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## INDIVIDUAL AND UNIT AWARDS

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**I—DISTINGUISHED SERVICE CROSS.** By direction of the President, under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved 25 July 1963, the Distinguished Service Cross for extraordinary heroism in action is awarded to:

**Chief Warrant Officer Five David F. Cooper, Jr.,** B Company, 1st Battalion, 160th Aviation Regiment, on 27 November 2006, while serving as an AH-6 Flight Lead Pilot operating against an enemy force in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom. Without regard for his own personal safety, CW5 Cooper continued to provide effective fires for the ground force despite the presence of intense enemy fire. CW5 Cooper's actions destroyed several enemy positions and enabled the ground forces to hold defensive terrain. Without CW5 Cooper's courage and gallantry under fire, the ground forces would have sustained significant casualties. CW5 Cooper directly contributed to the successful execution of this classified direct action mission. CW5 Cooper's heroism reflects great credit upon himself, his unit, and the United States Army. This order supersedes the United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Orders 117-01.

**Specialist Christopher H. Corriveau,** C Company, 2d Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, on 26 August 2007, distinguished himself as part of a four-man sniper team in combat operations during Operation Iraqi Freedom. Specialist Corriveau's exceptional courage and tactical prowess under intense enemy fire and close combat contributed to the defeat of a concerted enemy effort to overrun his sniper position. Surrounded and attacked by an enemy force ten times superior to that of his own, Specialist Corriveau and his fellow paratroopers valiantly repelled the enemy attack with withering small arms fire and grenades. His four-man sniper team courageously fought off an overwhelming enemy force for control of the rooftop for over ten minutes in close combat, killing or wounding at least ten enemies in the process. Specialist Corriveau's bravery is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon himself, the 82d Airborne Division, and the United States Army. This order supersedes the United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Orders 136-56.

**Specialist Eric A. Moser,** C Company, 2d Battalion, 505th Parachute Infantry Regiment, on 26 August 2007, distinguished himself as a Designated Marksman in combat operations during Operation Iraqi Freedom. Specialist Moser's exceptional courage and tactical prowess under intense enemy fire and close combat contributed to the defeat of a concerted enemy effort to overrun his sniper position. Surrounded and attacked by an enemy force ten times superior to that of his own, Specialist Moser and his fellow paratroopers valiantly repelled the enemy attack with withering small arms fire and grenades. His four-man sniper team courageously fought off

an overwhelming enemy force for control of the rooftop for over ten minutes in close combat, killing or wounding at least ten enemies in the process. Specialist Moser's bravery is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon himself, the 82d Airborne Division, and the United States Army. This order supersedes the United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Orders 136-57.

**Sergeant First Class Brendan W. O'Connor**, Special Forces Operational Detachment Alpha 765, on 24 June 2006, distinguished himself as a Senior Medical Sergeant in Panjawai District, Kandahar Province, Afghanistan, during Operation Enduring Freedom. While conducting Operation Kaika, Sergeant First Class O'Connor led a quick reaction force to reinforce a surrounded patrol and rescued two wounded comrades. He maneuvered his force through Taliban positions and crawled alone and unprotected under enemy machine gun fire to reach the wounded Soldiers. He provided medical care while exposed to heavy volumes of fire and then carried one of the wounded Soldiers 150 meters across open ground to an area of temporary cover. Sergeant First Class O'Connor then climbed over a wall three times, in plain view of the enemy, to help the Soldiers seek cover while bullets pounded the structure around them. Sergeant First Class O'Connor assumed duties as the Detachment Operations Sergeant and led the consolidation of three friendly elements, each surrounded, isolated, and receiving fire from all directions. Sergeant First Class O'Connor's distinctive accomplishments and dedication to his comrades are in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflect great credit upon himself, the Special Operations Command Central, and the United States Army. This order supersedes the United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Orders 338-23.

