

Putting Radio Afghanistan on the Air

The national radio station of Afghanistan, Radio Afghanistan, began broadcasting nationwide in early June 2002 with USAID's technical and financial support. A satellite terminal has been installed at Radio Afghanistan, linking Radio Afghanistan's signal to shortwave transmitters that broadcast the station's programs throughout Afghanistan.



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Before

Damaged satellite dish at Radio Afghanistan's broadcast facilities in Kabul.

After

USAID Mission Director Craig Buck shakes hands with participants at a ceremony inaugurating the rebirth of Radio Afghanistan. In the background are radio transmission dishes provided with assistance from USAID.



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