



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

PERMANENT ORDER 218-08

6 August 2013

Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 3d Squadron, 89th Cavalry Regiment (less Detachment (for the period 25 July 2011 to 31 July 2011)  
Troop A, 3d Squadron, 89th Cavalry Regiment  
Troop B, 3d Squadron, 89th Cavalry Regiment (less the period 20 July 2011 to 31 July 2011)  
Troop C, 3d Squadron, 89th Cavalry Regiment (less the period 20 July 2011 to 31 July 2011)  
Company D, 94th Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 10 November 2010 to 20 October 2011

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 10 November 2010 to 20 October 2011, Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 3d Squadron, 89th Cavalry Regiment and the cited units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The units demonstrated the ability to innovate and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty. Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 3d Squadron, 89th Cavalry Regiment and the cited units' ability to successfully conduct population centric combined action counter-insurgency led to a stronger Afghan National Security Forces capacity and enhanced the control and effectiveness of provincial governments. These actions helped to expand local community capacity and create a stable environment for transition of their area of operations to the government of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan. The dedication and outstanding performance of Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 3d Squadron, 89th Cavalry Regiment and the cited units reflect great credit upon the 4th Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division, Combined Joint Task Force-1st Cavalry Division, United States Forces-Afghanistan 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

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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:



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