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I. VALOROUS UNIT AWARD. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraphs 9-2 and 9-19, AR 672-5-1, the Valorous Unit Award is confirmed for the following-named units of the United States Army for extraordinary heroism while engaged in military operations during the periods indicated, as awarded by cited authority.

1. 1ST BATTALION, 61ST INFANTRY and its assigned and attached units:

Company A, 1st Battalion, 77th Armor
Company D, 1st Battalion, 11th Infantry
2d Platoon, Company A, 7th Engineer Battalion
Demolition Team 4, 3d Platoon, Company A, 7th Engineer Battalion
Demolition Team 11, 3d Platoon, Company A, 7th Engineer Battalion
Team 1-61, Interrogation of Prisoners of War Section, 517th Military Intelligence Detachment
Teams 1, 2, 3, 4, and 5, Section A, 43d Infantry Platoon

For the period 11 November to 15 November 1969, as announced in United States Army Vietnam General Orders 2045, 1971.

2. 1ST BATTALION, 506TH INFANTRY and its attached units:

2d Battalion, 319th Artillery
116th Aviation Company
187th Aviation Company

For the period 13 June 1968 to 23 September 1968 as announced in United States Army Vietnam General Orders 2264-381, 1971

II. MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION. By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of paragraphs 9-2 and 9-20, AR 672-5-1, the Meritorious Unit Commendation is confirmed for the following named units of the United States Army for exceptionally meritorious achievement in the performance of outstanding service during the periods indicated as awarded by cited authority.

1. 57TH TRANSPORTATION BATTALION and its assigned and attached units:

63d Transportation Company (24 January 1969 to 31 March 1970)
126th Supply and Service Company
226th Supply and Service Company (25 July 1969 to 31 March 1970)
588th Maintenance Company (28 December 1968 to 28 February 1970)
596th Maintenance Company (21 May 1969 to 31 March 1970)
737th Transportation Company (6 January 1969 to 27 July 1969)
4th Quartermaster Detachment
200th Supply Detachment
523d Quartermaster Platoon

547th Signal Detachment
403d Transportation Detachment
196th Engineer Detachment
262d Quartermaster Detachment

For the period 28 December 1968 to 31 March 1970 as announced in United States Army Vietnam General Orders 408, 1971.

2. 516TH PERSONNEL SERVICE COMPANY

For the period 1 May 1971 to 27 August 1972 as announced in United States Army, Pacific General Orders 434, 1973.

3. 525TH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE GROUP and its assigned units:

1st Military Intelligence Battalion (Provisional) (1 December 1968 to 24 September 1969)

571st Military Intelligence Detachment (25 September 1969 to 31 December 1969)

2d Military Intelligence Battalion (Provisional) (1 December 1968 to 24 September 1969)

572d Military Intelligence Detachment (25 September 1969 to 31 December 1969)

3d Military Intelligence Battalion (Provisional) (1 December 1968 to 24 September 1969)

573d Military Intelligence Detachment (25 September 1969 to 31 December 1969)

4th Military Intelligence Battalion (Provisional) (1 December 1968 to 24 September 1969)

574th Military Intelligence Detachment (25 September 1969 to 31 December 1969)

5th Military Intelligence Battalion (Provisional) (1 December 1968 to 24 September 1969)

575th Military Intelligence Detachment (25 September 1969 to 31 December 1969)

Aviation Detachment, 525th Military Intelligence Group (1 December 1968 to 24 September 1969)

358th Aviation Detachment (25 September 1969 to 31 December 1969)

Signal Support Company (Provisional) (1 December 1968 to 24 September 1969)

504th Signal Detachment (25 September 1969 to 31 December 1969)

For the period 1 December 1968 to 31 December 1969 as announced in United States Army Vietnam General Orders 1106, 1971

4. 525TH MILITARY INTELLIGENCE GROUP and its assigned attached units:

571st Military Intelligence Detachment

572d Military Intelligence Detachment

573d Military Intelligence Detachment

574th Military Intelligence Detachment

575th Military Intelligence Detachment

519th Military Intelligence Battalion

358th Aviation Detachment

504th Signal Detachment

For the period 1 January 1970 to 31 December 1970 as announced in United States Army Vietnam General Orders 879, 1972.

III. MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION (NAVY). Award of the Meritorious Unit Commendation (Navy) to the following United States Army unit for the period indicated is confirmed in accordance with paragraph 9-2, AR 672-5-1.

UNITED STATES ARMY ELEMENT, ARMED FORCES POLICE
DETACHMENT, MILITARY DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON
(For the period 1 August 1972 to 30 June 1973)

The Secretary of the Navy takes pleasure in presenting the MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION to ARMED FORCES POLICE DETACHMENT, WASHINGTON, DC

for service as set forth in the following

CITATION:

For meritorious service while performing off-base military law enforcement operations in the Naval District Washington from 1 August 1972 to 30 June 1973. Throughout this period, the Armed Forces Police Detachment, Washington, DC distinguished itself by consistently displaying an exceptionally high degree of professional competence, judgment, dedication, and cooperation in carrying out its mission in the Washington, DC area. Particularly noteworthy were the Detachment's initiative, vigorous planning and coordination in police matters pertaining to the 1973 Presidential Inaugural Parade, the funeral services of a former President and the Khartoum victims, Operation HOMECOMING and the visit of the Soviet Premier. On a routine daily basis, the Detachment patrolled the Naval District Washington Metropolitan area, rendering assistance to military personnel of all ranks and services, and apprehending those persons on unauthorized absence. The distinctive accomplishments of the Armed Forces Police Detachment reflected great credit upon the individual members of the Detachment and were in keeping with the highest traditions of the United States Armed Forces.

(signed) John W. Warner
Secretary of the Navy

IV. DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY MILITARY REVIEW BOARDS AGENCY. Section VII, DA General Orders 29, 1974, is amended to read as follows:

"Effective 1 July 1974, the Department of the Army Military Review Boards Agency is established as a field operating agency under the jurisdiction of the Office, Secretary of the Army. Effective the same date, the Army Council of Review Boards and the Army Board for Correction of Military Records become elements of the Department of the Army Military Review Board Agency."

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