**Sergeant Charles E. Wyckoff**, 3d Platoon, C Company, 1st Battalion, 508th Parachute Infantry, on 6 June 2007, distinguished himself as a Rifle Team Leader in combat operations during Operation Enduring Freedom. While engaged in close combat against determined enemy forces, Sergeant Wyckoff left his covered position without hesitation, to force the other members of his team to take cover. Sergeant Wyckoff revealed his position and fatally engaged two insurgents to save the lives of his Platoon. Sergeant Wyckoff's bravery is in keeping with the finest traditions of military service and reflects great credit upon himself, the 82d Airborne Division, and the United States Army. This order supersedes the United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Orders 136-58.

**II—VALOROUS UNIT AWARD.** By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-14, the Valorous Unit Award is awarded to the following units of the Armed Forces of the United States for extraordinary heroism while engaged in military operations during the period indicated:

**HEADQUARTERS AND SUPPORT COMPANY, 864TH ENGINEER BATTALION**

7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 864TH ENGINEER BATTALION

(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)

COMPANY B, 864TH ENGINEER BATTALION

(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)

COMPANY C, 864TH ENGINEER BATTALION

(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)

COMPANY A, 391ST ENGINEER BATTALION

(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)

COMPANY B, 107TH ENGINEER BATTALION  
(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)  
5TH MAINTENANCE COMPANY  
(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)  
298TH ENGINEER DETACHMENT  
(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)  
DETACHMENT, 360TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BRIGADE  
(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)  
DETACHMENT, 492D CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION  
(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)  
1ST PLATOON, COMPANY D, 2D BATTALION, 504TH INFANTRY  
(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)  
2D PLATOON, COMPANY D, 2D BATTALION, 504TH INFANTRY  
(7 July 2005 to 1 August 2005)  
2D PLATOON, COMPANY B, 44TH SIGNAL BATTALION  
(7 July 2005 to 2 September 2005)

**COMPANY C, 3D BATTALION, 153D INFANTRY**

24 March 2004 to 20 January 2005

**III—MERITORIOUS UNIT COMMENDATION.** By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-15, the Meritorious Unit Commendation is awarded to the following units of the United States Army for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service during the period indicated:

**HEADQUARTERS, 3D BRIGADE COMBAT TEAM, 25TH INFANTRY DIVISION**

4 August 2006 to 8 October 2007

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS BATTERY, 2D BATTALION, 17TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT**

10 October 2006 to 8 January 2008

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

BATTERY A, 2D BATTALION, 17TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT  
BATTERY B, 2D BATTALION, 17TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT  
COMPANY G, 2D SUPPORT BATTALION

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS BATTERY, 3D BATTALION, 320TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT**

19 September 2005 to 18 September 2006

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

BATTERY A, 3D BATTALION, 320TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT  
(19 September 2005 to 18 September 2006)  
BATTERY B, 3D BATTALION, 320TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT  
(19 September 2005 to 18 September 2006)  
COMPANY A, 3D BATTALION, 187TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
(6 January 2006 to 18 September 2006)  
COMPANY G, 626TH SUPPORT BATTALION  
(19 September 2005 to 18 September 2006)

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**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 3D BATTALION,  
25TH AVIATION REGIMENT**

29 July 2006 to 28 October 2007

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 3D BATTALION, 25TH AVIATION REGIMENT  
COMPANY B, 3D BATTALION, 25TH AVIATION REGIMENT  
COMPANY C, 3D BATTALION, 25TH AVIATION REGIMENT  
COMPANY D, 3D BATTALION, 25TH AVIATION REGIMENT  
COMPANY E, 3D BATTALION, 25TH AVIATION REGIMENT  
COMPANY G, 58TH AVIATION REGIMENT  
COMPANY D, 114TH AVIATION REGIMENT  
COMPANY C, 2D BATTALION, 135TH AVIATION REGIMENT

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION,  
187TH INFANTRY REGIMENT**

