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*U.S. trade in goods with Afghanistan NOTE: All figures are in millions of U.S. dollars on a nominal basis, not seasonally adjusted unless otherwise specified.*

The agreement shall state: Any of the terms of the agreement of merger or consolidation may be made dependent upon facts ascertainable outside of such agreement, provided that the manner in which such facts shall operate upon the terms of the agreement is clearly and expressly set forth in the agreement of merger or consolidation. The term "facts," as used in the preceding sentence, includes, but is not limited to, the occurrence of any event, including a determination or action by any person or body, including the corporation. The notice shall contain a copy of the agreement or a brief summary thereof. At the meeting, the agreement shall be considered and a vote taken for its adoption or rejection. If a majority of the outstanding stock of the corporation entitled to vote thereon shall be voted for the adoption of the agreement, that fact shall be certified on the agreement by the secretary or assistant secretary of the corporation, provided that such certification on the agreement shall not be required if a certificate of merger or consolidation is filed in lieu of filing the agreement. No vote of stockholders of a constituent corporation shall be necessary to authorize a merger or consolidation if no shares of the stock of such corporation shall have been issued prior to the adoption by the board of directors of the resolution approving the agreement of merger or consolidation. If an agreement of merger is adopted by the constituent corporation surviving the merger, by action of its board of directors and without any vote of its stockholders pursuant to this subsection, the secretary or assistant secretary of that corporation shall certify on the agreement that the agreement has been adopted pursuant to this subsection and, 1 if it has been adopted pursuant to the first sentence of this subsection, that the conditions specified in that sentence have been satisfied, or 2 if it has been adopted pursuant to the second sentence of this subsection, that no shares of stock of such corporation were issued prior to the adoption by the board of directors of the resolution approving the agreement of merger or consolidation, provided that such certification on the agreement shall not be required if a certificate of merger or consolidation is filed in lieu of filing the agreement. Such filing shall constitute a representation by the person who executes the agreement that the facts stated in the certificate remain true immediately prior to such filing. The term "organizational documents", as used in paragraph g 7 of this section and in the preceding sentence, shall, when used in reference to a corporation, mean the certificate of incorporation of such corporation, and when used in reference to a limited liability company, mean the limited liability company agreement of such limited liability company. As used in this subsection only, the term "holding company" means a corporation which, from its incorporation until consummation of a merger governed by this subsection, was at all times a direct or indirect wholly-owned subsidiary of the constituent corporation and whose capital stock is issued in such merger. From and after the effective time of a merger adopted by a constituent corporation by action of its board of directors and without any vote of stockholders pursuant to this subsection: If an agreement of merger is adopted by a constituent corporation by action of its board of directors and without any vote of stockholders pursuant to this subsection, the secretary or assistant secretary of the constituent corporation shall certify on the agreement that the agreement has been adopted pursuant to this subsection and that the conditions specified in the first sentence of this subsection have been satisfied, provided that such certification on the agreement shall not be required if a certificate of merger or consolidation is filed in lieu of filing the agreement. Permits or requires such merger to be effected under this subsection; and b. Provides that such merger shall be effected as soon as practicable following the consummation of the offer referred to in paragraph h 2 of this section if such merger is effected under this subsection; 2 A corporation consummates an offer for all of the outstanding stock of such constituent corporation on the terms provided in such agreement of merger that, absent this subsection, would be entitled to vote on the adoption or rejection of the agreement of merger; provided, however, that such offer may be conditioned on the tender of a minimum number or percentage of shares of the stock of such constituent corporation, or of any class or series thereof, and such offer may exclude any excluded stock and provided further that the corporation may consummate separate

