PERMANENT ORDERS 177-09

Minnesota Medical Detachment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 22 January 2011 to 15 May 2011
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period 22 January 2011 to 5 May 2011, the Minnesota Medical Detachment of the 347th Regional Support Group distinguished itself with exceptionally meritorious performance. During the Soldier readiness process, the Minnesota Medical Detachment performed Level 2 medical and dental examinations for over 3,090 Soldiers, comprised of seven units within the 1st Brigade Combat Team, the 34th Infantry Division and Joint Force Headquarters-Minnesota. The exemplary performance of the Minnesota Medical Detachment is in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the unit, the Minnesota Army National Guard 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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