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Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry
Regiment

A Troop, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry Regiment

B Troop, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry Regiment

C Troop, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry Regiment

Company D, 27th Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Valorous Unit Award

Period of service: 26 October 2006 to 7 December 2007

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-14

Reason: For extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy. During the period of 26 October 2006 to 7 December 2007, Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry Regiment displayed extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy while in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in Northern Iraq. The unit's tremendous success can be directly attributed to the courage, character, and commitment of its Soldiers. The unit was consistently at the forefront in helping the nation of Iraq transition to full autonomy, and through their efforts, the unit directly impacted 2 million people in they area of operation. Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 9th Cavalry Regiment's exemplary conduct and commitment to excellence are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the unit, 1st Cavalry Division, 25th Infantry Division, and the United States Army.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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