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Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Signal Brigade
39th Signal Battalion
43d Signal Battalion
Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 44th Signal Battalion
Company A, 44th Signal Battalion
Company B, 44th Signal Battalion (1 March 2009 to 3 April 2010)
Company C, 44th Signal Battalion
52d Signal Battalion
69th Signal Battalion
72d Signal Battalion (1 March 2009 to 16 August 2009)
102d Signal Battalion
509th Signal Battalion
5th Signal Center
128th Signal Company
161st Signal Company
587th Signal Company
11th Signal Detachment
6981st Civilian Support Center

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 1 March 2009 to 15 May 2010
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: For outstanding meritorious service. During the period of 1 March 2009 to 15 May 2010, the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Signal Brigade and its subordinate units displayed outstanding meritorious service in support of U.S. European Command, U.S. Army Europe, 9th Signal Command, 5th Signal Command and ongoing operations throughout the region. The Brigade demonstrated a vigilant dedication to service and went beyond the call of duty to ensure mission success for all generating and operating units depending on them for support. The Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Signal Brigade and its subordinate unit’s ability to provide Army, Joint and Coalition Warfighters with command and control capability wherever and whenever needed to enable decisive victory represents the very best of the United States Army and is 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 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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