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Addressing a private sector side event in the Swiss capital Geneva on Tuesday, Afghanistan’s President Ashraf Ghani said that his administration has created the legal structure for the mining sector in the country.

He said that Afghanistan’s natural resources can play a vital role in dealing with poverty and instability in the country: “To deal with poverty and instability on one side, but prosperity and empowerment on the other, the other side of the equation is our natural resources. Our natural resources are estimated to be worth one trillion dollars.”

KABUL - The Independent Election Commission (IEC) has announced the Wolesi Jirga elections preliminary results of central Parwan province.

IEC head Abdul Aziz Humayoon Harirod has received 14,491 votes

Mir Rahman Rahmani has received 10,658 votes

Sidiq Ahmad

KABUL - The Global Partnership for Education has approved $100 million grant for Afghanistan in a bid to increase equitable access to basic education in the country, particularly for girls in provinces that lag behind.

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