PERMANENT ORDERS 228-04

16 August 2011

Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 46th Military Police Command
193d Military Police Battalion (7 July 2010 to 10 January 2011)
414th Military Police Company (7 July 2010 to 24 February 2011)
690th Military Police Company (7 July 2010 to 30 April 2011)
439th Military Police Detachment (27 July 2010 to 30 April 2011)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 7 July 2010 to 30 April 2011
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 7 July 2010 to 30 April 2011, Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 46th Military Police Command and its subordinate units assigned to Task Force Peacekeeper displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. Task Force Peacekeeper provided command and control over detention operations in Afghanistan, ensuring that proper custody, care and control was always conducted in accordance with international law and humane standards. Additionally, the Task Force trained Afghan National Army Soldiers in detention operations in preparation of eventual transition to the government of Afghanistan. The dedication, professionalism and outstanding performance of Detachment, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 46th Military Police Command and its subordinate units is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon the unit, 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:

[Signature]

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