Embassy of India Kabul

KAB/815/02/06 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. In the aftermath of widespread violence in Kabul on 29 May 06, the security situation in Kabul city remains uncertain.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian national to take necessary security precautions and restrict movements to minimum essentials only in the coming days.

Embassy of India Kabul

KAB/815/02/06 (i)

June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. Four staff members (one male and three females) of an NGO were killed by terrorists in Mingajig district of Jawzjan province on 30 May 06.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian national to take necessary security precautions and have minimum essential movements in Northern region.

KAB/815/02/06 04 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. One staff of an NGO was killed by terrorists in Baghlan-e-Jadid district of Baghlan province on 02 June 06.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian national to take necessary security precautions while travelling on Pul-e-Khumri Kunduz road particularly in the vicinity of Baghlan and restrict movement to minimum essential only.

KAB/815/02/06 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. On 12 June 06 at 2100 hrs, one staff member of a NGO working in a health clinic in Farahrood area, Balabuluk district of Farah province was kidnapped by unknown perpetrators. After two days, the staff member was released unharmed. The motive behind the kidnapping is not clear and no one claimed responsibility. This is the second kidnapping against this NGO's staff. The first one happened in Bakwa district on 31 July 2005 wherein two staff members were kidnapped and subsequently killed; their bodies were found on 04 December 2005. Anti Govt elements (AGE) activities in the area have increased.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian nationals to avoid Farah province and restrict movements in the Balabuluk districts of Farah province. However, if movement is essential, Indian nationals should consider using cars with no distinctive markings and features identifying them as Indian workers.

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June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. Following an altercation, a shootout occurred between an Afghan trader and three Nepalese security guards on 15 June 06 in area Charahai Sarsabzi, District 4, Kabul. This resulted in killing of the trader and one Nepalese security guard. This incident took place in an isolated area.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian nationals to restrict visiting isolated areas and less populated bazaars in Kabul city. Due to ongoing abduction threats against internationals in Kabul city, all Indian nationals are advised to exercise extra caution when moving in the city and stay well clear of military facilities and convoys.

Embassy of India Kabul

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17 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. On 15 June 06, at about 0200 hrs militants using RPG and small arms attacked a police station in Dawlatabad district centre of Faryab province. No casualties or injuries were reported. Additional forces have been dispatched to the area to reinforce security and support the police in the area.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian nationals operating in the region to use caution while using Andkhoy Maymana main road and avoid any movement after dark.

KAB/815/02/06 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. An influential Mahaz-e-Mili commander Akhtar Ibrahim Khil, his son, bodyguard and a driver were arrested during a search operation by national military forces in Hil Abad village, Charbolak district, Balkh province on 18 June 06. The arrested persons were later shifted to Kabul. Supporters of the arrested commander may react against the Central Govt for his release. The possible reaction may be demonstration / protest on Mazar- Sheberghan main road and violence in the district.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian nationals to exercise caution while operating in the Charbolak district, restrict movement on Mazar Sheberghan main road over the next few days as also avoid any gathering / demonstrations in Mazar city.

KAB/815/02/06 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. On 19 June 06, at about 0100 hrs militants fired four rockets at district HQ in Du Aba Village, Nuristan, Nuristan Province. One of the rockets landed on an INGO field office and damaged the office vehicle. INGO field office was not the primary target of the rocket attack. Unintended collateral damage due to stray rocket fire cannot be ruled out.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian nationals to have blast film on their windows as well as fire fighting and first aid equipment ready in their compounds. Further, all should know how to use this equipment effectively.

KAB/815/02/06 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. On 23 June 06, at about 0830 hrs three international personnel were robbed at gunpoint in area Bibi Mahru hill, close to the old swimming pool, District 10, Kabul city by two Afghan Anti Govt Elements (AGE). The internationals were robbed of about \$1500 and two cameras. There have been 3-4 robberies of internationals at the same location in the last few weeks.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all Indian nationals to avoid walking in isolated spots of the city. Due to ongoing abduction threats against internationals in Kabul city, all Indian nationals are advised to exercise extra caution when moving in the city and stay well clear of military facilities and convoys.

KAB/815/01/06 June 2006

SECURITY ADVISORY

- 1. On 28 June 06, at about 1030 hrs a USPI convoy was hit by an IED at Km 17, Kandahar. No casualties reported. Canadian PRT responded to the incident and are conducting an investigation.
- 2. Embassy of India advises all staff at CGI Kandahar to restrict travel for at least 24 hours in the area Km 12, Kandahar bridge to the West end of Maiwand.