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1/230th Air Cavalry Soldiers return from Afghanistan First 29 to arrive today in Nashville

NASHVILLE, Tenn. – The first 29 Soldiers from the Tennessee National Guard's 1/230th Air Cavalry Squadron will be back onto Tennessee soil for the first time today, as they return from their nearly yearlong deployment to Afghanistan in support of Operation Enduring Freedom.

The Soldiers will arrive at Nashville International Airport in two groups, the first 10 Soldiers arriving at 11:20 a.m. and the remaining 19 at 1:53 p.m. They will travel by groups to the Volunteer Training Site – Smyrna, within the Smyrna Airport, to be greeted by a reception of family and friends welcoming them home.

After out-processing at the training site's Building 425, the soldiers will travel to their home station in Louisville, TN.

The remainder of the original 80 deployed Soldiers are scheduled to arrive in mid December.

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