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

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PERMANENT ORDER 262-10

19 September 2013

573d Engineer Detachment
919th Engineer Company
232d Engineer Company (30 January 2013 to 15 July 2013)
321st Engineer Company (24 December 2012 to 15 July 2013)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 6 November 2012 to 15 July 2013

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 6 November 2012 to 15 July 2013, the 573d Engineer Detachment and cited units provided superb combat and general engineering support to the United States and Coalition Forces of Combined Team North. The extensive route clearance operations conducted and the numerous construction and deconstruction projects completed contributed immeasurably to the overall security situation and International Security Assistance Force mission in Regional Command-North. By partnering with the Afghan National Army engineers, the units substantially increased the capacity of the Afghan National Army and greatly facilitated their ability to operate independently. The 573d Engineer Detachment and cited units' dedication to duty, achievements and outstanding contributions are in keeping with the highest traditions of exceptional military service and reflect great credit upon themselves, the Engineer Regiment 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.

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