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DATE	LOCATION	ACTIVITY	CHAIN OF COMMAND
1942/02/10	Stettin, Wehrkreis II	Formation of Stab Festungskommandantur Drontheim	
1942/02/24	Tromso, Norway	Redesignation as Stab Kuestenschutzverband Tromso	Subordinate to: Stellv.Gen.Kdo. II, 1942/03/09-1942/04/15 C.O.: Gen.Lt. Ralf Sodan, 1942/04/15-1943/08/16
1942/04/24	Tromso	Redesignation as 270.ID	Subordinate to: AK 71 Hoeh.Kdo, 1942/04/24-1944/10/19
1942/04/30	Tromso area and Ringvassoy, Senja, and Kvaloy Islands	Coastal defense, construction of fortifications, alerts, training, regrouping	C.O.: Gen.Lt. Hans Brabaender, 1943/08/17-1944

Records of the 270.ID are reproduced on roll 1864 of Microfilm Publication T315 and are described following the unit history.

Although no records of this division dated later than 1943/10/31 were available in the National Archives, situation maps of Lage Norwegen und Daenemark and Skandinavien and the general officer personnel files show:

1943/11/01-1945/05/11	Tromso area and Ringvassoy, Senja, and Kvaloy Islands	Coastal defense, training, regrouping	Subordinate to: Arme-Abt. Narvik (AK 19), 1945/01/07-1945/05/11
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Ia, IB. Activity report concerning the formation of Stab Festungskommandantur Drontheim in Stettin, Wehrkreis II, 10-15 Feb 1942; redesignation in Norway by AOK Norwegen as Stab Kuestenschutzverband Tromso, which consisted of IR 341 of the 199.ID and Heereskuestenartillerie units, 24 Feb; takeover of the command of the Tromso sector by Gen.Lt. Ralf Sodan and staff, 15 Apr; redesignation as the 270.ID, 24 Apr 1942; and quartering, coastal defense, and training, 30 Apr-31 Oct 1942.	1942/04/15-1942/10/31	270.ID 24474/1	1864	1
Ia, Anlagen zum TB. Orders, messages, and overlays pertaining to formation of Stab Festungskommandantur Drontheim in Stettin, Wehrkreis II, 10-15 Feb 1942; redesignation in Norway as Stab Kuestenschutzverband Tromso, 24 Feb, takeover of the command of the Tromso sector by Gen.Lt. Ralf Sodan and staff, 15 Apr; redesignation as the 270.ID, 24 Apr; and quartering, coastal defense, construction of fortifications, obstacles, and strong points, laying minefields, counterintelligence, training, regrouping, and general defense in the Tromso sector, 30 Apr-31 Oct 1942. Strength reports and reports regarding probable enemy intentions.	1942/02/09-1942/10/24	270.ID 24474/2	1864	35
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Ia, IB. Activity report concerning coastal defense, construction of fortifications, alerts, training, and regrouping in the Tromso sector of Norway.	1943/05/01-1943/10/31	270.ID 43087/1	1864	358
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regrouping, construction program, location of obstacles, counterintelligence, and troop indoctrination and entertainment in the Tromso sector of Norway; an activity report of the personnel branch, 1 May-31 Oct 1943; and special directives concerning the defense of the Tromso sector.