



## NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU

1411 JEFFERSON DAVIS HIGHWAY  
ARLINGTON VA 22202-3231

NGB-PA (870-5a)

05 April 2010

MEMORANDUM FOR The Adjutant General, California, ATTN: CAAD-FD (LTC Salveson) 9800 Goethe Rd, Sacramento, CA 95826-9101

FOR Commander, 40<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company, California Army National Guard

SUBJECT: Lineage and Honors Certificate

1. A Lineage and Honors Certificate has been completed for the 40<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company.
2. Display it with pride in a prominent location. Retain a copy permanently (or until updated) in unit historical files.
3. Streamers and decorations (when available) are to be obtained through the state USPFO; a copy of the Lineage and Honors certificate must accompany the requisition.
4. THRU addressee: Please retain a copy of the lineage certificate for your files and forward the original certificate in the protective envelope directly to the unit commander.
5. The POC at this office is Mr. Derek Nestell at DSN 327-8797; COM (703) 607-8797 or [Derek.Nestell@us.army.mil](mailto:Derek.Nestell@us.army.mil)

Encl  
L&H Cert.

A handwritten signature in black ink that reads "Al Miller".

Al Miller  
Acting Chief, Historical Services Division  
Office of Public Affairs  
And Strategic Communication



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

## Lineage and Honors

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Ordered into active Federal service 24 October 2004 at Los Alamitos; released from active Federal service 21 April 2006 and reverted to state control

Ordered into active Federal service 5 April 2008 at Los Alamitos; released from active Federal service 9 May 2009 and reverted to state control

HOME STATION: Los Alamitos

#### CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

War on Terrorism

Campaigns to be determined

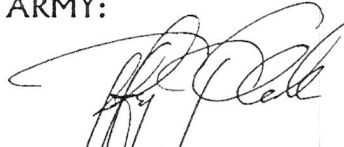
# 40th MILITARY POLICE COMPANY

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NGB-PAI-H (DAMH-FPO/8 Nov 00) (600-8-22a) 1<sup>st</sup> End CPT Melnyk/DSN 327-2636  
SUBJECT: Army Superior Unit Award Streamer

HQs, Departments of the Army and the Air Force, National Guard Bureau,  
1411 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington VA 22202-3231 15 November 2000

THRU The Adjutant General, California, ATTN: POTO (MAJ Tarleton), 9800 S.  
Goethe, Sacramento, CA 95826-9101

FOR Commander, 40<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company

Forwarded

FOR THE CHIEF, NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU:



*S. Fleek - CPT, NGB*

*for*  
SHERMAN L. FLEEK  
LTC, NGB  
Chief, Historical Services,  
Office of Public Affairs



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
THE U.S. ARMY CENTER OF MILITARY HISTORY  
103 THIRD AVENUE  
FORT LESLEY J. McNAIR DC 20319-5058



DAMH-FPO (600-8-22)

8 November 2000

MEMORANDUM FOR ~~Chief, National Guard Bureau, ATTN: NGB-PAI-H,~~  
~~1411 Jefferson Davis Highway, Arlington, Virginia~~  
~~22202-3231~~ *same 15 Nov 00*

SUBJECT: Army Superior Unit Award Streamer

1. This is to certify that the 40th Military Police Company of the California Army National Guard is entitled to an Army Superior Unit Award Streamer embroidered **1992 - 1994**. Please forward the enclosed TAPC-PDO-PA memorandum approving this award, the certificate, and citation to the Commander, 40th Military Police Company. The streamer may be ordered, through appropriate channels, from the address listed below. A copy of this memorandum and the enclosed material must accompany the order for the streamer.

