Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 213th Support Group
(24 July 2007 to 9 April 2008)
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 13th Support Battalion
(24 July 2007 to 9 April 2008)
240th Quartermaster Company (24 July 2007 to 9 April 2008)
8th Ordnance Company (20 September 2007 to 9 April 2008)
403d Transportation Company (21 August 2007 to 9 April 2008)
1387th Quartermaster Company (7 September 2007 to 9 April 2008)
118th Maintenance Company (21 August 2007 to 9 April 2008)
Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 106th Transportation
Battalion (1 August 2007 to 4 April 2008)
418th Transportation Company (12 September 2007 to 4 April 2008)
234th Engineer Company (16 October 2007 to 4 April 2008)
Company B, 297th Support Company (24 November 2007 to
4 April 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 24 July 2007 to 9 April 2008, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 213th Support Group and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit distinguished itself via superior mission execution and management while simultaneously providing seamless logistical support to forces conducting combat operations in Iraq. The group’s ability to take the initiative and improve all areas of its operations serves as a model of excellence for sustainment logistics on the modern battlefield. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 213th Support Group’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. 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:

[Signature]

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Chief, Military Awards Branch