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Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 1st Information
Operations Command
1st Information Operations Battalion
2d Information Operations Battalion

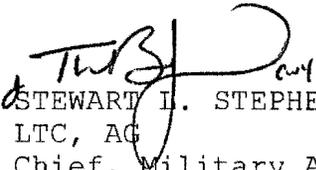
Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 1 October 2007 to 30 September 2008
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period of 1 October 2007 to 30 September 2008, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 1st Information Operations Command and its subordinate units displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of Operations Iraqi Freedom, Enduring Freedom, and the Global War on Terrorism. The unit provided information operations support teams to a wide range of military operations conducted by the United States Army, other land components, and joint forces. Despite working under highly demanding conditions, the unit was instrumental in the continual development, refinement, and application of information superiority in a continual effort to obtain and maintain an operational advantage. The command's tireless efforts positively affected all combatant command theaters of operation as well as the Army at large. Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 1st Information Operations Command's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the United States Army Intelligence and Security Command, 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

appropriate decoration streamer for any organization clearly entitled to display the award, and the completed streamers will be distributed by the U.S. Army Human Resources Command.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


STEWART I. STEPHENSON, JR.
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Chief, Military Awards Branch