Commander  
US Army Soldier and Biological Chemical Command  
Integrated Materiel Management Center, Soldier Systems  
Directorate, 700 Robbins Avenue, P.O. Box 57997  
Philadelphia, Pennsylvania 19111-7997

2. The point of contact for this action is Stephen Gammons at DSN 325-2735 or 202-685-2735.

FOR THE CHIEF OF MILITARY HISTORY:

Encls  
a/s

*Rebecca C. Raines*  
for REBECCA C. RAINES  
Chief, Force Structure and  
Unit History Branch



REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY  
U.S. TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND  
ALEXANDRIA, VA

22332-0471



TAPC-PDO-PA (600-8-22)

6 September 2000


MEMORANDUM FOR Commander, U.S. Army Forces Command, Attn: AFAG-PSS-S,  
1777 Hardee Ave., SW, Ft. McPherson, GA 30330-1062

SUBJECT: Army Superior Unit Award (ASUA)

1. The recommendation for award of the ASUA to the 40<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company, for the period 1 April 1992 to 31 January 1994, has been approved.
2. The citation and certificate are enclosed. The individual ribbons (emblems) should be procured through local supply channels.
3. If the unit is entitled to a streamer, the streamer will automatically be furnished (upon authorization from the Center of Military History) by Commander, U.S. Army Support Activity.
4. Permanent and temporary wear of the ASUA for military personnel is governed by the provisions of AR 670-1. The lapel pin is authorized for optional purchase and wear on civilian clothing by qualified military personnel.
5. Department of the Army civilians employed with the unit during the cited period may wear the lapel pin permanently. Those currently employed with the unit, but who were not employed during the cited period, may wear the lapel pin on a temporary basis as long as they remain employed by the unit.
6. This correspondence will serve as authorization for the award of the ASUA to be annotated to military personnel records, pending announcement in Department of the Army General Orders.

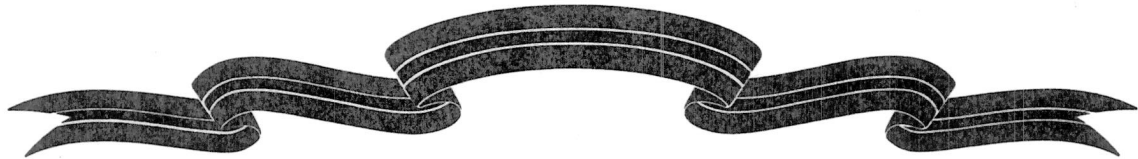
FOR THE COMMANDER:

Encls  
as

  
LAUREL D. CUNNANE  
LTC, AG  
Chief, Military Awards Branch

CF:  
Chief, Center of Military History  
Attn: DAMH-FPO, 103 3<sup>rd</sup> St., SW  
Ft. McNair, Washington, DC 20319-5058





DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

THIS IS TO CERTIFY THAT THE  
ARMY SUPERIOR UNIT AWARD

HAS BEEN AWARDED TO THE

40<sup>TH</sup> MILITARY POLICE COMPANY

FOR MERITORIOUS PERFORMANCE  
OF A DIFFICULT AND CHALLENGING MISSION

1 APRIL 1992 – 31 JANUARY 1994

GIVEN UNDER MY HAND IN THE CITY OF WASHINGTON

THIS 22<sup>ND</sup> DAY OF AUGUST 2000



*James O. Case*  
SECRETARY OF THE ARMY

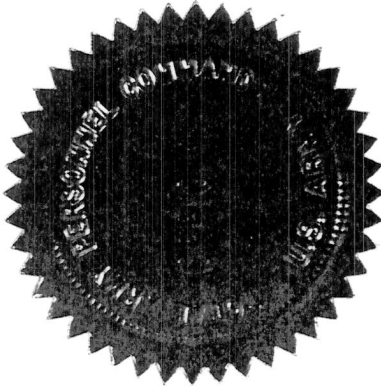


By direction of the Secretary of the Army, the Army Superior Unit Award is awarded to:

**40<sup>TH</sup> MILITARY POLICE COMPANY**

for outstanding meritorious performance during peacetime, in a difficult and challenging mission:

During the period 1 April 1992 to 31 January 1994, the 40<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company distinguished itself by exceptionally meritorious performance of duty. The unit was called to active duty on four separate occasions providing outstanding assistance to local law enforcement agencies during the Los Angeles civil disturbance of 1992 and the Northridge Earthquake of 1994. The exemplary performance of 40<sup>th</sup> Military Police Company is in keeping with the finest traditions of service to our nation, and reflects great credit upon itself, the Army National Guard, and the United States Army.





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CAMPAIGN PARTICIPATION CREDIT

NONE

DECORATIONS

None

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

  
VERNE L. BOWERS  
Major General, USA  
The Adjutant General

15 MAR 1975