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1st Battalion, 211th Aviation

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 18 April 2004 to 6 April 2005

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 18 April 2004 to 6 April 2005, the 1st Battalion, 211th Aviation displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit epitomized the Army's concept of "One Team" by effectively integrating active Army, National Guard, and Army Reserve Soldiers into a cohesive force. The unit flew in excess of 24,860 hours while executing 2,212 aerial missions, resulting in the transport of 53,890 personnel and 6,444,524 pounds of cargo. Despite adhering to an operational flying tempo that was four times higher than their normal garrison rate, the unit excelled in keeping aircraft fully mission capable. The 1st Battalion, 211th Aviation's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, Task Force Wings, the 25th Infantry Division, and the United States Army.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

  
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