The Communications and Cybersecurity Branch of Ukraine's Armed Forces

In today's world, information is becoming a key resource, and cyberspace is a next generation battlefield. That is why the Communications and Cyber Security Branch of Ukraine's Armed Forces plays an extremely important role in the defense of Ukraine. It is a special branch responsible for planning, deploying and ensuring the functioning of communications and information systems, combat control and warning systems. The branch guarantees effective data exchanges between military units and ensures cybersecurity in a state of emergency or martial law.

The history of these troops dates back to 1917, when a communications department was established as part of the Ukrainian General Military Staff. Since then, military communications personnel have come a long way in modernizing and adapting to new technological eras. An important milestone for Ukraine's communications troops was February 2020, when, as part of the reform of the Armed Forces' military structures in line with NATO standards, the General Directorate of Communications and Information Systems of the General Staff of Ukraine's Armed Forces was reorganized into the Communications and Cyber Security Command of Ukraine's Armed Forces. On 1 January 2022, the Communications and Cybersecurity troops of Ukraine's Armed Forces received the status of a separate branch of the armed forces.

Amidst the brutal war that has unfolded in Ukraine, in addition to the traditional fighting on land, in the air and at sea, no less intense battles are taking place in cyberspace. Military communications workers provide the defense forces with one of the most important resources for military operations – communications, protecting information and communication systems, countering cyber threats, demonstrating the power of our nation to the enemy, and confidently asserting that communications save as many lives as weapons.

8 August is the Day of the Communications Branch. It is a holiday not only for soldiers, but also for everyone who understands the importance of information security.

The communications and cybersecurity branch of Ukraine's Armed Forces is a kind of shield for Ukraine's information space, guaranteeing the stability of the Ukrainian state in the face of modern threats.

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Ukraine's small coat of arms

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Old Rus ornament

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emblem of the Communications and Cybersecurity Branch of Ukraine's Armed Forces

elements imitating labyrinths of encrypted data

legend "Communications and Cybersecurity Branch of Ukraine's Armed Forces"

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