PERMANENT ORDERS 238-18

26 August 2011

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Special Forces Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
Company A, 2d Special Forces Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
Company B, 2d Special Forces Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
Company C, 2d Special Forces Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
Company D, 2d Special Forces Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
TU-Trident Seal Team ONE
TU-Trident Seal Team SEVEN

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 1 August 2009 to 1 February 2010
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 1 August 2009 to 1 February 2010, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Special Forces Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit planned and executed sustained combat operations against a determined enemy insurgent force, ultimately denying sanctuary to the anti-Coalition militia and leading to the destruction of anti-Coalition militants and expulsion of terrorist organizations. The actions of the unit led directly to the stability and legitimacy of the government of Afghanistan. During these sustained combat operations the unit executed combat, support and humanitarian assistance missions; supervised the infiltration and combat operations of three Special Forces companies; and set the conditions for victory against a hidden enemy throughout Afghanistan. By its exemplary performance of duty, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 2d Special Forces Battalion, 7th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment and its subordinate units have brought great credit upon the unit, Combined Joint Special Operations Task Force-Afghanistan, Special Operations 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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Chief, Awards and Decorations Branch