

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND 1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 113-24

23 April 2013

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 716th Military Police Battalion 110th Military Police Company (21 March 2012 to 2 September 2012) 381st Military Police Company, (2 March 2012 to 22 November 2012) 549th Military Police Company (12 January 2012 to 1 December 2012)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 12 January 2012 to 1 December 2012 Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 12 January 2012 to 1 December 2012, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 716th Military Police Battalion and the cited units displayed exceptionally meritorious service while deployed in a combat zone to Regional Command-East Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The outstanding devotion and superior performance of the units while executing exceptionally difficult tasks contributed immeasurably to the success of Regional Command-East and the mission of building an independent and self-sufficient Afghanistan. Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 716th Military Police Battalion and the cited units' dedication and commitment to excellence is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon themselves, Combined Joint Task Force One, 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 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. PERMANENT ORDERS 113-24, U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 1600 Spearhead Division Ave., Fort Knox, KY 40122, 23 April 2013

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

ELISA M. ROBINSON CW4, AG Deputy Chief, Awards and Decorations Branch