Headquarters and Headquarters and Service Company, 297th Military Intelligence Battalion
Company A, 297th Military Intelligence Battalion
Company B, 297th Military Intelligence Battalion
Company C, 297th Military Intelligence Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 1 September 2008 to 1 September 2009
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period of 1 September 2008 to 1 September 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters and Service Company, 297th Military Intelligence Battalion and its subordinate units displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of Operations Enduring and Iraqi Freedom. The unit demonstrated flexibility, courage, initiative and creativity in providing timely, relevant and multi-disciplined intelligence support and deployable capabilities to units throughout the Central Command Area of Responsibility. Headquarters and Headquarters and Service Company, 297th Military Intelligence Battalion’s outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, 513th Military Intelligence Brigade, 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.
PERMANENT ORDERS 112-13, U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 200 Stovall St., Alexandria, VA 22332, 22 April 2010

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:

STEWART L. STEPHENSON, Jr.
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Chief, Awards and Decorations Branch