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PERMANENT ORDER 126-04

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Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, V Corps

Announcement is made of the following award:

Award: Army Superior Unit Award

Period of service: 16 April 2011 to 10 May 2012

Authority: AR 600-8-22, paragraph 7-16

Reason: For exceptionally meritorious service. During the period 16 April 2011 to 10 May 2012, Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, V Corps accomplished an exceptionally outstanding and unprecedented manner all requirements and activities associated with its accelerated reconstitution under the modular force structure design. The unit worked in the areas of receiving new personnel, fielding new equipment and relocating from Heidelberg to Wiesbaden Army Airfield, Germany while simultaneously planning for and conducting rigorous and effective combat pre-deployment individual and collective training. The dedicated and professional leaders, staff and Soldiers worked together and successfully accomplished these goals, while V Corps achieved initial operation capability on 1 June 2011 with complete, full operational capability on 12 August 2011. Dynamic and professional leadership, focused planning, training, synchronization and diligent efforts resulted in a fully reconstituted, superbly trained and cohesive V Corps Headquarters that cased its colors on 10 May 2012 prior to its combat deployment to Afghanistan. The outstanding efforts of Headquarters and Headquarters Battalion, V Corps reflect great credit upon the unit, V Corps, United States Army Europe 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.