

# **109<sup>th</sup> AIR OPERATIONS GROUP**

## **LINEAGE**

Activated 2 Nov 2008

## **STATIONS**

Hickam AFB, HI

## **ASSIGNMENTS**

## **COMMANDERS**

Col. Michael B. Comptom

## **HONORS**

**Service Streamers**

**Campaign Streamers**

**Armed Forces Expeditionary Streamers**

**Decorations**

## **EMBLEM**

## **EMBLEM SIGNIFICANCE**

## **MOTTO**

## **NICKNAME**

## **OPERATIONS**

Hawaii Air National Guard (HIANG) commander, Maj. Gen. Darryll D.M. Wong, will preside over an activation ceremony for the 109th Air Operations Group, 150th Air Operations Squadron and 202nd Air Mobility Operations Squadron at Hickam Air Force Base on Sunday, November 2, 2008. These units will be classic associate units of the HIANG, augmenting the 13th Air Force, the 613th Air and Space Operations Center (AOC) and the 613th AOC's Air Mobility Division through the full range of combat operations. The units will be co-located with the 613th AOC at Hickam Air Force Base, Hawaii. The mission of the 613th AOC is to provide command

and control of real-world air, space and information operations in the Pacific Theater for the Commander of Air Force forces (COMAFFOR) and coalition or joint forces air component commander (C/JFACC). In the event that operations exceed the 613th AOC's capabilities, the traditional (drill-status) HIANG Airmen will be immediately available to supplement the active duty Air Force requirements. The 109th AOG will be staffed by approximately 130 HIANG Airmen and will include pilots, navigators, weapons controllers, flight nurses and intelligence specialists. The 150th AOS will have approximately 70 Airmen, which will include intelligence, network, strategy and airspace branches. The 202nd AMOS will have approximately 50 Airmen split between tanker, airlift, logistics and aeromedical branches.

Members of the Hawaii Air National Guard's 154th Wing last month returned home to Joint Base Pearl Harbor-Hickam from the Philippines after a week of exchange with Philippine airmen on air defense and command and control issues, according to a wing release. The airmen from the 109th Air Operation Group and the 169th Aircraft Control and Warning Squadron traveled to Col. Jesus Villamor Air Base in Pasay City for meetings with their Philippine counterparts from Aug. 19 to Aug. 23, states the Aug. 30 release. The guests and hosts took turns giving briefings and sharing expertise on topics like C2, identification, surveillance, tactics, weapons, and the role of the air operations center. This trip took place under the auspices of the National Guard Bureau's State Partnership Program. 2013

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