PERMANENT ORDERS 057-02

212th Military Police Detachment

26 February 2010

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 12 February 2008 to 11 February 2009
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period of 12 February 2008 to 11 February 2009 the 212th Military Police Detachment displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of the Military District of Washington, the National Capital Area, and National Security. The unit provided security operations for President George W. Bush and numerous other VIPs, ensuring them safe travel in spite of the logistical challenges of securing a large geographical area. The detachment's professionalism, and its ability to accomplish the mission wherever and whenever needed, represents an exemplary effort. The 212th Military Police Detachment's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the Headquarters Battalion, the Military District of Washington, 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:

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