offers for separate classes or series of the stock of such constituent corporation; a. If an agreement of merger is adopted without the vote of stockholders of a corporation pursuant to this subsection, the secretary or assistant secretary of the surviving corporation shall certify on the agreement that the agreement has been adopted pursuant to this subsection and that the conditions specified in this subsection other than the condition listed in paragraph h 4 of this section have been satisfied; provided that such certification on the agreement shall not be required if a certificate of merger is filed in lieu of filing the agreement. The constituent corporations may merge into a single surviving corporation, which may be any 1 of the constituent corporations, or they may consolidate into a new resulting corporation formed by the consolidation, which may be a corporation of the jurisdiction of organization of any 1 of the constituent corporations, pursuant to an agreement of merger or consolidation, as the case may be, complying and approved in accordance with this section. Process may be served upon the Secretary of State under this subsection by means of electronic transmission but only as prescribed by the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State is authorized to issue such rules and regulations with respect to such service as the Secretary of State deems necessary or appropriate. In the event of such service upon the Secretary of State in accordance with this subsection, the Secretary of State shall forthwith notify such surviving or resulting corporation thereof by letter, directed to such surviving or resulting corporation at its address so specified, unless such surviving or resulting corporation shall have designated in writing to the Secretary of State a different address for such purpose, in which case it shall be mailed to the last address so designated. Such letter shall be sent by a mail or courier service that includes a record of mailing or deposit with the courier and a record of delivery evidenced by the signature of the recipient. Such letter shall enclose a copy of the process and any other papers served on the Secretary of State pursuant to this subsection. The Secretary of State shall maintain an alphabetical record of any such service setting forth the name of the plaintiff and the defendant, the title, docket number and nature of the proceeding in which process has been served, the fact that service has been effected pursuant to this subsection, the return date thereof, and the day and hour service was made. The Secretary of State shall not be required to retain such information longer than 5 years from receipt of the service of process. Any of the terms of the resolution of the board of directors to so merge may be made dependent upon facts ascertainable outside of such resolution, provided that the manner in which such facts shall operate upon the terms of the resolution is clearly and expressly set forth in the resolution. If the surviving corporation is a foreign corporation: Section of this title shall not apply to any merger effected under this section, except as provided in subsection d of this section. The term "stockholder" as used in this section, includes every member of such joint-stock association or holder of a share of stock or other evidence of financial or beneficial interest therein. Such corporation or corporations and such 1 or more joint-stock associations may merge into a single surviving corporation or joint-stock association, which may be any 1 of such corporations or joint-stock associations, or they may consolidate into a new resulting corporation of this State or a joint-stock association, pursuant to an agreement of merger or consolidation, as the case may be, complying and approved in accordance with this section. The surviving or resulting entity may be organized for profit or not organized for profit, and if the surviving or resulting entity is a corporation, it may be a stock corporation of this State or a nonstock corporation of this State. Where the surviving or resulting entity is a corporation, for purposes of the laws of this State, the personal liability, if any, of any stockholder of a joint-stock association existing at the time of such merger or consolidation shall not thereby be extinguished, shall remain personal to such stockholder and shall not become the liability of any subsequent transferee of any share of stock in such surviving or resulting corporation or of any other stockholder of such surviving or resulting corporation. At the meeting the agreement shall be considered and a vote, in person or by proxy, taken for the adoption or rejection of the agreement. If the agreement is adopted by a majority of the members of each such corporation entitled to vote for the election of the members of the governing body of the corporation and any other members entitled to vote on the merger under the certificate of incorporation or the bylaws of such corporation, then that fact shall be certified on the agreement by the officer of each such corporation performing the duties ordinarily performed by the secretary or assistant secretary of a corporation, provided that such certification on the agreement shall not be required if a certificate of merger or consolidation is filed in lieu of filing the agreement. The constituent corporations may

merge into a single surviving corporation, which may be any 1 of the constituent corporations, or they may consolidate into a new resulting nonstock corporation formed by the consolidation, which may be a corporation of the jurisdiction of organization of any 1 of the constituent corporations, pursuant to an agreement of merger or consolidation, as the case may be, complying and approved in accordance with this section. The term "foreign nonstock corporation" means a nonstock corporation organized under the laws of any jurisdiction other than this State. In the event of such service upon the Secretary of State in accordance with this subsection, the Secretary of State shall forthwith notify such surviving or resulting corporation thereof by letter, directed to such corporation at its address so specified, unless such surviving or resulting corporation shall have designated in writing to the Secretary of State a different address for such purpose, in which case it shall be mailed to the last address so designated. Such letter shall enclose a copy of the process and any other papers served upon the Secretary of State. The Secretary of State shall maintain an alphabetical record of any such service setting forth the name of the plaintiff and defendant, the title, docket number and nature of the proceeding in which process has been served upon the Secretary of State, the fact that service has been effected pursuant to this subsection, the return date thereof, and the day and hour when the service was made. The Secretary of State shall not be required to retain such information for a period longer than 5 years from receipt of the service of process.

**Chapter 2 : Trade with CARs | Business Recorder**

*05 13 Press Release Afghanistan Government and Partners sign Historic Declaration based on new study to save thousands of women and child lives (English) [PDF, kb].*

