Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division
Detachment, 277th Aviation Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation
Period of service: 3 April 2013 to 19 January 2014
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15
Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 3 April 2013 to 19 January 2014, the Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division and the cited unit distinguished themselves through exceptional and meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom XIV. The unit conducted mission command of all army rotary wing aviation assets in support of the United States and International Security Assistance Forces in Regional Command-East and Regional Command-North. The unit provided administrative and logistical support for numerous missions and maintained mission command of six subordinate battalion sized units through the course of the deployment. The extraordinary achievements and courage displayed by the members of Headquarters and Headquarters Company, Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division and the cited unit are in keeping with the highest traditions of military service and reflect distinct credit upon themselves, the Combat Aviation Brigade, 10th Mountain Division (Light Infantry), Combined Joint Task Force-101, Regional Command-East 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, 028-08 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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