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PERMANENT ORDERS 276-17

2 October 2008

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 15th
Infantry Regiment

Company A, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment

Company B, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment

Company C, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment

Company E, 1st Battalion, 15th infantry Regiment

Company F, 203d Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Valorous Unit Award

Period of service: 9 March 2007 to 31 December 2007

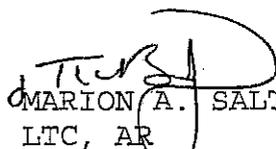
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Reason: For extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy. During the period 9 March 2007 to 31 December 2007, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment and its subordinate units displayed extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy while in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in and around the Mada'in Qada, in Iraq. The unit distinguished itself by valorous actions and exemplary dedication to duty while bringing the fight to the enemy. Further, the unit's ability to fully embrace counter-insurgency principles and conduct complex counter-insurgency operations led to the destruction of countless anti-Iraqi forces and brought safety and humanitarian assistance to the people of Iraq. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 15th Infantry Regiment's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit and the United States Army

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