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PERMANENT ORDERS 352-24

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842d U.S. Army Transportation Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award

Period of service: 1 September 2007 to 31 October 2007

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16

Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period of 1 September 2007 to 31 October 2007, the 842d U.S. Army Transportation Battalion displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of the Global War on Terrorism and the deployment of the 3d Armored Cavalry Regiment through multiple Gulf Coast ports. The unit displayed outstanding devotion to duty and superior mission performance in executing this extremely demanding mission. This constituted the battalion's first assignment in which planning and execution involved the innovative Fusion Cell concept. Additionally, the unit also integrated the newly streamlined Deployment Distribution Support Team with the Composite Risk Management and Military Decision-Making processes. The unit's outstanding effort and the combined individual efforts of each Officer, Soldier, and Army Civilian enabled the successful deployment of one of the Army's premier units without delay or mishap. The 842d U.S. Army Transportation Battalion's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the Military Surface Deployment and Transportation Command, and the United States Army.

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