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UNITS CREDITED WITH ASSAULT LANDINGS

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I—GENERAL. 1. In accordance with the provisions of AR 672-5-1, paragraph 9-36, the units listed in section II below were designated by the Senior Army Commander in the theater of operations as having participated in a parachute, amphibious, or helicopter assault landing.

2. When entering individual credit on the DA Form 2-1 (Personnel Qualification Record), this general order may be cited as authority for such entries for soldiers who were present for duty as a member of or attached to a unit listed herein and actually participated in a parachute, amphibious, or helicopter assault at the place and time during the period indicated. A soldier must actually exit the aircraft or landing craft to receive assault landing credit.

3. Under the provisions of AR 672-5-1, paragraph 9-36, the designation of a combat assault landing is determined and approved by the Senior Army Commander in the theater of operations, and eligibility of individuals to wear the bronze arrowhead on the Armed Forces Expeditionary Medal is established by this approval. This approval also authorizes eligible soldiers to affix a bronze service star to their Parachutist Badge, denoting completion of a combat parachute jump.

II—LIST. The following units were designated by the Senior Army Commander in the theater of operations as having participated in a parachute, amphibious, or helicopter assault landing:

a. Rio Hato Airfield, Panama (parachute), 0112-0115 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989.

75th Ranger Regiment, Headquarters and Headquarters Company

75th Ranger Regiment, 2d Battalion

75th Ranger Regiment, 3d Battalion (less Company A)

160th Aviation, Company B, Detachment
 (Forward Area Rearmament Point)

160th Aviation Group, Headquarters and Headquarters Company,
 Detachment (Forward Area Rearmament Point)

b. Torrijos-Tocumen Airport, Panama (parachute), 0113-0115 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989:

75th Ranger Regiment (Reinforced), 1st Battalion

75th Ranger Regiment, 3d Battalion, Company A

160th Aviation, Company B, Detachment
 (Forward Area Rearmament Point)

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160th Aviation Group, Headquarters and Headquarters Company,
Detachment (Forward Area Rearmament Point)

0210-0545 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989

4th Air Defense Artillery, 3d Battalion, Battery A

73d Armor, 3d Battalion, Company C

82d Airborne Division, Headquarters and
Headquarters Company, Detachment

82d Airborne Division Support Command, Headquarters
and Headquarters Company, Detachment

82d Military Police Company, Detachment

82d Signal Battalion, Detachment

82d Airborne Division, Headquarters and Headquarters Company,
1st Brigade

307th Engineer Battalion, Company A

307th Medical Battalion, Company B

313th Military Intelligence Battalion, Company A

319th Field Artillery, 3d Battalion (less Batteries B and C)

325th Infantry, 4th Battalion (less Company C)

407th Supply and Service Battalion, Company A

504th Infantry, 1st Battalion

504th Infantry, 2d Battalion

505th Infantry, 3d Battalion, Company A

782d Maintenance Battalion, Detachment

c. Pacora River Bridge, Panama (helicopter) 0040-0054 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989:

1st Special Forces, 7th Special Forces Group, 3d Battalion, Company A

d. Fort Amador, Panama (helicopter) 0100-0230 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989:

508th Infantry (Abn), 1st Battalion

e. Colon, Panama (amphibious) 1315-1500 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989:

7th Infantry Division (Light), 3d Brigade, Headquarters and
Headquarters Company, Detachment

17th Infantry, 4th Battalion (less Company B)

27th Infantry, 2d Battalion, Company C

f. Gamboa, Panama (helicopter) 0100-0104 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989:

504th Infantry, 3d Battalion, Headquarters and Headquarters Company

504th Infantry, 3d Battalion, Company A

g. Cerro Tigre, Panama (helicopter) 0100-0104 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989:

504th Infantry, 3d Battalion, Company B

h. El Renacer, Panama (amphibious) 0100-0104 hours, inclusive, 20 December 1989:

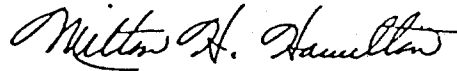
504th Infantry, 3d Battalion, Company C

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