PERMANENT ORDER 150-03

15th Engineer Battalion
500th Engineer Company
902d Engineer Company
534th Engineer Detachment
292d Engineer Detachment (23 October 2010 to 7 August 2011)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 23 October 2010 to 20 October 2011
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 23 October 2010 to
20 October 2011, the 15th Engineer Battalion and its subordinate units displayed
exceptionally meritorious performance while executing sustained construction
operations that included base camp development, force protection improvement, facility
and supply route repair, and partnership projects with host nations in support of
Operation New Dawn and Operation Enduring Freedom. The unwavering commitment
of the unit increased the safety, security and strategic development of Kuwait,
Afghanistan and other partner countries in theater. The dedication to duty and steadfast
commitment to excellence of the 15th Engineer Battalion and its subordinate units are in
keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit on the unit,
the 18th Engineer Brigade, the Area Support Group-Kuwait 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. It is not the
responsibility of HRC to replace streamers that are lost or damaged. Please refer to
AR 840-10 for further guidance regarding the responsibilities of the unit concerning the
display, care and disposition of the streamers.
PERMANENT ORDER 150-03, U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 1600 Spearhead Division Avenue, Fort Knox, KY 40122, 29 May 2012

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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