Meshrano Jirga Demands Probe into Baghlan Massacre

KABUL - The Meshrano Jirga on Sunday criticized sending 300 American soldiers to southern Helmand province and demanded investigation into civilian deaths in southern Baghlan province.

The upper house also condemned the killing of demobilized military personnel and the arrest of Layal Anjuman, daughter of Abdul Rashid Anjuman.

The Meshrano Jirga also demanded answers to the following questions:

1. Why the government has not arrested the perpetrators of the shooting?
2. Why the government has not deployed the security forces to the area?
3. Why information has not been collected from the site of the crime?
4. Why information has not been collected from the witnesses?
5. Why the government has not conducted a proper investigation?
6. Why the government has not taken any action against the perpetrators?

The Jirga also demanded urgent probe into the Baghlan incident, which they called as barbaric. Abdulla Abduh, Meshrano Jirga secretary, believed Daesh was involved in the attack.

The government has deployed the Afghan National Police (ANP) in the eastern zone of the country and multilateral officials and syndicates of being in the eastern areas.

Ulema Calls on People to Stand against Daesh

According to NEPA, unpaved roads and the use of low quality fuel are two of the key reasons for the pollution.

The Afghan people are urged to eliminate Daesh in the country and urged people to stand against the terrorist group.

The religious scholars said Daesh activities are against Islam values and urged security forces to eliminate Daesh in the country.

CEO Urged to Prevent Kunar Forest Cutting

SHEBERGHAN - A number of local officials, in an open letter to the Afghan government, urged the Kunar provincial government to prevent timber smuggling.

The activists accused the provincial government of not taking any action against the illegal logging.

77 Insurgents Killed, Wounded in Operations in 16 Provinces

The Afghan National Army (ANA) and security forces launched 23 counter-terrorism joint operations in the past 24 hours to clear some of the areas of insurgents, the Ministry of Interior (MI) said in a statement Sunday.

The operations were conducted in Nangarhar, Kunar, Laghman, Panjshir, Logar, Ghazni, Kander, and Uruzgan provinces.

The ministry said 35 Afghan soldiers were killed and 32 others were wounded. Also, during these operations, Afghan National Police discovered and confiscated 15,000 rounds of ammunition.

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The National Procurement Authority (NPA) acting on behalf of the Ministry of Finance, Islamic Republic of Afghanistan, (hereafter referred as purchaser) now invites sealed bids from eligible and qualified bidders for the "Procurement of Sound System with Conference Equipment for Khyber Hall – MoA for IFB No. NPA/MoF/96/ICBG-149/REBID". Bidding will be conducted through the International Competitive Bidding (ICB) procedures specified in the Afghanistan Procurement Law.

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Pre bid meeting will be held at or before: 09:00 am on 30th Jan 2017–Ministry of Finance–President Watt Kabul Afghanistan.

All bids must be accompanied by a Bid Security of the amount shall be 12,000 USD or an equivalent amount in a freely convertible currency.

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