



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE
FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 098-05

8 April 2011

Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 71st Cavalry
Regiment

Troop A, 1st Squadron, 71st Cavalry Regiment

Troop B, 1st Squadron, 71st Cavalry Regiment

Troop C, 1st Squadron, 71st Cavalry Regiment

Company D, 10th Support Battalion

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 1 April 2010 to 1 March 2011

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 1 April 2010 to 1 March 2011, the Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 71st Cavalry Regiment and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service during combat operations in Kandahar, Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit's professionalism and dedication to the mission went above the call of duty and contributed greatly to the success of Task Force Kandahar. The Headquarters and Headquarters Troop, 1st Squadron, 71st Cavalry Regiment and its subordinate units' actions are in keeping with the finest military traditions and reflect great credit upon the Soldiers, the 1st Brigade Combat Team, 10th Mountain Division and the United States Army.

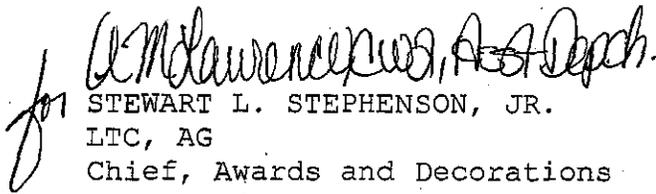
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Additional Instructions: This order serves as official notification that a unit award has been approved for the organization(s) listed above and will serve as authority for eligible Soldiers to update their records and wear the award. The award is 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

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Human Resources Command for automatic distribution to the units
concerned.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:


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