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### **Fort Polk soldier dies in Baghdad**

**FORT POLK, La.—** The Department of Defense announced today that Pfc. Corey L. Small, 20, of East Berlin, Pa. died on July 2<sup>nd</sup> in Iraq from a non-combat related cause.

**Pfc. Small was a military signal intelligence analyst assigned to 502<sup>nd</sup> Military Intelligence Company, 3d Squadron, 2<sup>nd</sup> Armored Cavalry Regiment. He joined the Army in July 2001 and has served at Fort Polk since April 2002.**

**Circumstances surrounding the soldier's death are currently under investigation.**