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PERMANENT ORDERS 287-05

14 October 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade,
25th Infantry Division

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 7 September 2009 to 2 August 2010

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 7 September 2009 to 2 August 2010, the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade, 25th Infantry Division displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom 09-11. Providing unrivaled command and control of the only combat aviation brigade supporting United States Division-North, the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade was responsible for the drawdown of U.S. Forces and the formation of a strategic partnership with the government of Iraq. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade, 25th Infantry Division provided unrivaled support to the ground maneuver commander performing full spectrum aviation operations in order to facilitate United States Division-North's successful transition to stability operations. The Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade, 25th Infantry Division'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, United States Division-North, 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 organizations. CMH will use this permanent order to authorize

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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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