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1st Squadron, 4th Cavalry

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Valorous Unit Award

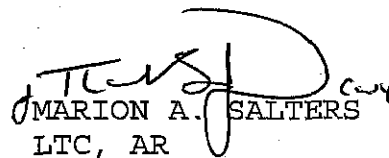
Period of service: 12 March 2004 to 30 September 2004

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

Reason: For extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy. During the period 12 March 2004 to 30 September 2004, the 1st Squad, 4th Cavalry displayed extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy while in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom in and around Salah Ad Din Province, Iraq. The unit was instrumental in intensive and successful offensive operations in the cities of Samara, Ad Duluyaiah, Ad Dawr, and Baquaba. The 1st Squad, 4th Cavalry's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit and the United States Army.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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