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## **National Guard unit to depart Sunday**

**NASHVILLE** -- The Tennessee Army National Guard's 105th Personnel Company, from Nashville, is scheduled to depart Sunday, May 17, on the first leg of a one-year deployment in support of Operation Iraqi Freedom.

The 35 soldiers of the unit will leave in three increments from the National Guard Headquarters complex, 3041 Sidco Drive. The first departs at 5 a.m., the second at 9 a.m. and the third at 3 p.m.

They will travel by commercial aircraft to Fort McCoy, Wis., where they are to remain for a short period of time completing advanced, pre-deployment training before leaving for Iraq.

The unit deployed in 2005 as the 568th Personnel Service Company.

This brings to almost 14,300 the number of Tennessee Guard men and women who have deployed since Sept. 11, 2001.

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