



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE
FORT KNOX, KY 40122

PERMANENT ORDERS 223-01

11 August 2010

218th Military Police Company

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 9 April 2009 to 28 March 2010

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 9 April 2009 to 28 March 2010, the 218th Military Police Company displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The company demonstrated an outstanding ability to accomplish the mission above and beyond the call of duty. The unit's unparalleled dedication and superb performance enabled its maneuver counterparts to expertly prepare the Iraqi Police for autonomous operation. The 218th Military Police Company's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 317th Military Police Battalion, the 49th Military Police Brigade 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. Official verification of a specific unit's entitlement to display the award in the form of an appropriate streamer on its flag or guidon rests with the U.S. Army Center of Military History (CMH), which is also responsible for determining official unit Lineage and Honors for MTOE organizations. CMH will use this permanent order to authorize the manufacture of an appropriate decoration streamer for any organization clearly entitled to display the award. The streamers will then be manufactured and sent to the U.S. Army Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units concerned.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

for *Col Lawrence, CW2, Asst. Dir. Depch.*
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