



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE
FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 356-08

22 December 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 2d Battalion, 108th Cavalry Regiment

Troop A, 2d Battalion, 108th Cavalry Regiment (15 March 2010 to 13 December 2010)

Troop B, 2d Battalion, 108th Cavalry Regiment (15 March 2010 to 14 December 2010)

Troop C, 2d Battalion, 108th Cavalry Regiment (15 March 2010 to 14 December 2010)

Company D, 199th Support Battalion (15 March 2010 to 14 December 2010)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 15 March 2010 to 15 December 2010

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 15 March 2010 to 15 December 2010, the Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 2d Battalion, 108th Cavalry Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of the responsible drawdown of U.S. Armed Forces and equipment in United States Division-South during Operations Iraqi Freedom and New Dawn. The unit's absolute mission focus, total team concept, and dedication to the quality of life for U.S. Troops deployed throughout the Iraqi theater of operations set the standard for professional excellence. Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 2d Battalion, 108th Cavalry Regiment and its subordinate units' unparalleled mission success as a Security Force Unit in Iraq is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, Task Force Geronimo, the 256th Infantry Brigade Combat Team, United States Forces-Iraq 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.

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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.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

for *A. Lawrence, Col, Asst. Dir. Ch.*
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