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## Attorney General Holder Recognizes Office of Justice Programs Employee Theron Pride at Annual Awards Ceremony



(Six from left) Theron Pride Jr., senior advisor from the Office of Justice Programs (OJP) stands with the Windsor Implementation team as they receive the Attorney General's Award for Exceptional Service at the 62nd Annual Attorney General's Awards Ceremony Oct. 15 in Washington, D.C. "It was one of those things that I will remember as a highlight of my career," says Pride. "It was great to be able to represent OJP." The Windsor Implementation Team worked to make real the promise of the U.S. v. Windsor Supreme Court decision striking down Section 3 of the Defense of Marriage Act. The purpose and effect of Section 3 was to discriminate against same-sex couples in more than 1,000 federal laws. (U.S. Department of Justice photo/Glenn Kivlen)