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GENTEXT/REMARKS/1. THIS MESSAGE IS TO OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCE THE MARINE CORPS RECIPIENTS/WINNERS OF THE 2014 NDTA UNIT OF THE YEAR AWARD FOR BOTH ACTIVE DUTY AND RESERVE UNITS.

2. THIS OFFICE TAKES GREAT PLEASURE IN ANNOUNCING THAT THE WINNERS HAVE DISTINGUISHED THEMSELVES AND HAVE EXCEEDED NORMAL STANDARDS OF PERFORMANCE IN AN OPERATIONAL TRANSPORTATION/LOGISTICS MISSION DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2013.

3. THE ACTIVE DUTY UNIT WINNER IS MARINE CORPS LOGISTICS COMMAND FORWARD (MARCORLOGCOM FWD). WHILE DEPLOYED AT CAMP LEATHERNECK AND CONDUCTING REDEPLOYMENT AND RETROGRADE IN SUPPORT OF RESET AND RECONSTITUTION FOR OPERATION ENDURING FREEDOM 2013, MARCORLOGCOM FWD PROCESSED 12,178 PRINCIPLE END ITEM'S, TOTALING OVER 16,494 SHORT TONS AND VALUED AT OVER \$450 MILLION DOLLARS; ALL DONE WITH A 99% TRANSACTIONAL ACCURACY RATE. ADDITIONALLY, MARCORLOGCOM FWD ACCOUNTED FOR A COST SAVINGS OF OVER \$18 MILLION DOLLARS THROUGH CLOSE COORDINATION WITH MARINE, ARMY, SDDC, AND TRANSCOM ORGANIZATIONS.

4. THE RESERVE UNIT WINNER IS 6TH MOTOR TRANSPORTATION BATTALION. THEY WERE INSTRUMENTAL IN THE SUCCESSFUL DEPLOYMENT AND REDEPLOYMENT OF TASK FORCE JOINT EXERCISE AFRICAN LION 2013. 6TH MOTOR TRANSPORTATION BATTALION SUPPORTED OVER 2,500 PERSONNEL WITH RAPID DEPLOYMENT, STAGING, INTEGRATION AND REDEPLOYMENT. IN TWENTY-FOUR HOUR OPERATIONS THEY COMPLETED OVER 306 JOINT LIMITED TECHNICAL INSPECTIONS; WASHED AND CLEANED OVER 386 TACTICAL VEHICLES, EMBARKED 175 PIECES ON USNS DAHL, AND STAGED 211 PIECES OF TACTICAL EQUIPMENT FOR EMBARKATION ABOARD A COMMERCIAL SHIPPING VESSEL. 6TH MOTOR TRANSPORTATION BATTALION'S LEADERSHIP, PROFESSIONALISM, AND DEDICATION TO DUTY RESULTED IN THE COMPLETION OF RETROGRADE AND RECONSTITUTION OPERATIONS WITHOUT A SINGLE REPORTABLE SAFETY INCIDENT.

5. CONGRATULATIONS TO THE WINNERS. THE AWARDS WILL BE MAILED TO THE COMMANDS FOR PRESENTATION.

6. ALL UNITS WHO WILL MAKE A SIGNIFICANT CONTRIBUTION IN AN OPERATIONAL TRANSPORTATION/LOGISTICS MISSION DURING CALENDAR YEAR 2014 ARE HIGHLY ENCOURAGED TO SUBMIT A NOMINATION PACKAGE FOR THE 2015 NDTA UNIT OF THE YEAR AWARD. A MESSAGE WILL BE SENT IN FEBRUARY REQUESTING NOMINATIONS.

7. FOR ADDITIONAL INFORMATION, CONTACT THE POC'S LISTED IN THIS MESSAGE.