

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND 200 STOVALL STREET ALEXANDRIA VA 22332-0470

PERMANENT ORDERS 149-10

29 May 2009

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 10th Mountain Division (10 May 2008 to 20 May 2009)

Company A, Special Troops Battalion, 10th Mountain Division (10 May 2008 to 20 May 2009)

Headquarters, 10th Mountain Division (10 May 2008 to 20 May 2009)

Tactical Command Posts, 10th Mountain Division (10 May 2008 to 20 May 2009)

10th Mountain Division Band (10 May 2008 to 20 May 2009)

Battery D, 2d Battalion, 44th Air Defense Artillery Regiment (10 May 2008 to 3 April 2009)

Detachment, Company B, 13th Psychological Operations Battalion (11 July 2008 to 14 April 2009)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation Period of service: As listed above Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 10 May 2008 to 20 May 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 10th Mountain Division and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. The unit demonstrated the ability to innovate and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty. Further, the unit's ability to provide the warfighter with command and control capabilities, wherever and whenever needed, represents an outstanding effort. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Special Troops Battalion, 10th Mountain Division's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 10th Mountain 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, and the completed streamers will be distributed by the Human Resources Command.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

MARION A. SALTERS (~

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Chief, Military Awards Branch