

## **DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY**

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

## PERMANENT ORDER 309-04

5 November 2014

Detachment 26, Virginia Army National Guard Operational Support Airlift Command Forward, Company A, Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, 38th Infantry Division Forward, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 56th Brigade Combat Team, 28th Infantry Division

Forward 4, 810th Engineer Company

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 29 November 2013 to 31 July 2014

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 29 November 2013 to 31 July 2014, Detachment 26, Virginia Army National Guard Operational Support Airlift Command and the cited units displayed extraordinary service and performance of duty in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The selfless service, determination and technical expertise of Task Force Ceasar Soldiers ensured mission accomplishment, disrupted enemy freedom of maneuver and destroyed logistical lines of communication for enemy forces throughout Regional Command South. The professionalism, bravery and mission first attitude by Detachment 26, Virginia Army National Guard Operational Support Airlift Command and the cited units greatly contributed to the success of the Ground Forces Commander's objectives throughout Regional Command-South and reflect great credit upon Task Force Ceasar, Task Force Raptor, Regional Command-South and the United States Army.

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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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