



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND**  
**200 STOVALL STREET**  
**ALEXANDRIA VA 22332-0471**

PERMANENT ORDERS 267-40

24 September 2009

2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, Fort Hood, TX 76544

The following order is revoked or rescinded as shown.

Action: Revoke

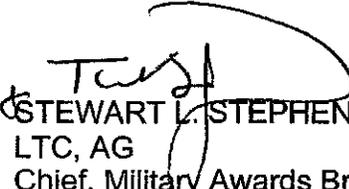
So much of: Permanent Orders 142-06, United States Army Human Resources Command, dated 22 May 2009

Pertaining to: Award of the Valorous Unit Award (VUA) to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment for the period 1 April 2007 to 31 July 2007

Authority: AR 600-8-105, paragraph 2-22.a

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

  
STEWART L. STEPHENSON, JR.  
LTC, AG  
Chief, Military Awards Branch



**DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**  
**U.S. ARMY CENTER OF MILITARY HISTORY**  
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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF

AAMH-FPO (600-8-22)

1 September 2009

MEMORANDUM FOR:

Commander, U.S. Army Tank-Automotive and Armaments Command,  
Clothing and Heraldry Product Support Integration Directorate, 700 Robbins Avenue,  
P.O. Box 57997, Philadelphia, PA 19111-7997

Chief, Military Awards Branch, U.S. Army Human Resources Command,  
ATTN: AHRC-PDP-A, 200 Stovall Street, Alexandria, VA 22332-0400

SUBJECT: Valorous Unit Award [2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment]

1. Reference U.S. Army Human Resources Command (HRC) Permanent Order 142-06, dated 22 May 2009 [received 31 July 2009].
2. Under the current system implemented for expediting the wartime unit awards process, the U.S. Army Center of Military History (CMH) has received information provided by the HRC regarding the unit(s) intended for recognition in this decoration for the period **1 April 2007 to 31 July 2007**. Based on HRC's authorizations, and whenever feasible, CMH is providing official designations for recognized unit(s); and, per its responsibilities under ARs 600-8-22 and 840-10, verifying entitlement to an appropriately inscribed decoration streamer as indicated below. Also indicated is the correct streamer size (if authorized), and authorization for a streamer to be issued with an earned-honor device (i.e., a laurel wreath) which applies only to certain combat arms units. In those cases where the unit designation provided by HRC cannot be verified as belonging to any unit currently listed on the official rolls of the Army (which are maintained by CMH under ARs 870-5 and 220-5), no further action will be taken by CMH and no streamer will be authorized at this time (see final paragraph). The same is true if official authorization for an organizational flag or guidon is unknown. If appropriate, the table below also indicates any unit entitled to a decoration streamer, but which is currently inactive and unavailable to receive a streamer.

PO Designation	Official Designation	Current Status	Streamer	Inscription
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment	Same	Active	Flag [w E-HD]	BAGHDAD APR – JUL 2007
Company A, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment [see note below]	Same	Active	n/a	n/a
Company B, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment	Same	Active	n/a	n/a
Company D, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment	Same	Active	n/a	n/a
Company E, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment	Same	Active	n/a	n/a

**NOTE:** This decoration overlaps the Valorous Unit Award the unit earned with the 4th Battalion, 31st Infantry Regiment for the period of service 25 November 2006 to 12 April 2007.

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3. **As indicated above**, TACOM should provide appropriately embroidered decoration streamer(s) to HRC's Military Awards Branch who will make distribution to each authorized unit. Streamer authorization is based solely upon unit recognition information provided by HRC. Therefore, issuance of a streamer at this time does not necessarily confer permanent unit entitlement. Final determination regarding entitlement to display the streamer remains with CMH who will determine each unit's lineage and honors (for MTOE organizations). Furthermore, because there have been significant problems with much of the source material (particularly period of service dates), this memorandum should not be used to officially confirm whether or not a unit participated in any particular action or deployment. Period of service dates have been provided by HRC, and CMH assumes that any recognized dates not reflecting "periods of service pre-dating the submission of the award nomination" or recognition duplicating other unit awards were approved as an exception to policy. Deployment and mobilization dates (correct or otherwise) which may conflict with regulatory guidance for this decoration will also be considered as an exception to policy. HRC, however, may later alter the recognized period of service dates to meet regulatory criteria. Any questions regarding this award, such as adding other units to the list above, should be addressed to HRC's Military Awards Branch [[HRC Awards@conus.army.mil](mailto:HRC Awards@conus.army.mil)].

4. This memo (or subsequent communication from this office) constitutes the only authorized verification of entitlement for this award's decoration streamers. Organizations with questions regarding issues specific to this memo may contact the POC for this action through [CMH-Awards@conus.army.mil](mailto:CMH-Awards@conus.army.mil).



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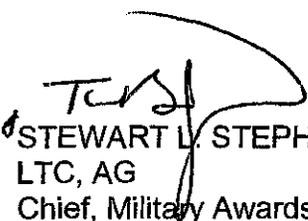
MEMORANDUM THRU Commander, 1st Cavalry Division, ATTN: G1 Human Resources Section, Bldg. 28000 Battalion Avenue, Room 1104, Fort Hood, TX 76544

FOR Commander, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment, Fort Hood, TX 76544-5200

SUBJECT: Valorous Unit Award (VUA) – PERMANENT ORDERS

1. The previously approved award of the VUA to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment for the period 1 April 2007 to 31 July 2007 has been amended.
2. U.S. Army Human Resources Command (HRC) permanent order 142-06 has been revoked due to a duplication of recognition. Company A, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment was previously recognized in the award of the VUA to Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 31st Infantry Regiment for the period of 25 November 2006 to 12 April 2007. The period of service for Company A, 2d Battalion, 5th Cavalry Regiment has subsequently been amended via HRC permanent order 267-41 to 13 April 2007 to 31 July 2007 to account for the overlapping service dates. The new orders are enclosed, as are the orders for Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 31st Infantry Regiment's VUA which show the duplication of service.
3. The permanent orders, citation, certificate(s), and streamer(s) authorized for the unit(s) included in this award are enclosed. Individual ribbons (emblems) should be procured through local supply channels. Permanent wear of the VUA for military personnel is governed by the provisions of AR 670-1.
4. The point of contact for this action is Mr. Andrew Paeffgen at [andrew.paeffgen@us.army.mil](mailto:andrew.paeffgen@us.army.mil).

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