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PERMANENT ORDERS 342-57

8 December 2009

Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 4th Battalion, 27th Field
Artillery Regiment (9 April 2008 to 27 May 2009)
Battery A, 4th Battalion, 27th Field Artillery Regiment
(1 October 2008 to 27 May 2009)
Battery B, 4th Battalion, 27th Field Artillery Regiment
(9 April 2008 to 27 May 2009)
Battery C, 4th Battalion, 27th Field Artillery Regiment
(9 April 2008 to 27 May 2009)
Service Battery, 4th Battalion, 27th Field Artillery Regiment
(9 April 2008 to 27 May 2009)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: as listed above.

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 9 April 2008 to 27 May 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 4th Battalion, 27th Field Artillery Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit demonstrated the ability to innovate and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty. The battalion's ability to conduct full-spectrum combined operations wherever and whenever needed represents an outstanding effort. Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 4th Battalion, 27th Field Artillery Regiment's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 2d Brigade Combat Team, the 1st Armored Division, and the United States Army.

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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is still subject to final confirmation in Department of the Army General Orders. Official verification of a specific unit's entitlement to display the award in the form of an appropriate streamer on its flag or guidon rests with the U.S. Army Center of Military History (CMH), which is also responsible

for determining official unit Lineage and Honors for MTOE
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organizations. CMH will use this permanent order to authorize
the manufacture of an appropriate decoration streamer for any
organization clearly entitled to display the award. The streamers
will then be manufactured and sent to the U.S. Army Human
Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units
concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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