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KFOR realized a new drainage system in the village of Banje in Skenderaj Municipality.

Commander KFOR, General Erhard Bühler, in the framework of the activities conducted by KFOR in the benefit and for the improvement of the living conditions for all people living in Kosovo, decided to rearrange the existing ditch beside a road in the village of Banje. A drainage system, as well as a better water supply flow for several grain mills present in the Village in the Skenderaj Municipality, were realized.

The primary need was represented by the road in really poor conditions. That road, initially an asphalted one, was damaged due to the water running on its surface for the over flooded creek from the mountain. The second problem was the consequent loss of power to the grain mills supply, due to not proper trenches, not able to supply sufficiently the grain mills.

The works in Banje were executed in accordance with all the technical requirements by KFOR engineer team and they consisted in inserting a pipe at a creek junction, in order to ensure that the water flow will lead to the grain mill located in the village, 200 m lower than that point and in the cleaning of the drainage pipe from sediments and waste.

After the conclusion of the works, the villagers, instructed by KFOR Joint Regional Detachment personnel, will be responsible for the regular maintenance plan, with the aim to keep the road and the drainage pipes clean from natural mud and sediments.