



DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY
U.S. ARMY HUMAN RESOURCES COMMAND
1600 SPEARHEAD DIVISION AVENUE, DEPARTMENT 480
FORT KNOX, KY 40122-5408

PERMANENT ORDERS 194-13

12 July 2012

43d Sustainment Brigade

126th Finance Company (less Detachment for the period 12 March 2010 to 16 January 2011) (12 March 2010 to 21 January 2011)

Detachment, 623d Quartermaster Company (29 May 2010 to 10 March 2011)

Detachment, 328th Personnel Company (3 August 2010 to 10 March 2011)

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Meritorious Unit Commendation

Period of service: 12 March 2010 to 10 March 2011

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

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 12 March 2010 to 10 March 2011, the 43d Sustainment Brigade and its subordinate units displayed exceptionally meritorious service in support of Operation Enduring Freedom. The 43d Sustainment Brigade and its subordinate units identified major gaps that existed between national and tactical processes for readiness and materiel management; maximized effective throughput of troops, supplies and material through intra-theater hubs by establishing a comprehensive Kandahar throughput plan; and building enduring sustainment solutions for the Combined Joint Operations-Afghanistan by publishing the first logistics campaign plan in southern Afghanistan. The unit's commitment to increase the logistics proficiency of Afghan National Security Forces set the conditions for the eventual withdraw of Coalition Forces from Afghanistan. The unit's mission execution and commitment to excellence set a new standard for sustainment operations in Afghanistan for Regional Commands South, Southwest and West. The 43d Sustainment Brigade and its subordinate units' actions are in keeping with the highest military traditions and reflect great credit upon its Soldiers, the 43d Sustainment Brigade, the Joint Sustainment Command-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 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.

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Spearhead Division Avenue, Fort Knox, KY 40122, 12 July 2012

Please refer to AR 840-10 for further guidance regarding the responsibilities of the unit
concerning the display, care and disposition of the streamers.

BY ORDER OF THE SECRETARY OF THE ARMY:

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read "Elisa M. Robinson", with a long horizontal flourish extending to the right.

ELISA M. ROBINSON
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Deputy Chief, Awards and Decorations
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