



CSM MICHAEL D MCKAY II

COMMAND SERGEANT MAJOR



CSM Michael D. McKay II Command Sergeant Major Michael D. McKay II enlisted in the United States Army in August 1990 as an Infantryman and attended One Station Unit Training (OSUT) at Fort Benning, Ga.

CSM McKay assignments include 3rd Bn., 9th Infantry Regiment, Fort Ord, Ca., 3rd Bn. 327th Infantry, Fort Campbell Ky., 5th Bn., 87th Infantry, Fort Kobbe, Panama, 1st Bn, 327th Infantry, Fort Campbell, Ky., 4th Ranger Training Bn., Fort Benning, Ga., 6th Ranger Training Bn., Eglin AFB, FL., Ranger Career Advisor, Human Resources Command, Alexandria, Va., 1st Bn., 506th Infantry, Fort Campbell, Ky., and 3rd Bn., 196th Infantry BDE, Apra Harbor, Guam. CSM McKay was most recently assigned as the Task Force 3 CSM, Operations Group, Joint Readiness Training Center, Fort Polk, LA.

CSM McKay is a veteran of Operation Safe Passage/Safe Haven, Operation Iraqi Freedom, and Operation Enduring Freedom. His awards and decorations include the Bronze Star Service Medal, the Meritorious Service Medal (5), Army Commendation with "V" device, Army Commendation (2), Army Achievement Medal w/ two silver leaf cluster, Army Good Conduct Medal (9), National Defense Service Medal (2), Afghanistan Campaign Service Medal, Iraq Campaign Service Medal, Global War on Terror Service Medal, Humanitarian Service Medal, Noncommissioned Officer Development Ribbon (5), Army Service Medal, Overseas Service Ribbon (4), NATO Medal, Multinational Forces and Observer Medal, Joint Meritorious Unit Award, Valorous Unit Award (2), Meritorious Unit Citation (2), Combat Infantryman Badge, Expert Infantryman Badge, Senior Parachutist Badge, Air Assault Badge, Pathfinder Badge, and Ranger Tab.

CSM McKay's military and civilian education include Combat Lifesaver Course, Air Assault Course, Basic Leader Course, Ranger Course, Basic Airborne Course, Rappel Master Course, Fast Rope Master Course, Advanced Leader Course, Instructor Training Course, Tactics Certification Course, Jumpmaster Course, Pathfinder Course, Senior Leader Course, and a graduate of the United States Army Sergeants Major Academy (Class 63). He has earned his Bachelor Degree in Criminal Justice from Excelsior College.