



Independence Day Korea 15 August 2011



Today, the 15th of August marks Independence Day for our friends from the Republic of Korea.

On this special occasion your teammates in NTM-A send our salute to you our Korean colleagues.

While we know it would be wonderful, for you, to be at home with your family and friends on Independence Day, your teammates here in Afghanistan are honored to have you on our team.

Our international partnership is stronger with you as a member.

Our common bond is to help our Afghan partner's transition to a land of safety provided by the Afghan National Security Force. You are a welcome part of that effort.

We wish you all the best and continued success as you fulfill your duties on the NTM-A Team.

Happy Independence Day.

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