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FACT SHEET

Equipping and Sustaining the Afghan National Army (ANA) NATO-ANA Trust Fund - April 2010

Created in 2007, the NATO-ANA Trust Fund provides a mechanism for ISAF nations to support the following activities:

- transportation and installation costs for equipment donations by ISAF nations to the ANA;
- purchase of ANA equipment and services for engineering infrastructure projects;
- in-and out-of-country training.

In March 2009 the scope of the ANA Trust Fund was expanded to support the long-term sustainment of the ANA.

The sustainment part of the ANA Trust Fund is estimated to require annual financial support of 1.8 billion USD for 134,000-strong ANA. The sustainment requirement for 171,600 ANA force structure that was approved by JCMB in January 2010 is under analysis. The Fund will help pay for salaries and other costs, complementing separate support from the United States, which concentrates on initial build-up of the force (ammunition, uniforms, training, as well as the construction and maintenance of security infrastructures). The US-led efforts totalled 7 billion USD in 2009.

Contributions in Euros since 2007 (as of 15 April 2010)		Pledges in Euros (as of 15 April 2010)	
Bulgaria Czech Republic Denmark Estonia Finland Germany Italy Japan Lithuania Luxembourg Netherlands Norway Slovenia Spain Sweden Turkey United Kingdom	160,000 284,404 2,250,000 50,000 1,100,000 50,000,000 1,100,000 8,476,450 40,000 9,726,000 22,600,000 16,429,919 230,000 4,000,000 860,163 1,500,000 4,540,006	Australia Italy Switzerland	150,000,000 1,000,000 (TBC) 130,000
TOTAL:	123,346,942 Euro	TOTAL	151,130,000 Euro

Additional background information on the ANA Trust Fund can be found at: www.nato.int/isaf/topics/ana/index.html