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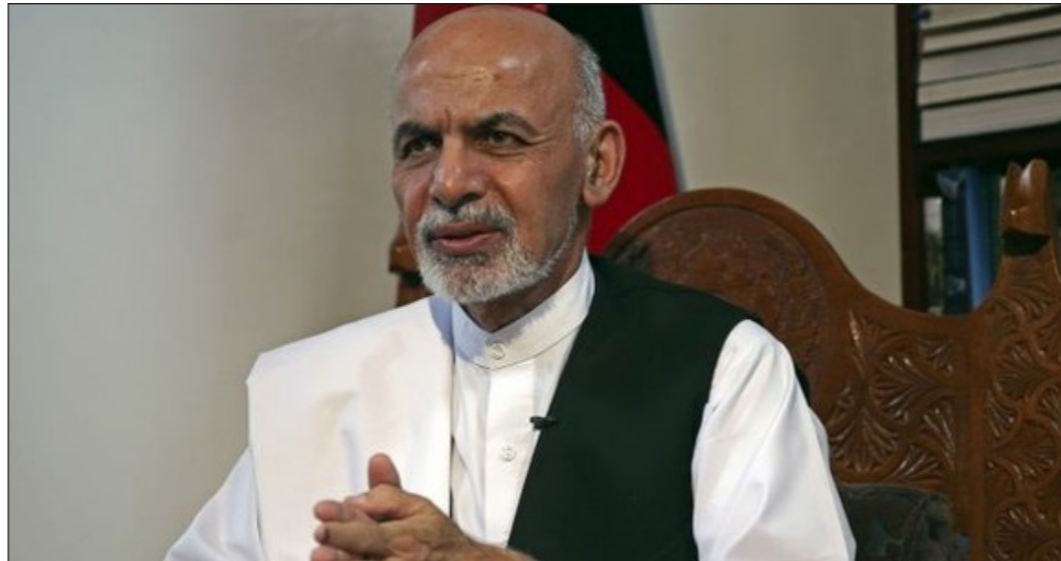
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Attack on Khost Police Academy Leaves 5 Injured

KHOST CITY - At least five people including policemen were injured after three suicide bombers laced with weapons attacked the Police Academy in eastern Khost, officials said. The attack happened Wednesday when the first suicide bomber detonated his explosives-laden car at the entrance paving the way for two others to enter the compound, Police Chief Faizullah Ghairat said. Both the assailants were gunned down after hour-long clashes with the security forces, he added. During these clashes, the source added three policemen and two civilians ... (More on P4)...(7)

Survey Shows 54% Decline in Ghani's Performance

KABUL - The percentage of Afghans 'very satisfied' with President Ashraf Ghani's performance in office has plummeted by 54 percent in his first 100 days, according to a new survey conducted by TOLOnews and ATR Consulting. Only 27.5 percent of Afghans identified as 'very satisfied' with Ghani's performance, marking a dramatic drop from the 59.9 percent who reported being 'very satisfied' after the president's first month in office. With just 100 days under the belt of Ghani's national unity government, the sharp decline in public approval numbers comes in tandem with growing criticism among Afghan political and civil society lead-



ers who say Ghani has failed to follow through on his campaign promises. But the extent to which Ghani's job satisfaction rating as dropped in such a short time is likely to be seen as the biggest rebuke of his performance yet. "How satisfied are you with President Ashraf Ghani's performance?" was the question posed ... (More on P4)...(8)

Tajikistan Reportedly Watch Concentration of Armed Militants



DUSHANBE - Tajik special services are reportedly watching concentration of armed militants in Afghan border area near Tajikistan. Itar Tass quoted an official source at the State Committee for National Security of Tajikistan (SCNS) as saying that they have information about the dangerous concentration of armed militants in the Afghan border area near the Tajik border and they have taken a number of preventive measures. "We monitor the situation in our areas bordering Afghanistan, especially the Badakhshan and Panj stretches where concentration of armed militants of various terrorist and extremist groups such as the Taliban and the Islamic Movement of Uzbekistan is observed," the source told ... (More on P4)...(9)

Wolesi Jirga Passes Marriage Bill

KABUL - The Wolesi Jirga on Wednesday passed by a majority vote a marriage bill banning big budget wedding parties and "un-Islamic traditions." The bill was tabled in the house by the Justice and Judicial Commission in four chapters and 23 articles.



