



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

PERMANENT ORDERS 180-09

29 June 2010

Headquarters, U.S. Army Military District of Washington

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award

Period of service: 1 January 2008 to 31 July 2009

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16

Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period of 1 January 2008 to 31 July 2009, Headquarters, U.S. Army Military District of Washington displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of security efforts in and around the National Capital Region. The unit's performance during events of national and international significance, including preparation for the Pope Benedict XVI's visit and the inauguration of President Barrack Obama, contributed to the successful staging and completion of these and other high level events within the nation's capital. The outstanding performance of duty exhibited by Headquarters, U.S. Army Military District of Washington is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the Department of Defense, 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:

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