

Government Worker Confirms Badge Colors

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> From: PaulMcG@aol.com, on 1/14/97 9:29 PM:
> <snip>
> (Pink and yellow badges are used in very high security areas,
> according to an Air Force security manual I have.)

I believe your data is incorrect, as I've seen all three colors used at various times on each comomn flight line I've worked on. As an example, my current badge is a light blue, but the one I had before that was yellow, at an overseas base. Before that, at another stateside base, we had pink, then had to change to yellow. I was told this was because a certain number of the old color had been lost, and we had to change colors so the lost ones couldn't be used illegally.

> Also, Air Force security
> badges often have numbers on the bottom that define what parts of a base a
> particular individual is allowed in. It would be interesting if someone had a
> list of these numbers for the various parts of Groom Lake AFB... (okay, we
> don't know the base's real name, but "Air Force Times" refers to it as Groom
> Lake AFB.)

These numbers actually follow a hard pattern. for instance, area 4 is the flight line, area 15 is the bomb dump, area 10 is a temporary mobility area, and I think area 5 is the command post.

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