

DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND

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PERMANENT ORDERS 025-01

25 January 2010

Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Maneuver Enhancement Brigade (12 June 2008 to 1 September 2009) 337th Signal Company (28 September 2008 to 1 September 2009)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation Period of service: As listed above Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 12 June 2008 to 1 September 2009, Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Maneuver Enhancement Brigade and its subordinate unit displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The unit provided full-spectrum combat operations support throughout Bamyan, Parwan, Panjshir, and Kapisa Provinces, in addition to building instrumental partnership with four governors, four provincial councils, an Afghan national army brigade, and four Afghan national police headquarters. The unit also provided management and dispensation of over \$225 million in Commander's Emergency Response Program funding, coordination in over forty-eight named missions, and oversight of base operations for five forward operating bases. Headquarters and Headquarters Company, 1st Maneuver Enhancement Brigade's outstanding performance of duty is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects distinct credit upon the unit, Combined Joint Task Force-101, Combined Joint Task Force-82, United States Forces-Afghanistan, 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

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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.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

STEWART L. STEPMENSON, JR.

LTC, AG

Chief, Military Awards Branch