



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
200 STOVALL STREET
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PERMANENT ORDERS 169-02

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Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 84th Engineer Battalion
Support Company, 84th Engineer Battalion
26th Engineer Detachment
142d Engineer Detachment
523d Engineer Company
591st Engineer Company
643d Engineer Company

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 12 November 2008 to 11 November 2009

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 12 November 2008 to 11 November 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 84th Engineer Battalion and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit's absolute mission focus, total team concept and dedication to safety and success of the Coalition and Iraqi Security Forces set the standard for professional excellence. Further, the battalion's tireless efforts in combating improvised explosive devices, maintaining roads, and constructing bases immeasurably contributed to the goal of establishing a lasting democracy in Iraq. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 84th Engineer Battalion's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 130th Engineer 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.

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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:

for *A. M. Lawrence, CW2, Asst. DepCh.*
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