



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND**  
200 STOVALL STREET  
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PERMANENT ORDERS 081-67

22 March, 2010

Headquarters and Support Company, 277th Support Battalion  
Company A, 277th Support Battalion  
Company B, 277th Support Battalion  
Company C, 277th Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 26 October 2008 to 9 October 2009

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 26 October 2008 to 9 October 2009, Headquarters and Support Company, 277th Support Battalion and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit provided unsurpassed combat service support in the form of efficient resupply, maintenance, and communications, enabling Multi-National Division-North to succeed in its mission. Headquarters and Support Company, 277th 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 Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division, and the United States Army.

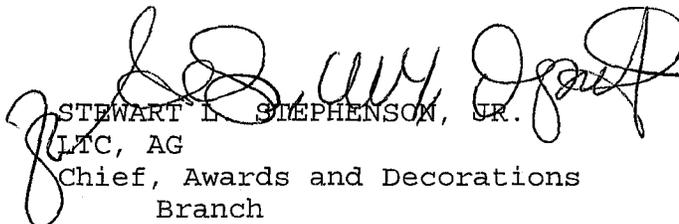
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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is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

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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:



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