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U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
200 STOVALL STREET
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PERMANENT ORDERS 054-01

23 February 2010

401st Engineer Company

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 12 April 2009 to 19 February 2010

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 12 April 2009 to 19 February 2010, the 401st Engineer Company displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit constructed, maintained, inspected, and removed bridging infrastructure throughout Iraq, proving itself to be on the preeminent engineering assets in the Multi-National Corps-Iraq arsenal. Additionally, the company partnered with numerous Iraqi Army field engineer regiments and set the conditions for their success in the future. The unit further performed above and beyond the call of duty by aiding numerous security and hauling missions in support of Task Force-844 and the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers, Gulf Region Division. The 401st Engineer Company's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, Multi-National Force-Iraq, and the United States Army.

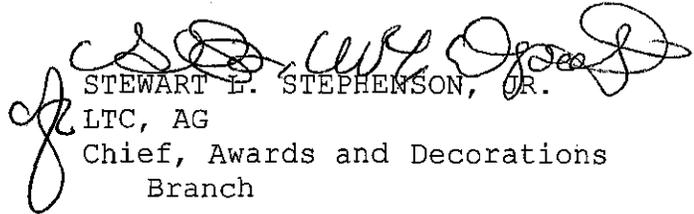
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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is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

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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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