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U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
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PERMANENT ORDERS 344-12

10 December 2009

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 391st Support Battalion
(27 March 2008 to 23 May 2009)
70th Transportation Company (27 July 2008 to 23 May 2009)
233d Transportation Company (21 August 2008 to 23 May 2009)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: As listed above

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 27 March 2008 to 23 May 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 391st Support Battalion and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit provided critical direct support for all classes of supply, field maintenance, recovery and transportation to corps and divisional units in Multi-National Corps-Iraq during continuous combat operations in Iraq. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 391st Support Battalion's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 16th Sustainment Brigade, and the United States Army.

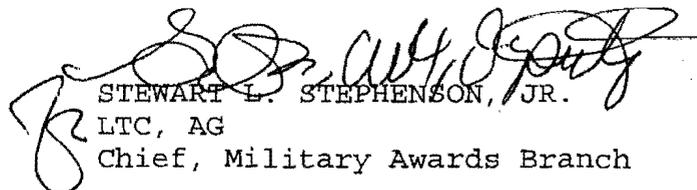
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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is 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

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Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units
concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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