PERMANENT ORDERS 068-13

9 March 2010

United States Army Garrison, Fort Bliss
Retention Support Bliss, FORSCOM Unit Support
Joint Airspace Command and Control, U.S. Army Element Joint Test Activities
62d Army Band
U.S. Army Combined Arms Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period of 1 July 2008 to 30 June 2009, United States Army Garrison, Fort Bliss and its subordinate units displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of Base Realignment and Closure initiatives. The unit continued to set the standard for base management operations while concurrently facing with the rapid expansion of Fort Bliss. The garrison's accomplishments demonstrated immense pride in its mission, dedicated teamwork, and an extraordinary commitment to ensuring that Soldiers and their families were provided with the best service and support possible. The outstanding performance exhibited by United States Army Garrison, Fort Bliss is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit 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
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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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