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CHIEF, NATIONAL GUARD BUREAU
COMMANDER, U.S. ARMY FORCES COMMAND
COMMANDER, U.S. ARMY TRAINING AND DOCTRINE COMMAND
AUDITOR GENERAL, DEPARTMENT OF THE ARMY

SUBJECT: Audit of Armored Brigade Combat Team Readiness, Army National Guard
(Project No. D2015-D000RF-0242.000)

We plan to begin the subject audit in August 2015. This is the first in a series of audits addressing military unit readiness. Our objective is to determine whether military units have the ability to perform their mission essential tasks. Specifically, this audit will evaluate the Army National Guard's training proficiency at the company and Cavalry troop level. We will consider suggestions from management on additional or revised objectives.

We will perform the audit at various Army National Guard facilities and Training Centers. We may identify additional locations during the audit.

Please provide us with a point of contact for the audit within **10 days** of the date of this memorandum. The point of contact should be a Government employee—a GS-15, pay band equivalent, or the military equivalent. Send the contact's name, title, grade/pay band, phone number, and e-mail address to audrco@dodig.mil.

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