We Need $1.3 Billion Budget for Growing Economy in Afghanistan: USAID

WASHINGTON - United States of America for International Development (USAID) office in Afghanistan stated that we will need $1.3 billion for growing economy through Agriculture sector in the year 2017, saying we have the sufficient amount for the further approval of the US congress.

Afghanistan economy is depended on the International aid and supports especially USA officials in the following office stated that we will continue to work on growing of economy in Afghanistan.

Elma Cep responsible for the budgeting affairs of the United States of America for International Development office in Afghanistan said, “We have demanded the US congress $1.3 billion dollar for growing different sectors Agriculture, Health, Education, infrastructure, Economy, Democracy and Governance.”

Further she went on and said, “Security is a serious threat and counted as barrier against our plans, USAID is committed to spend $1 billion dollar annually, and the following budget is allocated based on the programs, we have around 300 local and International staffs working on the aspect, our force is growing economy through Agriculture sector and our activity is Nationwide in a.(More on P6:128)

KABUL - Kabul police chief on Tuesday handed over 85 different categorized weapons and four tons of explosives to the Disbandment of Illegal Armed Groups (DAAG) programme officials.

Lt. Gen. Abdul Rahman Rahimi told reporters the weapons handed over to DAAG included AK-47 assault rifles, machineguns, pistols and RPGs, land mines, more than 1.7 tonnes of ammonium nitrate and two tons of explosives. He said the weapons and explosives had been captured by police during the past four months in different parts of Kabul. To a question he said explosives-laden trucks entered 1.7 tonnes of ammonium nitrate, RPGs, landmines, more than 1,673 High Mobility Multipurpose Wheeled Vehicles (HMMWVs) to the Afghan National Army and Afghan National Police.

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Enmy Infiltrates Govt. At Various Levels: Kabul Police Chief

KARUL - Eighty-six contracts for small and medium size mines in various provinces have been signed with the private sector this year, while four major mining contracts will be finalized soon, the Ministry of Mines and Petroleum said on Tuesday.

 Mines Minister spokesman Mohibullah Noori told a press conference here that the 86 contracts had been signed with different private sector companies during the past four months to develop the mines in accordance with the relevant law.

Under the contracts, deposits of gas, salt, coal, marble, talc, chromites, plaster, precious and semiprecious stones and minerals have been allocated to mining companies during the past four months to develop the mines in accordance with the relevant law.

Afghanistan’s Sports Sector Struggling: Report

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KP Governor Hints at Leniency to Afghan Traders, Patients

PESHAWAR - The cross-border movement of Afghan traders and patients would be made easier under a new flexible policy, the governor of Pakhtunkhwa’s Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KP) province has promised.

However, Iqbal Zafar Jhagra, the KP governor of Pakistan’s northwestern Khyber Pakhtunkhwa (KP) province has promised.

He told journalists in Khyber Agency on Monday: “We can battle...” (More on P6:111)

Faryab Education Director Having Fake Degree Arrested

KABUL - The Kabul police on Tuesday arrested a Faryab education director who was found to have a fake degree.

He told journalists: “We can battle...” (More on P6:112)

248 Public Utility Projects Completed in Badakhshan

FAIZABAD - National Solidarity Programme of the Ministry of Rural Rehabilitation and Development (MRRD) on Tuesday completed 248 development project worth AFN 352,872,331 in Khowst, Torkham, Kabul, Balkh, Jawzjan, Jirgai, Yakawlang, Kapisa, Badakhshan, Takhar, Panjshir, Faryab, and Taghy districts of Badakhshan province. According to NNP Provincial Manager in Badakhshan province, these development projects encompass: (More on P6:113)