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FINAL 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division Redeployment Ceremony

WHO: 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division, Schofield Barracks, HI

WHAT: **FINAL** Redeployment Ceremony of the 2nd Brigade Combat Team "Warriors"

WHERE: Multi-functional Deployment Facility, Wheeler Army Airfield, Schofield Barracks, HI (please see map)

WHEN: June 26, 2011 at 7:10 a.m.

WHY: To welcome home Soldiers of 2-25 from their tour of duty in Iraq

BACKGROUND: Soldiers of the 2nd Brigade Combat Team, 25th Infantry Division, stationed at Schofield Barracks, Hawaii finalize their return to Hawaii from their one-year tour in Iraq, and will be honored with a redeployment ceremony at Wheeler Army Airfield, Schofield Barracks, Hawaii. Family members will be reunited with their loved ones at this ceremony, after comments by Col. Matthew Kelley, 25th Infantry Division Deputy Commander-Rear. Media is welcome to attend the ceremony and speak with Soldiers after completion of the ceremony.

MEDIA NOTE: *Interested media must RSVP no later 10 a.m., Wednesday, June 22.* RSVPs should be made by emailing Maj. David Bolender at david.bolender@us.army.mil or david.m.bolender@gmail.com, phone 808-292-8208. Media will then meet at the front gate of Schofield Barracks, process for vehicle passes, then be escorted to Wheeler Army Airfield at 5:30 a.m. to be escorted to the redeployment ceremony location.