Vice Presidential Service





There have been two badges worn by military personnel on the vice president's staff. Both went on the right pocket. Executive Order 11544, July 8, 1970, established the initial badge whose central design was the vice president's eagle with only one arrow. Personnel permanently received the badge for one year of service on the Vice President's staff after January 20, 1969. Each badge was serial numbered on the reverse and that number is on the accompanying certificate.

Executive Order 11926, dated July 19, 1976, established the second design of the Vice Presidential Service badge and superseded Executive Order 11544. The second badge retained the white background and the gold color trim, but has the presidential eagle. It is given for service after December 19, 1974, by military personnel assigned to the office of the Vice President and after one year it becomes a permanent award.