Agricultural Development Team (Provisional), Kansas Army National Guard

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 4 January 2011 to 11 September 2011
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 4 January 2011 to 11 September 2011, the Agricultural Development Team (Provisional), Kansas Army National Guard displayed outstanding performance in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit demonstrated the ability to provide innovative techniques and methods providing support to the Government of Afghanistan and increasing the methods of agribusiness development. The dedication and performance of the Agricultural Development Team (Provisional), Kansas Army National Guard are in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the unit, Task Force Thunderbird, Combined Joint Task Force I-Afghanistan 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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