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**For Immediate Release:**

**Department of Labor & Industry Presents Award to Securitas Security Services**

**(Billings, MT)** The Montana Department of Labor and Industry presented its first ever “Outstanding Veteran’s Support Employer Award”, to Securitas Security Services today.

“The purpose of this award is to recognize businesses in Montana who make it a priority to hire the men and women who have served our country and are making the transition into civilian life. We are honored to present this to Securitas for their strong support of Montana’s veteran community,” said Labor Commissioner Keith Kelly.

From January 1, 2009 through the first quarter of 2011, 49% of the Securitas-Montana Branch hires were veterans. 51% of its current employees are Veterans or Montana Guardsmen, 20 are based in Billings. Securitas serves clients in Billings, Great Falls, Missoula, Helena, Colstrip, Butte and Dillon.

Securitas Security Services USA was formed from many legendary U.S. Security firms, most notably Pinkerton’s, Inc. (founded in 1850) and Burns International Security Services (founded in 1909) and is now the largest provider of security officer services in the United States.

The Department is will also recognize Nabors Well Service and Mitchell’s Oilfield Service with the “Outstanding Veteran’s Support Employer Award” for their commitment to hiring veterans.



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