PERMANENT ORDER 028-07

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment
Company A, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment
Company B, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment
Company C, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment
Company D, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment
Detachment, Company E, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 10 July 2013 to 26 January 2014
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 10 July 2013 to 26 January 2014, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment and the cited units displayed outstanding services in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The units served meritoriously from multiple dispersed locations across several regional commands throughout Afghanistan. The units provided full spectrum aviation operations for multiple Regional Commands and were responsible for nine provinces spanning 45,037 square miles. The actions of the units proved to be combat multipliers throughout Afghanistan’s battlespace. The Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Battalion, 135th Aviation Regiment and the cited units’ performance of duty is in keeping with the finest of traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon themselves, Combined Task Force-101 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 ORDERS, 028-07 U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 1600 Spearhead Division Ave., Fort Knox, KY 40122, 28 January 2014

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

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