PERMANENT ORDER 134-27

14 May 2013

Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 720th Military Police Battalion
54th Military Police Company (18 December 2011 to 27 November 2012)
133d Military Police Company
527th Military Police Company (18 December 2011 to 27 November 2012)
978th Military Police Company
514th Military Police Company

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 7 December 2011 to 27 November 2012
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 7 December 2011 to
27 November 2012, Headquarters and Headquarters Detachment, 720th Military Police
Battalion and the cited units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of
Operation Enduring Freedom. The units' superior performance of all duties and its
commitment to creating a professional and competent Afghan Police Force contributed
immeasurably to the success of Combined Joint Task Force 1st Infantry Division. The
units' ability to advise and mentor the Afghan Police Force through daily interaction and
combined operations throughout Regional Command-East was vital to building a more
capable Afghan Police Force. The performance, duty and sacrifice of the Headquarters
and Headquarters Detachment, 720th Military Police Battalion and the cited units are in
keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the
units, the Combined Joint Task Force 1st Infantry Division 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.
PERMANENT ORDER 134-27, U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 1600 Spearhead Division Avenue, Fort Knox, KY 40122, 14 May 2013

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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