

4500 JOINT STARS SQUADRON

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4500th JSTARS Squadron E-8A (s/n 86-0417), a former American Airlines 707-323C and the

second pre-production aircraft, took part in operations over Bosnia in 1995-96.

One of them saw service again along with the first production E-8C in the peacekeeping operation 'Joint Endeavour' in Bosnia from December 1995, this time with the 4500th J-STARS (Prov) squadron based in Germany. The first E-8A (s/n 86-0416) was next transformed into a training TE-8A and the second quite simply retired from service.

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