

## 174. RESERVE-DIVISION - UNIT HISTORY

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DATE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	CHAIN OF COMMAND
1939/00/00	Leipzig, Wehrkreis IV	Formation of Ers.Tr. IV, redesignation as Div.Nr. 174	Subordinate to: Stellv.Gen.Kdo. IV, 1939-1942/09/25
1942/09/14	Lublin, Poland	Transfer, redesignation as 174.ResD	Militaerbefehlshaber im Generalgouvernement, 1942/09/26-1943/09/30
1942/10/06	Lublin, Miedzyrzec, Biala Podlaska, Lukow, Kielce, Piotrkow, Chelm, Zamosc, Sandomierz	Antipartisan warfare, security duty, alerts, training of recruits	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Kurt Renner, 1942/09/14-1943/09/14
1943/04/01	Lublin, Biala Podlaska, Kielce, Krasnik, Ostrowiec, Parczew, Opatow, Piotrkow, Janow Podlaski	Antipartisan warfare, security duty, alerts, training of recruits	
1943/06/20	Krasnik	Formation of Eingreifgruppe Stengel, antipartisan warfare	Gen.Lt. Christoph Stengel, 1943/06/20-1943/12/10  Gen.Lt. Friedrich Eberhardt, 1943/09/15-1944/08/03
1944/03/00	West of Radom	Transfer	
1944/07/23	Radom, Lublin	Movement, defensive engagements	
1944/07/30	Ostrowiec	Incorporation into the 26.ID, disbandment	

Record items 29173/1 and 36687 of the 174.ResD are reproduced on roll 1536 of Microfilm Publication T315 and are described on the following page.

Although only two record items of the 174.ResD were available in the National Archives, the Order of Battle of the German Army (Washington, March 1945), the records of OKH/GenStdH/Org.Abt., H1/38 (T78, roll 398), and situation maps of Lage Ost were also used for the unit history.

CONTENTS	DATES	ITEM NO.	ROLL	1ST FRAME
Ia, TB 1. Transfer of Div.Nr. 174 by order of Stellv.Gen.Kdo. 4 to the Generalgouvernement, 14 Sep-6 Oct 1942, arrival of the division staff in Lublin, and redesignation as the 174.ResD, 26 Sep 1942. Billeting, improvement of quarters, security duty, combat against partisan units, counteraction against the Polish resistance movement, and training of recruits in the Czestochowa, Miedzyrzec, Biala Podlaska, Lukow, Kielce, Piotrkow, Chelm, Lublin, Zamosc, and Sandomierz areas. Strength reports; list of officers duty assignments for the division staff.	1942/09/14-1943/03/31	174.ResD 29173/1	1536	1
Ic, TB 2. Activity report concerning combat against partisan units; security duty; alerts to counteract the Polish resistance movement; receiving and training replacement; detailing division personnel as field forces in the Biala Podlaska, Lublin, Kielce, Ostrowiec, Krasnik, Opatow, Parczew, Piotrkow, and Janow Podlaski areas; formation of Eingreifgruppe Stengel to combat partisans; strength and casualties; enemy losses; and the number of partisans and Jews killed. (There is no indication that the TBs, 1 Oct 1943-31 Mar 1944 and 19 Apr-30 Jun 1944, record items 48784/1-2 and 57008 as listed in the Potsdam catalog, were ever in the custody of the National Archives.)	1943/04/01-1943/09/30	174.ResD 36687	1536	15