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SIGAR’s enabling legislation requires it to keep the Secretary of State and the Secretary of Defense fully informed about problems relating to the administration of Afghanistan reconstruction programs, and to submit a report to Congress on SIGAR’s oversight work and on the status of the U.S. reconstruction effort no later than 30 days after the end of each fiscal quarter. The statute also instructs SIGAR to include, to the extent possible, relevant matters from the end of the quarter up to the submission date of its report.

Each quarter, SIGAR requests updates from other agencies on completed and ongoing oversight activities. This section compiles these updates. Copies of completed reports are posted on the agencies’ respective public websites.

The descriptions appear as submitted, with minor changes to maintain consistency with other sections of this report: acronyms and abbreviations in place of full names; standardized capitalization, punctuation, and preferred spellings; and third-person instead of first-person construction.

These agencies perform oversight activities in Afghanistan and provide results to SIGAR:

- Department of Defense Office of Inspector General (DOD OIG)
- Department of State Office of Inspector General (State OIG)
- Government Accountability Office (GAO)
- U.S. Army Audit Agency (USAAA)
- U.S. Agency for International Development Office of Inspector General (USAID OIG)
COMPLETED OVERSIGHT ACTIVITIES

Table 4.1 lists the three oversight reports related to Afghanistan reconstruction that participating agencies completed this quarter.

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U.S. Department of Defense Office of Inspector General

During this quarter, DOD OIG released three reports related to Afghanistan reconstruction.

Evaluation of Force Protection Screening, Vetting, and Biometric Operations in Afghanistan

The results of this evaluation are classified.

Evaluation of Weather Support Capabilities for the MQ-9 Reaper

Between FY 2010 and FY 2016, the U.S. Air Force spent $17.7 million in Overseas Contingency Operations funding to develop enhanced weather support capabilities for the MQ-9 Reaper. However, the Air Force A2I never validated the requirement for the capabilities, which were later determined to be not needed, and the capabilities were never delivered. As a result, the Air Force wasted $17.7 million in Overseas Contingency Operations funds to develop a capability that was never delivered.

Evaluation of DOD Efforts to Counter Small Unmanned Aircraft Systems

The results of this evaluation are classified.

U.S. Department of State Office of Inspector General-Middle East Regional Operations

State OIG completed no reports related to Afghanistan reconstruction this quarter.

Government Accountability Office

GAO completed no reports related to Afghanistan reconstruction this quarter.
U.S. Army Audit Agency
The USAAA completed no audits related to Afghanistan reconstruction this quarter.

USAID OIG completed no audits related to Afghanistan reconstruction this quarter.

ONGOING OVERSIGHT ACTIVITIES
As of March 31, 2020, the participating agencies reported 19 ongoing oversight activities related to reconstruction in Afghanistan. These activities are listed in Table 4.2 and described in the following sections by agency.

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U.S. Department of Defense Office of Inspector General
DOD OIG has 10 ongoing projects this quarter that relate to reconstruction or security operations in Afghanistan.

Evaluation of the Operational Support Capabilities of Naval Support Activity Bahrain Waterfront Facilities
DOD OIG is determining whether the Ship Maintenance Support Facility and Mina Salman Pier, which the U.S. Navy accepted in 2019, meet the operational requirements of the U.S. Navy. Specifically, DOD OIG is determining whether the Ship Maintenance Support Facility meets staging and laydown requirements, and whether the Mina Salman Pier meets berthing requirements for homeported and deployed vessels.

DOD OIG is determining whether U.S. Central Command is prepared to defend critical assets within its area of responsibility against missile and unmanned aircraft system threats.

Audit of the Air Force Remotely Piloted Aircraft Operations and Maintenance Contract
DOD OIG is determining whether the U.S. Air Force’s oversight and management of the Remotely Piloted Aircraft Operations and Maintenance contract ensured that the contractor complied with contractually required maintenance procedures and performance requirements.

Evaluation of Combatant Command Counter Threat Finance Activities

Audit of the Coalition Partner Reimbursement of Logistics Civil Augmentation Program Services in Afghanistan
DOD OIG is determining whether DOD properly calculated, requested, and received reimbursement from Coalition partners in Afghanistan for Logistics Support, Services, and Supplies provided under the Logistics Civil Augmentation Program contract.

