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### U.S. Army to Display latest Modernization Equipment at the 2010 Army/Navy Game

Warren, MI – December 8, 2010 – The U.S. Army is upgrading and modernizing its equipment and technology to best prepare and equip our Soldiers for today's and tomorrow's missions, and at the 2010 Army/Navy Game the Army will conduct a special demonstration of some of its latest military vehicle, robotic and Soldier technology.

The annual Army/Navy Game will take place Saturday, 10 Dec., at Lincoln Financial Field, in Philadelphia, PA. On Friday, 9 Dec., the Army will host a Media Viewing day to preview the equipment and talk to Soldiers.

During the pre-game displays, visitors will be able to see, explore and interact with the latest equipment that is being developed for and employed in the Afghanistan and Iraq conflicts. U.S. Army Soldiers who have operated and developed this high-tech equipment will be at Army locations at Lincoln Financial Field to demonstrate the equipment and answer questions.

These technologies are a key part of the Army's new Modernization effort, which is providing equipment and non-equipment solutions to our Soldiers that will result in a versatile mix of mobile, networked Brigade Combat Teams. Once they are commissioned, today's West Point cadets will be among the first to lead Soldiers in these high-tech Brigade Combat Teams. The diverse talents, leadership preparation, and state-of-the-art technologies combine to create officer-leaders prepared to defeat complex threats and protect Soldiers across the spectrum of operations.

Guests will have the opportunity to see:

- **Military robots.** Guests can operate and interact with ground robots that help Soldiers search for explosive devices, search buildings and conduct reconnaissance operations.
- **Mine Resistant Ambush Protected All Terrain Vehicle (M-ATV).** This highly armored and mobile vehicle provides needed protected ground mobility for Soldiers in Afghanistan. This program is jointly managed by the Army and Marine Corp.
- **Buffalo Route Clearance Vehicle.** The massive Buffalo's primary role is route clearance and land mine operations in both Afghanistan and Iraq. Three versions are currently fielded. This program is jointly managed by the Army and Navy.
- **Stryker Nuclear, Biological, Chemical Reconnaissance Vehicle.** Used in both Iraq and Afghanistan, this wheeled armored vehicle acts to alert Soldiers to potential battlefield Nuclear, Chemical or Biological hazards.
- **M777A2 light weight 155mm Howitzer.** This advanced artillery piece provides key precision fire support to Soldiers engaged in Afghanistan. The M777 on display and the Soldiers supporting it belong to C Battery, 1st Bn, 108th Field Artillery, 56th SBCT, based out of Philadelphia.
- **Soldier gear.** Highlighted will be the latest uniforms and accessories for mounted, air and ground Soldiers to include helmets, body armor, communications gear, night vision goggles. Media will have a chance to try out some of the gear to get a better understanding of the tools used in combat by individual Soldiers.