PERMANENT ORDER 157-07

5 June 2012

151st Transportation Detachment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 4 June 2011 to 31 May 2012
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 4 June 2011 to 31 May 2012, the 151st Transportation Detachment displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit established and increased in-transit visibility; processed more than 20,000 host nation and National Afghan Trucks; operated entry control points on Camp Mike Spann, Forward Operating Base Dehdadi I and Forward Operating Base Dehdadi II; and moved more than 7,000 passengers via rotary aircraft. The 151st Transportation Detachment established movement control operations and created in-transit visibility at Combat Outpost Arian in support of Operation Devil's Hammer. The unit saved the United States government more than $500,000 by re-missioning transportation movement requests to avoid host nation and National Afghan Truck cancellations. The actions of the 151st Transportation Detachment are in keeping with the highest military traditions and reflect great credit on the unit, the 257th Joint Movement Control Battalion, the Joint Sustainment Command-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. 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.
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BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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