PERMANENT ORDERS 195-42

469th Support Battalion
Detachment, 824th Quartermaster Company
Detachment, 261st Ordnance Company (23 March 2010 to 29 October 2010)
Detachment, 452d Ordnance Company (23 March 2010 to 29 October 2010)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 23 March 2010 to 31 January 2011
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 23 March 2010 to 31 January 2011, the 469th Support Battalion and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom and Operation New Dawn. The unit demonstrated the ability to innovate and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty in order to facilitate the drawdown of U.S. Forces. Its ability to provide a full spectrum of logistical operations wherever and whenever needed to enable decisive victory represents an outstanding effort. The dedication and outstanding performance of the 469th Support Battalion and its subordinate units is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon itself, the 1st Sustainment Brigade, the 1st Sustainment Command (Theater) 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
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Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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