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JOINT STAFF PERMANENT ORDER NUMBER J-ISO-0214-00

Subject: Announcement of the Award of the Joint Meritorious Unit Award

1. Under the provisions of DoD Directive 1348.33-M, September 1996, the Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, has awarded the Joint Meritorious Unit Award for exceptionally meritorious achievement to Headquarters, Joint Task Force Six, Fort Bliss, Tx., during the period 1 January 1993 to 31 December 1999.

2. The streamer (FSN 8345-01-169-5944) and ribbons (FSN 8455- 01-170-5143 and FSN 8455-01-170-5144) may be obtained from normal supply channels.

FOR THE DIRECTOR FOR MANPOWER AND PERSONNEL:

EDWARD M. ROGERS
Chief, Staff Management Branch

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MEMORANDUM FOR THE COMMANDER, UNITED STATES TOTAL ARMY PERSONNEL COMMAND, ATTN: TAPC-PDA

Subject: Joint Meritorious Unit Award

1. The Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, has awarded the Joint Meritorious Unit Award (JMUA) to Headquarters, Joint Task Force Six, Fort Bliss, Tx., for exceptionally meritorious achievement from 1 January 1993 to 31 December 1999.

2. Only those members of the Armed Forces of the United States who were present at the time and directly participated in the service or achievement for 30 days or more, or for the period cited if less than 30 days, are authorized to wear the JMUA ribbon. Personnel must be assigned and/or attached by official orders to the joint unit or task force receiving the JMUA, either as individuals or as members of an assigned or attached unit. Local commanders may waive, on an individual basis, the 30-day minimum time requirement for individuals (Reserve personnel on active duty and TDY and/or TAD personnel), who, in the purview of the commander contributed directly to the achievement cited, and were assigned on official orders to the awarded unit during the approved time frames.

3. Request you announce the approved unit award within your Service and include it in your permanent unit award records and publications. Copy of award order and citation are enclosed.

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ATTN: DPPPRA

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Citation

to accompany the award of the

Joint Meritorious Unit Award

to the

Joint Task Force Six

Joint Task Force Six distinguished itself by exceptionally meritorious service from 1 January 1993 to 31 December 1999. During this period, Joint Task Force Six planned, coordinated and controlled over 4000 diverse and challenging multi-Service, multi-agency counterdrug missions. The conduct of these missions benefited units in the field by providing real-world, mission-essential training opportunities. Joint Task Force Six provided and synchronized much needed DOD support from all four branches of the United States Armed Forces to domestic law enforcement agencies throughout the continental United States. The assistance of Joint Task Force Six enabled these agencies to be more effective in their campaign against the flow of illegal drugs into the United States. In this complex and continually evolving undertaking, Joint Task Force Six skillfully established the framework by which all military assets available in the DOD "Total Force" can maximize their efforts toward supporting the President's National Drug Control Strategy; thus, reaffirming the commitment of "Service to the Nation," now, and in the years ahead. By their exemplary performance of duty, the members of Joint Task Force Six have brought great credit upon themselves, their Service, and the Department of Defense.

Given under my hand this 4th day of August 2000

Henry H Shelton

Chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff