



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

PERMANENT ORDERS 164-01

13 June 2011

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 643d Support Group

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 10 July 2010 to 1 June 2011

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 10 July 2010 to 1 June 2011, the Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 643d Support Group displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit provided support well above the norm while assigned to garrison command for Kandahar Airfield, Afghanistan. The successful sustainment and support operations conducted by the directorates of Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 643d Support Group are true testaments that symbolize the values and determination of the United States Army. The dedication and outstanding performance demonstrated by each Soldier within the unit is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the unit, the Joint-Sustainment Command-Afghanistan 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.

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Spearhead Division Avenue, Fort Knox, KY 40122, 13 June 2011

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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