



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
200 STOVALL STREET
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PERMANENT ORDERS 011-03

11 January 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion, 28th
Infantry Regiment (1 December 2008 to 17 November 2009)
Company B, 2d Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment (1 December 2008
to 17 November 2009)
Company C, 2d Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment (1 December 2008
to 17 November 2009)
Troop E, 5th Cavalry Regiment (27 March 2009 to
17 November 2009)
Battery B, 1st Battalion, 77th Field Artillery Regiment
(10 February 2009 to 17 November 2009)
563d Military Police Company (27 March 2009 to 17 November 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 1 December 2008 to 17 November 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit enabled more than 560 Babil and Karbala provincial reconstruction team missions, conducted over 815 partnered operations with the 31st and 33d Iraqi Army Brigades, trained four battalions of emergency response units, and supported civil government efforts to provide a safe and secure environment for the citizens of Iraq. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 172d Infantry Brigade, Multi-National Division-South, and the United States Army.

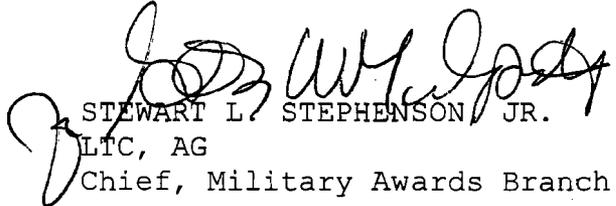
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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is still subject to final confirmation in Department of the Army General Orders. Official verification of a specific

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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 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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Chief, Military Awards Branch