PERMANENT ORDERS 080-06

21 March 2011

Detachment 1, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 807th Medical Command

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 23 April 2010 to 11 March 2011
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 23 April 2010 to 11 March 2011, the Detachment 1, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 807th Medical Command displayed exceptionally meritorious achievement and exemplary service while conducting health service support operations in the Iraq Joint Operations area in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit’s superior achievements providing command and control of medical units supporting over one hundred geographically separated bases, all delivering leading-edge healthcare, contributed immeasurably to the mission successes of United States Forces-Iraq. The unit aggressively postured units to support the responsible drawdown of forces, while continuing to strengthen the Iraqi healthcare system through assistance, training, equipment and supplies. The Command developed significant coordination and cooperative planning with the Department of State to provide for a seamless transition of healthcare at the close of Operation New Dawn. Notably, the Detachment 1, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 807th Medical Command optimized available technology to provide groundbreaking tele-medicine and tele-behavioral health services to Soldiers in remote locations. These actions are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the unit, 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 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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