

Certificate of Commendation
COMMANDING OFFICER, 3D BATTALION, 2D MARINE REGIMENT

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CORPORAL NICHOLAS J. MINER UNITED STATES MARINE CORPS

OUTSTANDING ACHIEVEMENT IN THE SUPERIOR PERFORMANCE OF HIS DUTIES AS ASSAULT SECTION LEADER, WEAPONS PLATOON, COMPANY L, 3D BATTALION, 2D MARINE REGIMENT, 2D MARINE DIVISION, II MARINE EXPEDITIONARY FORCE FROM 1 OCTOBER 2013 TO 31 DECEMBER 2013. CORPORAL MINER'S SUPERIOR KNOWLEDGE, PROFESSIONALISM AND MOTIVATION WERE THE KEYS TO HIS BEING SELECTED AS 3D BATTALION, 2D MARINE MARINE REGIMENT'S NON-COMMISSIONED OFFICER OF THE QUARTER FOR THE 1ST QUARTER, FISCAL YEAR 2014. CORPORAL MINER'S PERSONAL EXAMPLE SET THE BENCHMARK FOR HIS PEERS TO STRIVE FOR IN ALL AREAS INCLUDING MILITARY KNOWLEDGE, PHYSICAL FITNESS, AND PERSONAL APPEARANCE. HIS TOTAL DEDICATION TO DUTY AND INSPIRING LEADERSHIP EXAMPLE CONTRIBUTED IMMEASURABLY TO HIS PLATOON'S READINESS AND THE OVERALL ACCOMPLISHMENTS OF THE BATTALION'S MISSION. HIS CAN-DO ATTITUDE AND ENTHUSIASM PROVIDED A POSITIVE ROLE MODEL FOR ALL MARINES TO EMULATE. CORPORAL MINER'S OUTSTANDING MOTIVATION AND DEDICATION TO DUTY REFLECTED CREDIT UPON HIM AND WERE IN KEEPING WITH THE HIGHEST TRADITIONS OF THE MARINE CORPS.

27 January 2014

Date

TIMOTHY R. POWLEDGE LIEUTENANT COLONEL, U.S. MARINE CORPS COMMANDING

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