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## **MEDIA ADVISORY**

### **Tennessee National Guard Transportation Company prepares for deployment**

**SMYRNA, Tenn.** – Tennessee Army National Guard Soldiers from the 1176<sup>th</sup> Transportation Company, based in Smyrna are scheduled to depart on Mar. 16, for a yearlong deployment to Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.

Media outlets interested in covering the departure from the Smyrna Volunteer Training Site should contact the Tennessee National Guard Joint Public Affairs Office for further coordination at **615-313-0633**.

*NOTE: Departure times subject to last minute change. Notification will be made to media outlets requesting to cover the departure as events warrant.*

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