PERMANENT ORDERS 211-14

30 July 2009

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 2d Infantry Division

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 15 April 2007 to 1 June 2008
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 15 April 2007 to 1 June 2008, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 2d Infantry Division displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit’s outstanding dedication in conducting combat and support operations in Iraq contributed to the overwhelming success of the division’s mission of stabilizing the Diyala region. The unit conducted operations in Baghdad, Baqubah, Taji, and as far east as Muqdadiya, endured daily attacks from enemy forces, and despite these challenges fought with steadfast courage and an unwavering sense of duty. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 2d Infantry Division’s outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, I Corps, 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 the manufacture of an appropriate decoration streamer for any organization clearly entitled to display the award, and the
completed streamers will be distributed by the Human Resources Command.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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