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Finland Provides \$3 Million for Literacy Courses



KABUL - Finland would provide \$3 million assistance for the literacy sector to help educate 50,000 people, an official said on Sunday. Acting Minister of Education Mohammad Shafiq Samim and Ambassador of Finland Ari Maki signed a Memorandum of Understanding (MoU) to the effect. Ministry official Abdul Saboor Ghufrani told Pajhwok Afghan News around 50,000 people would be imparted ...*(More on P4)...*(10)

War-Displaced Families in Badakhshan without Shelter

FAIZABAD - More than a thousand families have been displaced this year due to insecurity and natural disasters in northeastern Badakhshan province, officials said on Sunday. Haunted by a sense of insecurity, they are reluctant to return to their houses. Public representatives say the displaced households belong to Warduj, Juran, Yawan and Yaftal districts. Ahmad Javid Mujaddedi, a provincial council member from Juran, confirmed to Pajhwok Afghan News residents had been displaced from Far Ghamanj, Kabe, Katib and Khastak villages to insecurity. The families are currently living ...*(More on P4)...*(11)

Public Support Vital to Peace: Scholars



KANDAHAR CITY - Religious scholars and tribal elders in southern Ghazni province on Sunday urged people to support their security forces in purging Afghanistan of terrorists. A big gathering, arranged in Kandahar City and attended by religious leaders, provincial council members, youth and tribal elders, voiced support of Afghan security forces. Maulvi Obaidullah Faizani, a ...*(More on P4)...*(7)

Review Your Policy on Islam, Karzai Urges West

KABUL - Former president Hamid Karzai on Sunday asked the Western world to review its policy toward Muslims and avoid steps that defamed their religion. Addressing conference in Kabul, the ex-president said Islam teaches ...*(More on P4)...*(8)



Calls for Electoral Reform Fall Flat as NUG Leaders Remain Divided

KABUL - Despite making provision for the formation of a reform committee immediately upon its ascension to power, now four months later, the National Unity Government (NUG) has failed to take event the first ...*(More on P4)...*(9)

Distribution of Electronic ID Cards to Begin Soon



KABUL - The process of issuing electronic identity card would be set in motion soon, with the president receiving the first card, an official said on Sunday. Jan Mohammad Habibi, spokesman for the Electronic Identity Card Distribution Authority (EICDA) told Pajhwok Afghan News preparations had been finalised and an invitation ...*(More on P4)...*(12)

Wardak PC Also Joins Protest against WJ Decision

MAIDAN SHAHR - The provincial council of central Maidan Wardak also announced closing its office in protest against the Wolesi Jirga decision barring them from overseeing local departments, an official said on Sunday. The lower house decided last week provincial councils did not reserve the right to supervise or evaluate the performance of local departments. A day earlier, 17 PCs closed their offices in protest. Sharifullah, the secretary of provincial council, told Pajhwok Afghan News that the evalua-



tion of local governance was the primary responsibility of the council members. He demanded the president not to approve the law preventing them from supervising the local governance. "Our ...*(More on P4)...*(13)

Projects worth 98 Million Afs Executed

TIRINKOT - Developmental projects worth 98 million afghanis have been completed in central Uruzgan province, benefitting thousands of families, an official said on Saturday. Deputy Governor Sher Pacha Urgoni told Pajhwok Afghan News 136 million afis had been allocated for the projects but due to some hurdles only 98 million afis were spent. He said the reconstruction of a canal was among the projects. The canal would ...*(More on P4)...*(14)

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