PERMANENT ORDERS 342-09

8 December 2009

U.S. Army Garrison, Grafenwoehr

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 1 December 2007 to 31 December 2008
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period 1 December 2007 to 31 December 2008, U.S. Army Garrison, Grafenwoehr displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of the Global War on Terrorism and the Army's restationing and transition initiatives. The unit was responsible for the restationing, deployment, and reintegration of more than 11,000 Soldiers while simultaneously providing family support to more than 22,000 family members. The garrison also provided support to all tenant units, the civilian population, and it provided training support to more than 13,000 short-term residents and trainees. The outstanding performance exhibited by U.S. Army Garrison, Grafenwoehr is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the U.S. Army Installation Management Command, 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.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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Chief, Military Awards Branch