18 September 2005 to 1 September 2006

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 1ST BATTALION, 187TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 187TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 187TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY D, 1ST BATTALION, 187TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY B, 2D BATTALION, 7TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY E, 626TH SUPPORT BATTALION  
DETACHMENT, COMPANY B, SPECIAL TROOPS BATTALION, 3D BRIGADE,  
101ST AIRBORNE DIVISION  
DETACHMENT, COMPANY B, 445TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION  
4TH PLATOON, 918TH MILITARY POLICE COMPANY

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION,  
12TH INFANTRY REGIMENT**

8 December 2005 to 28 November 2006

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 1ST BATTALION, 12TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 12TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY D, 1ST BATTALION, 12TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY E, 1ST BATTALION, 12TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY C, 2D BATTALION, 506TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY E, 704TH SUPPORT BATTALION

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION,  
161ST INFANTRY**

4 March 2004 to 4 March 2005

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 1ST BATTALION, 161ST INFANTRY

COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 161ST INFANTRY  
COMPANY D, 1ST BATTALION, 161ST INFANTRY (PROVISIONAL)

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 2D BATTALION,  
506TH INFANTRY REGIMENT**

28 November 2005 to 28 November 2006  
(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 2D BATTALION, 506TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
(28 November 2005 to 28 November 2006)  
COMPANY B, 2D BATTALION, 506TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
(28 November 2005 to 28 November 2006)  
COMPANY D, 2D BATTALION, 506TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
(28 November 2005 to 28 November 2006)  
COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 12TH INFANTRY REGIMENT  
(28 November 2005 to 28 November 2006)  
COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 35TH ARMORED REGIMENT  
(15 March 2006 to 28 November 2006)  
COMPANY F, 801ST SUPPORT BATTALION  
(28 November 2005 to 28 November 2006)

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 240TH ENGINEER GROUP**

18 April 2006 to 5 January 2007

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS DETACHMENT, 1ST SPECIAL FORCES  
BATTALION, 5TH SPECIAL FORCES GROUP, 1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT**

15 May 2005 to 15 January 2006  
(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY B, 1ST SPECIAL FORCES BATTALION, 5TH SPECIAL FORCES GROUP,  
1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT  
COMPANY C, 1ST SPECIAL FORCES BATTALION, 5TH SPECIAL FORCES GROUP,  
1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT  
COMPANY B, 3D SPECIAL FORCES BATTALION, 3D SPECIAL FORCES GROUP,  
1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT  
COMPANY C, 3D SPECIAL FORCES BATTALION, 3D SPECIAL FORCES GROUP,  
1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT  
DETACHMENT, COMPANY A, 2D SPECIAL FORCES BATTALION,  
19TH SPECIAL FORCES GROUP, 1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT  
OPERATIONAL DETACHMENT A 125, 1ST SPECIAL FORCES GROUP,  
1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT  
OPERATIONAL DETACHMENT A 155, 1ST SPECIAL FORCES GROUP,  
1ST SPECIAL FORCES REGIMENT

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS AND SERVICE BATTERY, 1ST BATTALION,  
21ST FIELD ARTILLERY**

16 March 2004 to 15 March 2005  
(to include the following assigned or attached units)

BATTERY A, 1ST BATTALION, 21ST FIELD ARTILLERY

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BATTERY B, 1ST BATTALION, 21ST FIELD ARTILLERY  
BATTERY C, 1ST BATTALION, 21ST FIELD ARTILLERY  
BATTERY C, 2D BATTALION, 82D FIELD ARTILLERY  
68TH CHEMICAL COMPANY

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS TROOP, 1ST SQUADRON, 33D CAVALRY REGIMENT**

18 September 2005 to 1 September 2006  
(to include the following assigned or attached units)

TROOP A, 1ST SQUADRON, 33D CAVALRY REGIMENT  
TROOP B, 1ST SQUADRON, 33D CAVALRY REGIMENT  
TROOP C, 1ST SQUADRON, 33D CAVALRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY D, 626TH SUPPORT BATTALION

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 3D BATTALION, 8TH CAVALRY**

