



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

PERMANENT ORDER 245-07

2 September 2014

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 32d Infantry Regiment  
Company B, 1st Battalion, 32d Infantry Regiment  
Detachment, Company C, 1st Battalion, 32d Infantry Regiment  
Detachment, Company E, 710th Support Battalion  
Detachment, 1st Battalion, 32d Infantry Regiment [Security Force Assistance Advisory  
Team, Team 3 (Afghan National Army) (Provisional)]

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 30 October 2013 to 14 July 2014

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 30 October 2013 to 14 July 2014, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 32d Infantry Regiment and the cited units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom XIV-XV. The units distinguished themselves by conducting Security Force Assistance Operations throughout Wardak Province in support of the Government of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan. This enabled them to provide governance and security in Wardak Province, Afghanistan. The Area of Operations Support Command routinely provided maximum enabler support to the Afghan National Security Forces bolstering their confidence and ensuring their success. The units optimization of relationships and synchronization with Special Operations Forces significantly disrupted insurgent networks. Their efforts ensured the execution of secure and acceptable national elections. The outstanding performance and commitment to duty of the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 32d Infantry Regiment and the cited units are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon themselves, the 3d Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry) 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.

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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:



STACY-ANN B. SIMMS

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Deputy Chief, Awards and Decorations  
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