



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND**  
**200 STOVALL STREET**  
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PERMANENT ORDERS 084-14

25 March 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 137th  
Aviation Regiment (28 February 2009 to 15 December 2009)  
Company A, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment  
(28 February 2009 to 15 December 2009)  
Company B, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment  
(28 February 2009 to 15 December 2009)  
Company C, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment  
(28 February 2009 to 15 December 2009)  
Company D, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment  
(28 February 2009 to 15 December 2009)  
Company E, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment  
(28 February 2009 to 15 December 2009)  
Company A, 1st Battalion, 52d Aviation Regiment (17 March 2009  
to 15 December 2009)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: As listed above

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 28 February 2009 to 15 December 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit conducted on-time, on-target, professional and safe air movement operations in direct support of the U.S. Ambassador's office, the U.S. State Department, and the commanding generals of Multi-National Force-Iraq, Multi-National Corps-Iraq and Multi-National Security Transition Command-Iraq. In addition, the regiment conducted complex, time-sensitive helicopter assault operations in support of joint special operations and air assault forces in order to capture and/or eradicate Al-Qaeda in Iraq and other insurgent groups. The unit's efforts contributed immeasurably towards stabilizing and legitimizing the Iraqi Government and providing safety and security for Iraqi citizens. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 137th Aviation Regiment's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, Multi-National Corps-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 Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

  
STEWART L. STEPHENSON, JR.  
LTC, AG  
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