25 March 2004 to 4 March 2005  
(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 3D BATTALION, 8TH CAVALRY  
COMPANY B, 3D BATTALION, 8TH CAVALRY  
COMPANY B, 2D BATTALION, 7TH CAVALRY  
COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 161ST INFANTRY  
COMPANY C, 215TH SUPPORT BATTALION

**1ST SQUADRON, 7TH CAVALRY REGIMENT**

1 April 2004 to 30 September 2004  
(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY B, 8TH ENGINEER BATTALION  
DETACHMENT, DETACHMENT A, 489TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

**2D SQUADRON, 17TH CAVALRY REGIMENT**

26 September 2005 to 21 August 2006  
(to include the following assigned and attached units)

HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS TROOP, 2D SQUADRON,  
17TH CAVALRY REGIMENT

TROOP A, 2D SQUADRON, 17TH CAVALRY REGIMENT  
TROOP B, 2D SQUADRON, 17TH CAVALRY REGIMENT  
TROOP C, 2D SQUADRON, 17TH CAVALRY REGIMENT  
TROOP D, 2D SQUADRON, 17TH CAVALRY REGIMENT  
TROOP E, 2D SQUADRON, 17TH CAVALRY REGIMENT  
COMPANY B, 96TH SUPPORT BATTALION

**3D BATTALION, 6TH FIELD ARTILLERY REGIMENT**

14 August 2005 to 13 August 2006  
(to include the following assigned or attached units)

**COMPANY G, 10TH SUPPORT BATTALION**

(14 August 2005 to 13 August 2006)

**152D MAINTENANCE COMPANY**

(3 September 2005 to 15 March 2006)

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 704TH SUPPORT BATTALION**

5 December 2005 to 28 November 2006

(to include the following assigned and attached units)

COMPANY A, 704TH SUPPORT BATTALION

COMPANY B, 704TH SUPPORT BATTALION

COMPANY C, 704TH SUPPORT BATTALION

**HEADQUARTERS AND SUPPORT COMPANY, 980TH ENGINEER BATTALION**

13 March 2004 to 13 March 2005

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 980TH ENGINEER BATTALION

COMPANY B, 980TH ENGINEER BATTALION

COMPANY C, 980TH ENGINEER BATTALION

**15TH SUPPORT BATTALION**

12 January 2004 to 12 January 2005

**267TH ORDNANCE COMPANY**

6 February 2004 to 20 January 2005

**3664TH MAINTENANCE COMPANY**

18 February 2004 to 17 February 2005

**1ST CAVALRY DIVISION DETACHMENT**

3 March 2004 to 2 March 2005

**DETACHMENT, HEADQUARTERS, 414TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION**

27 April 2006 to 17 April 2007

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

DETACHMENT, COMPANY A, 414TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY B, 414TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY C (PROVISIONAL), 414TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY A, 412TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY B, 412TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY A, 413TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY C (PROVISIONAL), 422D CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY C (PROVISIONAL), 448TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

DETACHMENT, COMPANY C (PROVISIONAL), 489TH CIVIL AFFAIRS BATTALION

**DETACHMENT, 365TH ENGINEER BATTALION**

21 February 2005 to 31 January 2006

**IV—ARMY SUPERIOR UNIT AWARD.** By direction of the Secretary of the Army, under the provisions of AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16, the Army Superior Unit Award is awarded to the following units of the Armed Forces of the United States for meritorious service in connection with difficult and challenging missions during peacetime:

**HEADQUARTERS AND HEADQUARTERS COMPANY, 1ST BATTALION,  
11TH AVIATION REGIMENT**

8 July 2006 to 7 July 2007

(to include the following assigned or attached units)

COMPANY A, 1ST BATTALION, 11TH AVIATION REGIMENT

COMPANY B, 1ST BATTALION, 11TH AVIATION REGIMENT


COMPANY C, 1ST BATTALION, 11TH AVIATION REGIMENT

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