PERMANENT ORDER 205-12

24 July 2014

Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 3d Battalion, 2d Air Defense Artillery Regiment
Battery B, 3d Battalion, 2d Air Defense Artillery Regiment
Battery C, 3d Battalion, 2d Air Defense Artillery Regiment

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award
Period of service: 4 January 2013 to 4 January 2014
Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16
Reason: During the period 4 January 2013 to 4 January 2014, the Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 3d Battalion, 2d Air Defense Artillery Regiment and the cited units displayed meritorious performance while in support of Active Fence. The units demonstrated the ability to innovate and establish command and control in an austere environment while working with North Atlantic Treaty Organization allies. They were able to deter and if necessary defeat Syrian ballistic missile attacks, defending Gaziantep, Turkey with a population of 1.5 million. While performing this mission they simultaneously enhanced relationships between critical North Atlantic Treaty Organization allies through the development of new Tactics, Techniques and Procedures and sharing lessons learned with their allied partner units. Headquarters and Headquarters Battery, 3d Battalion, 2d Air Defense Artillery Regiment and the cited units’ performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon themselves, the 10th Air and Missile Defense 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.
PERMANENT ORDERS, 205-12 U.S. Army Human Resources Command, 1600 Spearhead Division Ave., Fort Knox, KY 40122, 24 July 2014

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