



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
200 STOVALL STREET
ALEXANDRIA VA 22332-0470

PERMANENT ORDERS 120-10

30 April 2009

Headquarters, First Army

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award

Period of service: 15 July 2004 to 31 May 2008

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16

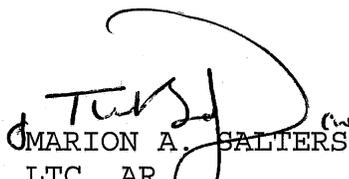
Reason: During the period 15 July 2004 to 31 May 2008, Headquarters, First Army displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of the Global War on Terrorism. The unit was responsible for planning and executing both pre and post-mobilization training of Army Reserve and Army National Guard Soldiers, Airmen, and Sailors. Its outstanding efforts resulted in the successful training and readiness of over 14,300 units and more than 260,000 Soldiers. In addition, the unit provided observer and controller trainer support to numerous successful exercises in support of the Army Reserve and National Guard. Further, the Operation Warrior Trainer Program provided critical assistance to the stretched resources of the training base and continues to provide experienced trainers for the unit's mission. The unit's significant contributions have left a profound impact on Operations Enduring Freedom, Iraqi Freedom, and Noble Eagle. Headquarters, First Army's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great 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. 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, and the completed streamers will be distributed by HRC.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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Chief, Military Awards Branch