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PERMANENT ORDER 351-04

17 December 2013

Headquarters and Support Company, 5th Psychological Operations Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 1 March 2012 to 10 December 2012

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 1 March 2012 to 10 December 2012, the Headquarters and Support Company, 5th Psychological Operations Battalion displayed exceptionally meritorious performance during Operation Enduring Freedom. During this nine month period, the unit distinguished itself by providing bold, innovative and effective Military Information Support to the Military Information Support Task Force-Afghanistan. The actions of Headquarters and Support Company, 5th Psychological Operations Battalion reflects great credit upon itself, the Military Information Support Operations Command (Airborne), the United States Army Special Operations Command 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.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Stacy-Ann B. Simms", is positioned above the typed name.

STACY-ANN B. SIMMS

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