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PERMANENT ORDER 134-12

14 May 2013

1st Battalion, 504th Infantry Regiment
Company E, 307th Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Valorous Unit Award

Period of service: 20 March 2012 to 15 September 2012

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

Reason: For extraordinary heroism in action against an armed enemy. During the period 20 March 2012 to 15 September 2012, the 1st Battalion, 504th Infantry Regiment and the cited unit displayed continuous valor in action against a lethal enemy in support of Operation Enduring Freedom in the Ghazni Province. The units demonstrated the ability to innovate and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty. Their ability to regain command and control of enemy strongholds through professionalism and decisive operation was a display of the finest war fighters in the United States Army. The dedication to duty and outstanding performance of the 1st Battalion, 504th Infantry Regiment and the cited unit are in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the units, the 82d Airborne Division 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 Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units concerned. It is not the responsibility of HRC to replace streamers that are lost or damaged. Please refer to AR 840-10 for further guidance regarding the responsibilities of the unit concerning the display, care and disposition of the streamers.

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