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Huntsville Center contractor suffers fatality in Iraq

HUNTSVILLE, Ala. — A U.S. Army Engineering and Support Center Huntsville contractor employee died and another was injured Jan. 19 in Iraq.

Stephen Enright, 29, a British citizen of Devon, United Kingdom, worked for Armor Group of London, England -- a subcontractor providing security to Environmental Chemical Corp. of Lakewood, Colo. He was killed when the vehicle he was riding in was struck by an Improvised Explosive Device.

“Our condolences go out to the family,” said Mike Stahl, Chief, International Operations, Ordnance and Explosives Directorate. “Our personnel are highly trained and experienced and are doing a superb job, but it remains a very dangerous mission.”

The incident is under investigation.

Huntsville Center is a U.S. Army Corps of Engineers’ Center of Expertise for Ordnance and Explosives. Huntsville Center’s Coalition Munitions Clearance Program is responsible for receiving, transporting, segregating and destroying captured or any other munitions posing a danger in Iraq. Storage and disposal of the ammunition is performed at several locations throughout Iraq.

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