



NATO TRAINING MISSION - AFGHANISTAN  
COMBINED SECURITY TRANSITION COMMAND - AFGHANISTAN  
KABUL, AFGHANISTAN  
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REPLY TO  
ATTENTION OF:

4 April 2011

Commanding General

General Vlastimil Picek  
Chief of the General Staff of the  
Armed Forces of the Czech Republic  
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Dear General Picek:

Thank you for the 10 police trainers that recently arrived at the National Police Training Center (NPTC) in Wardak Afghanistan. The National Police Training Center in Wardak is the flagship training center for the Afghan National Police. In this capacity, NPTC Wardak will be the model for other police training centers. Your 15 trainers, with their French, Portuguese and Romanian colleges, will play a key role in developing the capability of the Afghan National Police to train their own personnel across all of Afghanistan, this is a critical step toward irreversible transition.

Over the next 12 months the Afghan National Civil Order Police (ANCOP) will be trained at NPTC Wardak. This is the key response force for Afghan National Security Services and the elite force of the Afghan National Police. Because of the ANCOP's response mission your military police are well suited to train them. We are pleased to have the high caliber police of the Czech Military Police training these officers. We are pleased to have them join the 18 Air Advisors who are already doing a fantastic job here in NTM-A.

Thank you again for the Czech Republic's important contributions to this international effort. We remain committed to our cooperative efforts as we build a more secure Afghanistan.

Sincerely,

WILLIAM B. CALDWELL, IV  
Lieutenant General, US Army  
Commanding

cf:

General David H. Petraeus  
Commander, International Security Assistance Force/  
United States Forces-Afghanistan