PERMANENT ORDER 141-10

21 May 2013

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Special Forces Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
Company A, 1st Special Forces Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
Company B, 1st Special Forces Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment (1 April 2012 to 1 November 2012)
Company C, 1st Special Forces Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment
Support Company, 1st Special Forces Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 1 April 2012 to 15 January 2013
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 1 April 2012 to 15 January 2013, the 1st Special Forces Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment and the cited units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit demonstrated the ability to innovate solutions to developing Afghan rule of law institutions and to operate as a combined unit with various NATO partners. The ability of the units to simultaneously operate as a maneuver task force and a mentor to both Afghan and European partners represents an outstanding effort. The unit’s commitment to mission accomplishment greatly enhanced the security and development of the population of Afghanistan and the capabilities of the security forces and governmental agencies in Regional Command-East, Afghanistan. The actions of the 1st Special Forces Battalion, 10th Special Forces Group, 1st Special Forces Regiment and the cited units are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the units, 10th Special Forces Group, the 1st Special Forces Regiment 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.
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.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

[Signature]

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