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### LEGION OF MERIT

By direction of the President, under the provisions of an Act of Congress approved 20 July 1942, and Executive Order 10600, 15 March 1955, the Legion of Merit (**Degree of Officer**) for exceptionally meritorious conduct in the performance of outstanding service is awarded to:

**Lieutenant General Kersten Lahl**, German Armed Forces, January 2003 to February 2008. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 290-07, dated 16 October 2008.

**Lieutenant General Markus Bentler**, German Army, September 2009 to September 2010. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 197-25, dated 16 July 2010.

**Major-General Donald M. Day**, Canadian Army, May 2011 to June 2012. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 139-01, dated 18 May 2012.

**Major General Jerzy Biziewski**, Polish Land Forces, March 2010 to March 2012. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 146-13, dated 25 May 2012.

**Major General Humberto Patricio Oviedo Arriagada**, Army of Chile, January 2011 to January 2012. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 163-22, dated 11 June 2012.

**Major General Yasuki Miyazaki**, Japan Ground Self-Defense Force, December 2008 to April 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 220-15, dated 7 August 2012.

**Major General Koji Sensaki**, Japan Ground Self-Defense Force, August 2006 to July 2009. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 026-25, dated 26 January 2010.

**Staff Major General Karim Maher Jaber Wahed Al-Shwaily**, Iraqi Army, March 2009 to February 2010. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 021-23, dated 21 January 2010.

**Brigadier General Abdulrazaq Mohammad Alawadhi**, Army of Kuwait, October 2007 to October 2010. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 045-23, dated 14 February 2012.

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**Brigadier General Carmine Masiello**, Italian Army, April 2011 to September 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 045-24, dated 14 February 2012.

**Brigadier-General Nicolas E. Matern**, Canadian Army, July 2007 to June 2010. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 074-10, dated 14 March 2012.

**Brigadier General Mihai Ciungu**, Romanian Land Forces, June 2009 to March 2012. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 146-17, dated 25 May 2012.

**Brigadier General Cruz Isaac Munoz Navarro**, Army of Mexico, January 2010 to October 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 163-23, dated 11 June 2012.

**Brigadier General Helmut Bialek**, German Air Force, November 2007 to December 2010. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 160-24, dated 9 June 2011.

**Brigadier General Adalberto Ramon Garcete Martinez**, Armed Forces of Paraguay, July 2008 to July 2010. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 062-22, dated 3 March 2011.

**Brigadier Roderick John Scott West**, Army of Australia, January 2008 to January 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 054-30, dated 23 February 2012.

**Colonel Bengt Allan Svensson**, Army of Sweden, July 2006 to August 2009. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 048-10, dated 17 February 2012.

**Colonel Oscar Ricardo Ospitaletche De Carlos**, Army of Uruguay, February 2008 to February 2010. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 048-12, dated 17 February 2012.

**Colonel Oleksandr Ivasyshyn**, Army of Ukraine, September 2006 to December 2008. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 048-11, dated 17 February 2012.

**Colonel Hans-Olaf Jessen**, German Army, September 2008 to September 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 180-29, dated 28 June 2012.

**Colonel Soumana Zanguina**, Army of Niger, March 2003 to January 2012. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 165-12, dated 13 June 2012.

**Colonel Fabiano Zinzone**, Italian Army, June 2002 to October 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 222-26, dated 9 August 2012.

**Colonel Alejandro Brizuela**, Argentine Army, August 2006 to August 2008. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 300-20, dated 27 October 2009.

**Senior Colonel Nothapol Boonngam**, Royal Thai Army, October 2008 to October 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 074-09, dated 14 March 2012.

**Lieutenant Colonel Rajko Pesic**, Army of Montenegro, October 2008 to June 2011. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 355-41, dated 21 December 2011.

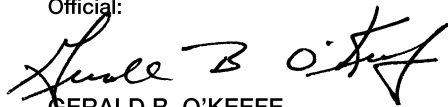
**Lieutenant Colonel Robert Brian Gillard**, Army of New Zealand, June 2009 to June 2012. This order supersedes United States Army Human Resources Command, Permanent Order 248-89, dated 4 September 2012.

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By Order of the Secretary of the Army:

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