told reporters at her daily news conference. Pakistan knows that, we all know what it needs to do," State Department spokesperson Heather Nauert told reporters at her daily news conference.

"We expect Pakistan -- we've made this point and it's been made clear in the past to the new strategy that was announced back in August about the new South Asia strategy that the United States is working in conjunction with the Taliban. We are supporting the government of Afghanistan. We are supporting the anti-opium effort from its soil," she said.

Naurat added the decision to withdraw US aid to Pakistan in August. "That was an announcement that came out back in August, and that which was not of interest in it again. But that is not a new announcement that we would also like to make.

The spokesperson said: "They need to earn, essentially, the money that is being provided to them, and security assistance, they need to show that they are sincere in their fight against terrorism. Senators Rand Paul, meanwhile, announced bringing legislation in the Congress to stop US aid to Pakistan. I wholeheartedly agree with Trump on this. The US has given $12 billion in military aid and $8 billion in development assistance to Pakistan since 2001. That is not putting America first, and neither will new legislation in the coming days to stop aid to Pakistan," Paul said.

"Pakistan is a country we wish to work with. It is a country that is in the war on radical Islamic terrorism we are fighting in our shared interest in the region and globally," he said.

Under the relevant law, if House rejects a decision of the other, a joint commission comprised of an equal number of members from each House is formed to solve the difference.

The meeting of the joint commission, after endorsement by the President, shall be enforced. If the joint commission fails to come to a decision, the difference will be considered rejected.

In the meantime, the House of People shall pass it with two-thirds majority in its next session. This decision by the House of Elders, the body of the House of Elders, will be promulgated once endorsement by the President is achieved.

Lower House Speaker Abdul Rauf Rahmani termed the decision of the House of Elders as legal. He said the issue had been shared in the meetings by the heads of commissions and other bodies as well as by the public, excluding the subject from the debate. He said 75 members of the House had demanded the issue not to be made part of the agenda while 36 lawmakers were against the subject to be made part of the agenda.

The controversial census law has reached the Afghan Parliament with a presidential legislative decree amending Article six of the law. The Afghan Senate also approved it, while the Mazar-e-Sharif Jirga has approved it, while the Mesharano Jirga has rejected it, which means it is not included in the agenda. In the past, some laws were approved by the joint commissions, in which case at least one of the members were not present.

Kazakhstani President Kassym-Jomart Tokayev, a lawmaker from Almaty province, said the meeting of the joint commission was scheduled to be held 100 days after its formation and the issue should be included in the agenda.

"The joint commission discuss and approved the law for a unanimous decision, a joint commission comprised of an equal number of members from each House is formed to solve the difference," he said.

He added 75 members of the house of the parliament, most of the time there were not the six members, but insufficient votes led to not be informed in time.

Abdul Sami Tokhi, deputy head of Mine Owners Union, expressed concern over growing insecurity on the Chaman border. He said most of the investors had withdrawn their capitals due to insecurity.

He pointed to the 40,000 people, working in marble sector, would lose their jobs if insecurity continued.

Governor’s spokesman Jilani Farhad said investigation into reported attacks had been launched and strict measures will be taken to prevent such incidents in future.

Sharif Sheriff chiefof staff about the Chaman border road became insecure during night and there was no problem at daytime. He added at night time when telecommunication services were suspended, goods trucks were stuck on the other side of the border for two weeks.

A spokesman for the governor of Takhar province, Niamatullah Teomor, also confirmed the crossing point’s reopening and said: “We have sent a letter to the Ministry of Atta Mohammad Noor as Balkh provincial governor to the Article six was illegal, it should be allowed to use the Constitution otherwise, has long acted as a ma-

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"We deeply saddened by the loss of one of our own," said General John Nicholson, commander, U.S. Forces – Afghanistan. "At this difficult time our heartfelt sympathies go out to the families and friends of our fallen and wounded brothers.

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