Those early Taliban were motivated by the suffering among the Afghan people, which they believed resulted from power struggles between Afghan groups not adhering to the moral code of Islam; in their religious schools they had been taught a belief in strict Islamic law. Pakistan, however, started to provide stronger military support to the Taliban. The Taliban leadership fled into Pakistan. There was no running water, little electricity, few telephones, functioning roads or regular energy supplies. Basic necessities like water, food, housing and others were in desperately short supply. A full quarter of all children died before they reached their fifth birthday, a rate several times higher than most other developing countries. With one million plus deaths during the years of war, the number of families headed by widows had reached 98, by In Kabul, where vast portions of the city had been devastated from rocket attacks, more than half of its 1. The Mazar, Herat, and Shomali valley offensives displaced more than three-quarters of a million civilians, using " scorched earth " tactics to prevent them from supplying the enemy with aid. We Muslims believe God the Almighty will feed everybody one way or another. If the foreign NGOs leave then it is their decision. We have not expelled them. Since the creation of the Taliban, the ISI and the Pakistani military have given financial, logistical and military support. Of the estimated 28, Pakistani nationals fighting in Afghanistan, 8, were militants recruited in madrassas filling regular Taliban ranks. A document by the U. State Department confirms that "20â€”40 percent of [regular] Taliban soldiers are Pakistani. State Department report and reports by Human Rights Watch, the other Pakistani nationals fighting in Afghanistan were regular Pakistani soldiers, especially from the Frontier Corps but also from the army providing direct combat support. Dostum has said the reason the attack was successful was due to Pakistani commandos taking part and that the Pakistani air force also gave support. The same year, Russia said Pakistan was responsible for the "military expansion" of the Taliban in northern Afghanistan by sending large numbers of Pakistani troops, some of whom had subsequently been taken as prisoners by the anti-Taliban United Front. The UN secretary-general implicitly criticized Pakistan for its military support and the Security Council stated it was "deeply distress[ed] over reports of involvement in the fighting, on the Taliban side, of thousands of non-Afghan nationals". In July , several countries, including the United States, accused Pakistan of being "in violation of U. The Taliban also obtained financial resources from Pakistan. Ahmad Shah Massoud and Abdul Rashid Dostum , former enemies, created the United Front Northern Alliance against the Taliban that were preparing offensives against the remaining areas under the control of Massoud and those under the control of Dostum. After longstanding battles, especially for the northern city of Mazar-i-Sharif , Abdul Rashid Dostum and his Junbish forces were defeated by the Taliban and their allies in Dostum subsequently went into exile. Ahmad Shah Massoud remained the only major anti-Taliban leader inside Afghanistan who was able to defend vast parts of his territory against the Taliban. In the area of Massoud, women and girls did not have to wear the Afghan burqa. They were allowed to work and to go to school. In at least two known instances, Massoud personally intervened against cases of forced marriage. It is our conviction and we believe that both men and women are created by the Almighty. Both have equal rights. Women can pursue an education, women can pursue a career, and women can play a role in society â€” just like men. He says that "the cultural environment of the country suffocates women. But the Taliban exacerbate this with oppression. From Warrior to Statesman Afghan traditions would need a generation or more to overcome and could only be challenged by education, he said. Humayun Tandar, who took part as an Afghan diplomat in the International Conference on Afghanistan in Bonn, said that "strictures of language, ethnicity, region were [also] stifling for Massoud. Please, tell us the prayer before lunch or dinner in your own language. He explained in one interview: But at what cost?! The difference between us concerns mainly our way of thinking about the very principles of the society and the state. We can not accept their conditions of compromise, or else we would have to give up the principles of modern democracy. We are fundamentally against the system called "the Emirate of Afghanistan".

### Chapter 3 : US Drops 8 Spots in UN's Global Ranking of Development (VIDEO)

*The impact of the trade war on China's economy, thus far, seems minimal - and, oddly, looks to be the opposite of what you might expect. Chinese exports continued to grow nearly 10 percent year-to-year in August, down slightly from percent growth in July.*

### Chapter 4 : Taliban - Wikipedia

*a free trade zone encompassing the United States, Canada, and Mexico since Organization of Petroleum Exporting Countries (OPEC) most prominent cartel, members control 1/2 of the world's total oil exports, significantly affect the price of oil.*

### Chapter 5 : Afghanistan Consumer Price Index (CPI) | | Data | Chart

*The U.S. goods trade deficit with Iraq was \$ billion in According to the Department of Commerce, U.S. exports of goods to Iraq supported an estimated 11 thousand jobs in (latest data available).*

### Chapter 6 : Should the Bengals trade for a backup quarterback?

*On January 11, , the Office of the United States Trade Representative (USTR) posted on its website the Out of Cycle Review of Notorious [www.nxgvision.com](http://www.nxgvision.com) report overview section states that.*

### Chapter 7 : Why Is The US In Afghanistan Today? A Look At Bush's Promises 15 Years Later

*Consumer Price Index Cpi in Afghanistan remained unchanged at Index Points in August from Index Points in July of Consumer Price Index Cpi in Afghanistan averaged Index Points from until , reaching an all time high of Index Points in January of and a.*

### Chapter 8 : War in Afghanistan

*US Drops 8 Spots In UN's Global Ranking Of Development. Soybeans Are A Huge Casualty In The US-China Trade War. Taliban Has Gained More Control Of Afghanistan In Past 3 Years.*

### Chapter 9 : US " USTR releases Out of Cycle Review of Notorious Markets

*The War in Afghanistan (or the U.S. War in Afghanistan; code named Operation Enduring Freedom - Afghanistan ()) and Operation Freedom's Sentinel (present)) followed the United States invasion of Afghanistan of 7 October*