U.S.)

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Lt Colonel
John M. Ivins

Trial Judge Advocate
Captain
Jacob W. Durham

Postal Officer
1st Lieutenant
Robert P. Mugl bach

A-1 SECTION

Asst Chief of Staff, A-1
Colonel
Frederick W. Fenn (U.S.)

A-1
Lt Colonel
Sidney F. Wogan

A-2 SECTION

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Colonel
Charles A. Young

Combat Intelligence
Major
Bradford S. Magill

Photo Interpretation
Major
Clyde T. Sullivan

War Room
Captain
Vincent M. Schmidt

Public Relations Officer
Major
Bernal E. Clark

A-3 SECTION

Asst Chief of Staff, A-3
Brigadier General
Charles F. Born

Executive Officer, A-3
Lt. Colonel
Curtis D. Sluman

Adm Officer, A-3
Lt Colonel
Myles K. Stolz

CO. Flight Section
1st Lieutenant
Kenneth L. Temple

A-4 SECTION

Asst Chief of Staff, A-4
Colonel
Edward P. Mechling

Executive Officer, A-4
Major
Royal U. St. John

A-5 SECTION

Asst Chief of Staff, A-5
Colonel
Rueben Kyle, Jr.
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