



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND  
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE, DEPARTMENT 480  
FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 362-20

28 December 2011

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 36th Infantry Division  
Tactical Command Posts, 36th Infantry Division  
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 36th Infantry Division  
Network Support Company, Special Troops Battalion, 36th Infantry Division  
36th Infantry Division Band  
United States Division-South Provost Marshall Office Military Working Dog Team (Provisional)  
Detachment, 101st Personnel Company (5 February 2011 to 7 September 2011)  
51st Military History Detachment  
Detachment, 350th Civil Affairs Command  
Detachment, 104th Chaplain Detachment (6 January 2011 to 7 September 2011)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 21 December 2010 to 7 September 2011

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

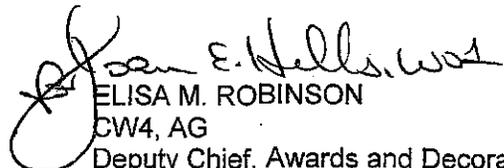
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 21 December 2010 to 7 September 2011, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 36th Infantry Division and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious achievement and exemplary service while supporting United States Division-South in support of Operation New Dawn. The unit proved to be a vital participant in overseas contingency operations by demonstrating the ability to innovate and accomplish the mission during a critical period of Iraq's history. The unit's efforts to strengthen the Iraqi Security Forces, transition enduring responsibilities to the United States Consulate-Basra and conduct a deliberate drawdown of force to conclude operations with success and honor represents an outstanding effort. The dedication and outstanding performance of Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 36th Infantry Division and its subordinate units are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the Soldiers of the Arrowhead Division, United States Division-South 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.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

  
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