



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

PERMANENT ORDERS 229-03

17 August 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 16th Engineer Brigade

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 16 October 2009 to 15 June 2010

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 16 October 2009 to 15 June 2010, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 16th Engineer Brigade displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit displayed unwavering dedication and professionalism in its mission of providing engineer support to the brigade combat teams and coordinating civil reconstruction efforts. The brigade's steadfast spirit and uncompromising will to achieve mission success greatly improved facilities and force protection for all United States Division-South and Multi-National Division-Baghdad personnel and strengthened the ability of the Iraqi Army field engineer regiments and federal police to conduct independent operations. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 16th Engineer Brigade's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct 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. The streamers will then be manufactured and sent to the U.S. Army

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Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units
concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

for *Stewart L. Stephenson, Jr.*
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