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## PERMANENT ORDERS 240-25

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HHB, 32d Army Air and Missile Defense Command (16 November 2002 to 1 July 2003) HHB, 11th Air Defense Artillery Brigade 286th Signal Company 5th Battalion, 52d Air Defense Artillery Battery E, 2d Battalion, 43d Air Defense Artillery 178th Maintenance Company 1st Battalion, 7th Air Defense Artillery (14 December 2002 to 15 May 2003)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation Period of service: 16 November 2002 to 1 July 2003 Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16 During the period 16 November 2002 to 1 July 2003, Reason: Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 32d Army Air and Missile Command displayed exceptionally meritorious conduct while in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit planned and coordinated theater air and missile defense throughout Southwest Asia, expanded existing coverage of critical assets in Kuwait, and supported and defended United States Central Command's deployed forces. The unit characterized uncommon resourcefulness and professional excellence in providing outstanding command and control of operations for tactical units. Utilizing dynamic leadership and exacting supervision and foresight, the unit also effectively countered the myriad of problems inherent in the diverse and complex functions of their numerous missions. The Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 32d Army Air and Missile Command's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the unit and the United States Army. Format: 320

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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Chief, Military Awards Branch