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40th Quartermaster Company
Detach, 159th Transportation Company
(26 November 2009 to 17 July 2010)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 26 November 2009 to 10 November 2010
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 26 November 2009 to 10 November 2010, the 40th Quartermaster Company and its subordinate unit displayed exceptionally meritorious performance during combat operations while operating out of Contingency Operating Base (COB) Adder, Forward Operating Base Delta, Convoy Support Center (CSC) Cedar II, CSC Scania and COB Kalsu, Iraq in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The units’ mission execution and commitment to excellence set a new standard for all tactical logistics functions in support of the Soldier. The 40th Quartermaster Company and its subordinate unit's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the units, the 110th Combat Sustainment Support Battalion, the 224th Sustainment Brigade, the 103d Sustainment Command (Expeditionary), United States Forces-Iraq 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
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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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