



# DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

## CERTIFICATE OF APPRECIATION

AWARDED TO

**OPERATION FIRST RESPONSE**

***THIS CERTIFICATE IS PRESENTED IN HEARTFELT APPRECIATION OF YOUR DEDICATION, COMMITMENT, AND NOBLE SUPPORT TO THOSE WHO PROUDLY SERVE IN THE ARMED FORCES OF THE UNITED STATES DURING THE GLOBAL WAR ON TERRORISM. IN ADDITION, YOUR DIRECT SUPPORT OF THE WARRIOR TRANSITION BATTALION BENEFITS OUR WARRIORS IN TRANSITION, LIFTS THEIR MORALE AND PROFOUNDLY ENABLES US TO CONTINUE THE ARMY MISSION. THIS REFLECTS GREATLY UPON YOU AND YOUR GENEROSITY AS A COMPASSIONATE AMERICAN PATRIOT.***

8 AUGUST 2008

A handwritten signature in black ink, reading "Everett L. Sharpe".

EVERETT L. SHARPE  
LTC, FA  
Commanding