



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

PERMANENT ORDER 214-01

2 August 2013

Headquarters, 3d Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division
628th Medical Detachment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 16 October 2011 to 15 July 2012

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 16 October 2011 to 15 July 2012, Headquarters, 3d Brigade Combat Team, 1st Armored Division and the cited unit conducted sustained combat and support operations across Logar, Wardak and Bamyan Provinces. Their expertise in bringing decision combat power to bear on the enemy set the conditions for victory and made a lasting contribution to the region's security and stability. The units' partnership with the Afghan government and the Afghan National Security Force set in motion sustainable progress that will benefit the Afghan people for generations. The brigade's relentless dedication to mission accomplishment on freedom's frontier extended beyond the call of duty. The actions of Headquarters, 3d Brigade Combat Team, 1st Cavalry Division and the cited unit reflect great credit upon the units, Regional Command-East 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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