

690 INFORMATION OPERATIONS SQUADRON



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On a disc Sable, a terrestrial globe Proper gridlined Argent environed by a lightning bolt as a Möbius strip quartered alternating Tenné and Or, surmounted by a sword point to base bendwise sinister of these second, hilt and pommel Yellow, overall an escutcheon blazoned Argent, a chess knight Sable, all within a diminished bordure Blue. Attached below the disc, a Yellow scroll edged with a narrow Blue border and inscribed "690TH INFORMATION OPERATIONS SQ" in Black letters. **SIGNIFICANCE:** Ultramarine blue and Air Force yellow are the Air Force colors. Blue alludes to the sky, the primary theater of Air Force operations. Yellow refers to the sun

and the excellence required of Air Force personnel. The globe on a black background encompassed by an orange and yellow lightning bolt, as a Möbius strip, suggests the flow of information worldwide. The sword, shield and black chess piece represent the offensive and defensive natures of Air Force intelligence.

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