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## **Verdict Announced at General Court-Martial in Hamdania Investigation**

**CAMP PENDLETON, Calif.** (Aug. 1, 2007) – The court-martial panel rendered the following verdict today in the case of Cpl. Marshall L. Magincalda for his involvement in the death of an Iraqi civilian on April 26, 2006, near Hamdania, Iraq.

Magincalda was found guilty of larceny, housebreaking and conspiracy to commit the following: murder, kidnapping, larceny, obstruction of justice, false official statement and housebreaking.

Magincalda was found not guilty of murder, kidnapping and making a false official statement.

Under the Uniform Code of Military Justice, two-thirds of the court-martial panel must vote guilty to render a guilty verdict.

The military judge for the proceeding was Lt. Col. Eugene Robinson.

Sentencing proceedings are scheduled to begin Thursday, Aug. 2 at 8 a.m.

More information on the charges, specifications and legal proceedings can be found at [www.usmc.mil/lapa/iraq-investigations.htm](http://www.usmc.mil/lapa/iraq-investigations.htm)

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