



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

PERMANENT ORDERS 061-13

2 March 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 41st Fires Brigade
(10 June 2008 to 6 August 2009)
Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 2nd Battalion, 20th Field
Artillery Regiment (10 June 2008 to 6 August 2009)
Battery A, 2d Battalion, 20th Field Artillery Regiment
(10 June 2008 to 6 August 2009)
Battery B, 2d Battalion, 20th Field Artillery Regiment
(10 June 2008 to 6 August 2009)
Battery C, 2d Battalion, 20th Field Artillery Regiment
(10 June 2008 to 6 August 2009)
67th Support Company (10 June 2008 to 6 August 2009)
Battery C, 1st Battalion, 21st Field Artillery Regiment
(10 June 2008 to 18 July 2009)
Detachment, Headquarters, 1st Brigade Combat Team, 1st Infantry
Division (20 October 2008 to 6 August 2009)
Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 353d Civil
Affairs Command (10 June 2008 to 9 June 2009)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: As listed above
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period
10 June 2008 to 6 August 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters
Battery, 41st Fires Brigade and its subordinate units displayed
exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi
Freedom. The unit's ability to innovate and perform beyond the call
of duty contributed greatly to the success of its missions. The
unit greatly enhanced the combat capabilities of the 10th Mountain
Division and Multi-National Division-South by providing needed
combat power, security forces, training teams and combat support
within the Multi-National Division-South area of operations.
Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 41st Fires Brigade's
outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest
traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the
unit, Multi-National Division-South, 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.

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Stovall St., Alexandria, VA 22332, 2 March 2010

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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for STEWART L. STEPHENSON, JR.
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Chief, Awards and Decorations
Branch