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MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, 101st Airborne Division (Air Assault), ATTN: G1 Awards, Ft Campbell, KY 42223

SUBJECT: Recommendation for Award of the Meritorious Unit Commendation (MUC)

1. The recommendation for award of the MUC to the 50th Medical Company, 101st Airborne Division, for the period of 19 March 2003 to 31 October 2003, has been approved.
2. The citation and certificate are enclosed. The individual ribbons (emblems) should be procured through local supply channels.
3. The U.S. Army Center of Military History will authorize streamers for those units entitled to Lineage and Honors Certificates. All other units must request streamers directly from the U.S. Army Soldier and Biological Chemical Command, Integrated Materiel Management Center, Soldier Systems Directorate, 700 Robbins Avenue, P.O. Box 57997, Philadelphia, Pennsylvania, 19111-7997.
4. Permanent and temporary wear of the MUC for military personnel is governed by the provisions of AR 670-1.
5. This correspondence will serve as authorization for the award of the MUC to be annotated to military personnel records, pending announcement in Department of the Army General Orders.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

Encl
as


WILLIAM H. JOHNSON
AG, AG
Chief, Military Awards Branch



By direction of the Secretary of the Army, the Meritorious Unit Commendation is awarded to:

**50TH MEDICAL COMPANY
101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION**

for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service:

During the period from 19 March 2003 to 31 October 2003, 50th Medical Company 101st Airborne Division displayed exceptionally meritorious conduct in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The 50th Medical Company, 101st Airborne Division, supported numerous air movements, conducted air assault operations, and Aeromedical Evacuation support throughout the area of operations against a numerically superior enemy in order to liberate the people of Iraq from the tyrannical rule of Saddam Husseln. The courage, bravery, and dedication to mission accomplishment of the Soldiers of the 50th Medical Company, during combat operations in Southwest Asia, are in keeping with the highest traditions of military service, and reflect great credit upon themselves, the 101st Airborne Division, and the Armed Forces of the United States.

