PERMANENT ORDERS 355-02  
21 December 2009

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion,  
4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division  
(31 October 2006 to 30 September 2007)

Company A, Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team,  
1st Cavalry Division (31 October 2006 to 30 September 2007)

Company B, Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team,  
1st Cavalry Division (31 October 2006 to 30 September 2007)

Company C, Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team,  
1st Cavalry Division (Provisional) (31 October 2006 to  
30 September 2007)

Headquarters, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division  
(31 October 2006 to 30 September 2007)

Company E, 2d Battalion, 7th Cavalry Regiment (20 November 2006  
to 30 September 2007)

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  
31 October 2006 to 30 September 2007, Headquarters and  
Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade  
Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division and its subordinate units  
displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of  
Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit’s ability to provide the 4th  
Brigade Combat Team with command and control, secure  
communications, timely intelligence, assured route mobility,  
detainee operations, and support in rebuilding local  
infrastructure enabled decisive victory over enemy forces and  
represents an outstanding effort. Headquarters and Headquarters  
Company, Special Troops Battalion, 4th Brigade Combat Team, 1st  
Cavalry Division’s outstanding performance of duty is in keeping  
with the finest traditions of military service and reflects  
distinct credit upon the unit, Multi-National 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.
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:

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