Mohammad Obda, who heads the commission, said the measure had been drafted by lawmakers and it had

many objectives. He said the draft law banned traditions in marriages that were in conflict with Islamic teachings. He said

real Afghan cultural values had been considered in the bill which banned heavy costs on weddings, moral corruption

and strengthened relations between husbands and their wives. A majority of 134 MPs ... (More on P4)...(10)

ANA Operation Successfully Going on in Sangin District

KABUL - The Afghan National Army (ANA) soldiers have launched massive operations in the most unsafe Sangin district of southern Helmand. The soldiers have destroyed several hideouts of the Taliban and have pushed the insurgents from the area, the ANA operational commander Hamid Saifi



said. With this massive ANA soldiers would operation, he said the com ... (More on P4)...(11)

Paktika Road Reopens after 9-Year Closure

SHARANA - A major highway, connecting three border districts, in southeastern Paktika province has been reopened after remaining closed for nearly a decade, the governor's house said on Tuesday. The mountainous highway had been closed by militants in the Goshta area, making it impossible for government officials to travel on the route.

The governor's house in a statement said government officials, who were residents of Waza Khwa, Terwa and Wormamay districts, had been unable travel on the highway for the last nine years. It said security forces had dismantled insurgent sanctuaries in the Goshta area as a result of an ongoing operation to clear the route. No one has got hurt in the offensive so far and two landmines were found and defused in the Ghoshta area, it said. The offensive would continue until the road was full cleared of insurgents and security checkpoints were established, the statement said. Former provincial council member and Waza Khwa resident, ... (More on P4)...(13)

Urgun, Sarobi Dwellers Demand Speedy Uplift

SHARAN - Residents of Urgun and Sarobi districts of southeastern Paktika province on Wednesday complained no considerable work had been done to develop health, agriculture and other sectors in their areas over the past 13 years. This they told to the newly-appointed governor, Abdul Karim



Matin, who visited the two districts to apprise himself of locals' problems, a statement from the governor's house said. The ... (More on P4)...

Key Taliban Figures Dead in Logar Drone Strike

PUL-E-ALAM - Three militants including two key commanders were killed during a US drone attack in central Logar province on Wednesday, an official said. The drone targeted a car carrying militants

in Dilawar village of Baraki-Barak district in the morning, the district chief told Pajhwok Afghan News. Eng. Rahim Amin said two militants' commanders Rahmatullah and Mujeeb-u-Rahman and a third unidentified rebel were

killed in the assault by unmanned aircraft. The slain militants were heading a 40-members rebel group and were involved in high-profile attack on government installations. Taliban have not yet commented on the attack. (Pajhwok)

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Procurement Entities	ARDS on behalf of Ministry of Finance		
Funded By	World Bank-IDA		
Item Description	Procurement of Treasury AFMIS IT Equipment		
Reference No	MOF/1875/ICB		
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	4	LaserJet Printer	
	5	LaserJet Printer	
	6	Scanner	
	7	Copier	
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Expression of Interest

Procurement Entities	ARDS on behalf of Ministry of Finance		
Funded By	World Bank-IDA		
Item Description	Consultancy Services for Public Financial Management Reform Project-II (PFMR-II)		
Reference No	MOF/1982/QCBS		
Deadline for EOI Submission	31st Jan 2015 at 16:30 local time		
Address for EOI Submission	Program Manager, Ministry of Economy, ARDS, Procurement Unit, 5 th Floor, Malik Asghar Square, Kabul - Afghanistan. Telephone: - 00 93 (0) 0752055747 or 0093 (0) 700 288 385.		
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