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U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE
FORT KNOX, KY 40122

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PERMANENT ORDER 134-28

14 May 2013

1st Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment
Security Force Advise and Assist Team 18 (Provisional)
Security Force Advise and Assist Team 24 (Provisional)
Security Force Advise and Assist Team 29 (Provisional)
Company E, 701st Support Company

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 5 June 2012 to 15 February 2013

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 5 June 2012 to 15 February 2013, the 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment and the cited units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit's continuously displayed an unrivaled ability to develop and implement viable operations to counter insurgent activity and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty. The unit's adaptability and propensity to take the battle to the enemy allowed for the successful defeat of insurgent extremists during full spectrum combat operations. The unit's unparalleled professionalism, perseverance and steadfast determination provided an essential level of support and sustainment improving the security and freedom to the people of the Paktika Province. The actions of the 1st Battalion, 28th Infantry Regiment and the cited units are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the units, Combined Joint Task Force I, United States Forces-Afghanistan 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. 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. It is not the responsibility of HRC to replace streamers that are lost or damaged. Please refer to AR 840-10 for further guidance regarding the responsibilities of the unit concerning the display, care and disposition of the streamers.

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