PERMANENT ORDER 324-10

Detachment 4, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Medical Command

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 12 October 2012 to 8 July 2013
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 12 October 2012 to 8 July 2013, the Detachment 4, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Medical Command provided excellence in the theater's Medical Mission Command by delivering world class force health protection services through superior management and oversight of multiple medical units and facilities in six geographic locations in four countries. This included a world class Level III hospital, eight medical, dental, behavioral health and veterinary clinics as well as fielding teams of preventive medicine and veterinary professionals to conduct food and water inspections as well as force health protection assessments across the entire United States Army Central Area of Responsibility. The unit's outstanding accomplishments were also recognized for military medical partnership engagements with counterparts from Kuwait, Saudi Arabia, Yemen, Kazakhstan and Uzbekistan. The unit sponsored and organized ground-breaking medical symposiums with Qatari and Jordanian military medical leaders. The Detachment 4, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 3d Medical Command accomplishments and exemplary excellence bring great credit upon themselves, the United States Army 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. 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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