



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND**  
**200 STOVALL STREET**  
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PERMANENT ORDERS 124-06

4 May 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 19th Engineer Battalion  
(29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
Support Company, 19th Engineer Battalion (29 April 2009 to  
23 April 2010)  
15th Engineer Company (29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
60th Engineer Company (29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
76th Engineer Company (29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
72d Engineer Detachment (29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
502d Engineer Company (1 September 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
538th Engineer Detachment (29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
655th Engineer Detachment (1 July 2009 to 15 March 2010)  
269th Engineer Detachment (10 July 2009 to 23 April 2010)  
1227th Engineer Detachment (14 August 2009 to 23 April 2010)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 29 April 2009 to 23 April 2010, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 19th Engineer Battalion and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit demonstrated technical expertise and determined resourcefulness in providing engineering support throughout Regional Command South. The battalion overcame the engineering difficulties inherent in a combat environment and still completed the construction of over 50 significant projects in record time. Through its unrelenting perseverance, consummate knowledge of engineering concepts, and singular determination, the unit contributed immeasurably to the mission success of United States Forces-Afghanistan. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 19th Engineer Battalion's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit and the United States Army.

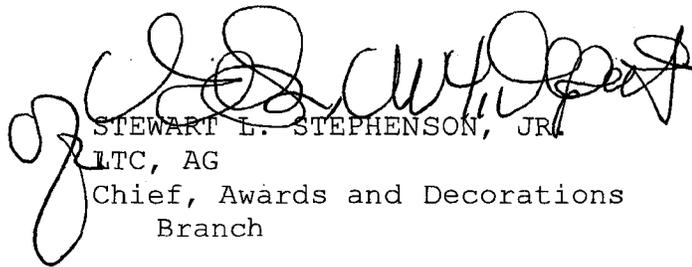
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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award.

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The award is still subject to final confirmation in Department of the Army General Orders. Official verification of a specific unit's entitlement to display the award in the form of an appropriate streamer on its flag or guidon rests with the U.S. Army Center of Military History (CMH), which is also responsible for determining official unit Lineage and Honors for MTOE organizations. CMH will use this permanent order to authorize the manufacture of an appropriate decoration streamer for any organization clearly entitled to display the award. The streamers will then be manufactured and sent to the U.S. Army Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:



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