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U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
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PERMANENT ORDERS 014-12

14 January 2011

Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry
Regiment

Troop A, 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment (2 January 2008 to
31 July 2008)

Troop B, 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment

Troop C, 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment

Company B, 1st Battalion, 503d Infantry Regiment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 20 May 2007 to 31 July 2008

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious performance during the period of 20 May 2007 to 31 July 2008 while deployed in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment and its subordinate units conducted vital counterinsurgency operations in order to disrupt insurgent forces and created a stable environment in Nuristan and Konar Provinces. Their efforts directly contributed to the development and training of an effective security force and resulted in a more sustainable socioeconomic system. The dedication and outstanding performance of Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 91st Cavalry Regiment and its subordinate units in a combat zone is in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the unit, the 173d Airborne Brigade Combat Team, Combined Joint Task Force-101 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

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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:

for *Stewart L. Stephenson, Jr.*
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