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Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 16th Military Police Brigade
1140th Military Police Company (28 July 2009 to 14 April 2010)
670th Military Police Company (28 July 2009 to 26 May 2010)
447th Military Police Company
415th Military Police Detachment
491st Military Police Company (28 July 2009 to 1 February 2010)
814th Military Police Company (12 January 2010 to 28 July 2010)
Task Force Trident IIIA (28 July 2009 to 3 February 2010)
Task Force Trident IIIB (17 August 2009 to 10 April 2010)
Task Force Neptune IVA (1 January 2010 to 28 July 2010)
955th Security Forces Squadron (28 July 2009 to 20 May 2010)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 28 July 2009 to 28 July 2010
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 28 July 2009 to 28 July 2010, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 16th Military Police Brigade and its subordinate units assigned as Task Force Protector displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. Task Force Protector managed detention operations at the Bagram theater internment facility, and later at the detention facility in Parwan, ensuring the proper custody, control and care of all detainees entrusted to its care. The unit’s ability to neutralize threats inside the wire band to rehabilitate former insurgents, as well as provide professional combat policing is a testament to its skill and professionalism and represents a decisive victory in the Global War on Terror. The dedication and outstanding performance of Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 16th Military Police Brigade and its subordinate units is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the unit, Joint Task Force-435, United States Forces-Afghanistan, United States Central 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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