Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Sustainment Command Expeditionary

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 18 April 2012 to 15 January 2013
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 18 April 2012 to 15 January 2013, the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Sustainment Command Expeditionary, while performing in the capacity of Joint Sustainment Command-Afghanistan, distinguished itself by exceptionally meritorious achievement in support of Operation Enduring Freedom 12-13. The unit was responsible for planning, coordinating, executing and providing responsive and quality subsistence, bulk fuel, transportation, maintenance, humanitarian assistance, multi-class supplies, postal, financial management, aerial delivery, mortuary affairs, ammunitions, customs and retrograde support to United States military, coalition and civilian personnel throughout all of Afghanistan. The unit demonstrated the innovative ability to accomplish the mission under extremely demanding conditions, compressed timelines, and geographical challenges. The exemplary performance of Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Sustainment Command Expeditionary greatly contributed to the operational success of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit’s accomplishments are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon the unit, the Joint Sustainment Command-Afghanistan, United States Forces-Afghanistan, 1st Sustainment Command (Theater), United States Central Command 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.
PERMANENT ORDERS, 305-05 U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 1800 Spearhead Division Ave., Fort Knox, KY 40122, 1 November 2013

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:

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