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Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 8th
Infantry Regiment

Company A, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment
Company B, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment
Company C, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment
Company D, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment
Company E, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment
Company E, 64th Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

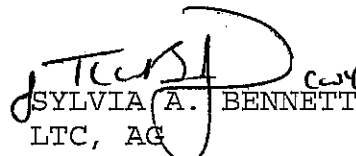
Period of service: 1 December 2005 to 1 November 2006

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 1 December 2005 to 1 November 2006, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit demonstrated unwavering commitment to providing security for the Iraqi people and training their security forces. Their efforts increased the safety and security of Ad Dujayl, Yethrib, Balad, Ishaki, Ad Duluiyah, and other neighboring towns throughout the Salah Ad Din Province and established the framework from which a functioning democracy could emerge. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 8th Infantry Regiment's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 3d Brigade Combat Team, the 4th Infantry Division, and the United States Army.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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