Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, 10th Mountain Division  
10th Mountain Division Band  
Battery H, 26th Field Artillery Regiment (2 November 2010 to 18 June 2011)  
16th Public Affairs Detachment (2 November 2010 to 1 August 2011)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation  
Period of service: 2 November 2010 to 1 October 2011  
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15  
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 2 November 2010 to 1 October 2011, Headquarters and Support Company, Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, 10th Mountain Division and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious performance as Combined Joint Task Force-10, International Security Assistance Force, in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit demonstrated the ability to innovate and accomplish the mission beyond the call of duty. Further, the unit’s ability to provide the Warfighter with command and control capabilities, wherever and whenever it was needed, represents an outstanding effort. The outstanding performance of duty of Headquarters and Support Company, Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, 10th Mountain Division and its subordinate units is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, the 10th Mountain Division and the United States Army.

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.
PERMANENT ORDERS 361-19, U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 1600 Spearhead Division Avenue, Fort Knox, KY 40122, 27 December 2011

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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