



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE
FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 131-13

11 May 2011

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 425th Civil Affairs
Battalion
Detachment 6, 425th Civil Affairs Battalion
Company B, 401st Civil Affairs Battalion (10 October 2008 to
28 July 2009)
Company A, 403d Civil Affairs Battalion
Detachment 2, Company B, 403d Civil Affairs Battalion
(10 October 2008 to 29 July 2009)
Detachment 6, Company B, 445th Civil Affairs Battalion
(10 October 2008 to 15 August 2009)
Company D, 404th Civil Affairs Battalion
(10 October 2008 to 21 April 2009)

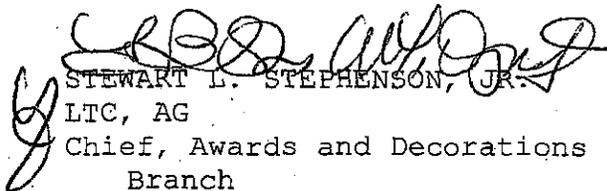
Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 10 October 2008 to 18 August 2009
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period
10 October 2008 to 18 August 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters
Company, 425th Civil Affairs Battalion and its subordinate units
displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of
Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit demonstrated the ability to
innovate and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty.
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 425th Civil Affairs
Battalion and its subordinate units greatly enhanced the combat
capabilities of the 4th Infantry Division and the 1st Cavalry
Division by providing essential civil military operational
support within the Multi-National Division-Baghdad operational
environment. The Soldiers successfully executed multiple and
complex civil affairs missions that were instrumental to the
accomplishment of all Coalition forces missions. The unwavering
dedication to duty and performance of the Soldiers of
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 425th Civil Affairs
Battalion and its subordinate units is in keeping with the
highest traditions of military service and reflects great credit
upon the unit, the 425th Civil Affairs Battalion 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.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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LTC, AG
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