

Change From “GAS” Brassard to “CBRN” Insignia

On 11 August 2008, the U.S. Army Assistant Chief of Staff for Personnel (G-1) authorized a change from the “GAS” brassard to the “CBRN” insignia.

The GAS brassard wear policy, outlined in Army Regulation (AR) 670-1, paragraph 28-29b(6), will be changed to read: “Chemical, biological, radiological, and nuclear (CBRN) insignia: The subdued CBRN insignia is worn with utility uniforms by [Career Management Field] 74/Branch 74 personnel engaged in CBRN operations, domestic and in the field, when authorized by the local commander. The CBRN insignia is described as a rectangular-shaped, foliage green, embroidered hook-and-loop insignia consisting of four black letters, ‘CBRN.’ When authorized for wear, the CBRN insignia is worn attached to the left sleeve of the [Army combat uniform] coat shoulder pocket flap.”¹

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¹Department of the Army (DA) message, “Request Change to AR 670-1 for Wear of the Chemical, Biological, Radiological, and Nuclear (CBRN) Insignia,” 11 August 2008.



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