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Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 724th Military Police Battalion (20 December 2007 to 12 September 2008)
838th Military Police Company (31 December 2007 to 12 September 2008)
Detachment, 367th Military Police Company (20 December 2007 to 12 September 2008)

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 20 December 2007 to 12 September 2008, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 724th Military Police Battalion and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit superbly performed all its military police wartime missions despite the hazards and limitations of working in a combat zone and under the most extreme circumstances. These missions included operating the Bagram Theater Internment Facility, as well as conducting convoy escort operations, provisional reconstruction team force protection missions, and provost marshal law and order missions at forward operating bases. Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 724th Military Police Battalion's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit 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 HRC.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

STEWART L. STEPHENSON, JR.
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Chief, Military Awards Branch