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Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 18th Military Police Brigade
Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 709th Military Police Battalion (13 March 2003 to 31 January 2004)
527th Military Police Company (13 March 2003 to 31 January 2004)
135th Military Police Company (20 May 2003 to 27 December 2003)
170th Military Police Company (8 May 2003 to 31 January 2004)
143d Military Police Company (16 April 2003 to 31 January 2004)
551st Military Police Company (13 March 2003 to 31 January 2004)
Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 519th Military Police Battalion (26 March 2003 to 31 January 2004)
233d Military Police Company (6 April 2003 to 31 January 2004)
307th Military Police Company (4 May 2003 to 28 November 2003)
32d Military Police Company (11 May 2003 to 31 January 2004)
143d Military Police Detachment (30 May 2003 to 31 January 2004)
812th Military Police Company (27 April 2003 to 28 November 2003)
549th Military Police Company (13 March 2003 to 31 January 2004)
204th Military Police Company (26 March 2003 to 31 January 2004)
Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 168th Military Police Battalion (20 May 2003 to 31 January 2004)
1165th Military Police Company (24 May 2003 to 31 January 2004)
2175th Military Police Company (8 June 2003 to 31 January 2004)
214th Military Police Company (30 May 2003 to 31 January 2004)
382d Military Police Detachment (1 June 2003 to 31 January 2004)
615th Military Police Company (6 November 2003 to 31 January 2004)
1139th Military Police Company (26 April 2003 to 31 January 2004)
210th Military Police Company (9 June 2003 to 31 January 2004)
269th Military Police Company (13 June 2003 to 31 January 2004)
Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 211th Military Police Battalion (4 April 2003 to 29 May 2003)
323d Military Police Company (19 August 2003 to 1 October 2003)
115th Military Police Company (27 April 2003 to 29 May 2003)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Valorous Unit Award

Period of service: 13 March 2003 to 31 January 2004

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-14

Reason: For extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy. During the period 13 March 2003 to 31 January 2004, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 18th Military Police Brigade and its subordinate units displayed extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy during Operation Iraqi Freedom. The Soldiers of the brigade distinguished themselves in all actions, from the initial push through the Iraqi desert, en route to the capital city of Baghdad, to establishing a secure, free, and democratic Iraq. Units in the Brigade worked tirelessly to provide a stable Iraqi security force and to improve the lives of its citizens after the fall of a tyrannical regime. Members of the Brigade enlisted all available resources to

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ensure the Iraqi Police's success and the security of Coalition assets. Through unfailing tenacity, courage and gallantry, brigade personnel significantly advanced freedom's borders into the Middle East and were a valuable asset in the Global War on Terror. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 18th Military Police Brigade's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the unit, V Corps, 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.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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