



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE
FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 068-14

9 March 2011

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 3d
Aviation Regiment

Company B, 4th Battalion, 3d Aviation Regiment

Company D, 4th Battalion, 3d Aviation Regiment

Company E, 4th Battalion, 3d Aviation Regiment

Company C, 1st Battalion, 3d Aviation Regiment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 5 December 2009 to 15 November 2010

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 5 December 2009 to 15 November 2010, the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 3d Aviation Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service while serving as Task Force Brawler in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit provided multifunctional aviation task force combat support to Combined Joint Task Force-101, Combined Joint Task Force-82 and International Security Assistance Forces. Task Force Brawler brought the full spectrum of aviation operations to the ground force's commanders in order to gain and maintain the support of the population of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan and to achieve the overall successful accomplishment of the Combined Joint Task Force-101, Combined Joint Task Force-82 and International Security Assistance Forces missions. The extraordinary professionalism, outstanding expertise and exemplary dedication to duty displayed by Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 4th Battalion, 3d Aviation Regiment and its subordinate units 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.

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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:

for *AM Lawrence, Asst. Dir.*
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