Evaluation of DOD Processes to Counter Radio Controlled Improvised Explosive Devices
The objectives for this DOD OIG evaluation are For Official Use Only.
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Audit of Management of Pharmaceutical Inventories in Support of Overseas Contingency Operations
DOD OIG is determining whether the military services properly stored, tracked, and safeguarded pharmaceuticals at their overseas locations supporting overseas contingency operations.

Audit of the Core Inventory Management System Implementation
DOD OIG is determining whether DOD’s implementation of the Core Inventory Management System improved weapons and vehicle accountability.

Evaluation of U.S. Central Command’s (CENTCOM) Kinetic Targeting Processes and Reporting Procedures
DOD OIG is evaluating CENTCOM’s target development and prosecution processes, as well as post-strike collateral damage and civilian casualty assessment activities.

Audit of the Army Contracting Command-Afghanistan’s Policies and Procedures for Contingency Contracting Risks
DOD OIG is determining whether the Army Contracting Command-Afghanistan’s award and administration of contracts mitigate contingency contracting risks, such as nonperformance and improper payments specific to Afghanistan.

U.S. Department of State Office of Inspector General-Middle East Regional Operations
State OIG has four ongoing projects this quarter related to Afghanistan reconstruction.

Review of the Afghan Special Immigrant Visa Program
This audit will review the Afghan Special Immigrant Visa Program.

Audit of the Food Services Task Order Under the Afghanistan Life Support Services Contract
The audit will examine the food-services task order under the Afghanistan Life Support Services contract.

Audit of the Approach Used to Adjust the Size and Composition of Missions Afghanistan and Iraq
The audit will examine the procedures used by the State Department in adjusting the size and composition of U.S. embassies in Afghanistan and Iraq.
Audit of Global Engagement Center’s Execution of its Mandate to Coordinate Federal Government Efforts to Counter Disinformation and Propaganda Designed to Undermine the United States

This is an audit of the Global Engagement Center’s execution of its mission to coordinate U.S. government efforts to counter disinformation and propaganda against the United States in a number of countries, including Afghanistan.

Government Accountability Office
GAO has two ongoing projects this quarter related to Afghanistan reconstruction.

Advise and Assist Mission in Afghanistan
In August 2017, the President announced a new South Asia strategy that was accompanied by an increase of U.S. and North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) troops in Afghanistan to support renewed efforts to advise and assist Afghan forces in the NATO Resolute Support Mission.

As part of the increase, the U.S. Army deployed a Security Force Assistance Brigade (SFAB), a new unit created in October 2016 to advise and assist foreign military forces, including the Afghan National Defense and Security Forces (ANDSF). Development of ANDSF has been a central element of successive U.S. strategies in Afghanistan.

GAO will review the extent to which DOD, in conjunction with NATO, has defined advisor team missions, goals, and objectives, and the extent to which advisors were trained and equipped for their specific missions in Afghanistan. GAO will also review the ability of the Army’s SFAB to meet current and future advisor requirements in Afghanistan and elsewhere; what adjustments, if any, are being made to the manning, training and equipping, and deployment of the second and third SFABs; and any other issues the Comptroller General determines appropriate with respect to the advise and assist mission in Afghanistan.

Afghanistan Reconstruction Projects—Waste, Fraud, and Abuse
The U.S. government has funded numerous reconstruction projects in Afghanistan since September 2001. Costs for U.S. military, diplomatic, and reconstruction and relief operations have exceeded $500 billion, and GAO has issued about 90 reports focused in whole or in part on Afghanistan since that time. GAO received a request to review past work assessing reconstruction efforts in Afghanistan and identify the dollar value of any waste, fraud, or abuse uncovered during the course of those reviews.

GAO will review prior work conducted on reconstruction efforts in Afghanistan that identified waste, fraud, and abuse, and will assess the
overall dollar amount of waste, fraud, and abuse uncovered through these efforts.

**U.S. Army Audit Agency**

This quarter, the USAAA has one ongoing report related to Afghanistan reconstruction.

**Reach-Back Contracting Support and Expeditionary Contracting Material Weakness**

The USAAA is currently working on preparing a draft report addressing reach-back support related to expeditionary contracting within the U.S. Army’s Expedition Contracting Command (ECC).

The objectives of this audit are to determine whether the Army has an effective plan, procedures, and organizational structure in place to directly provide contracting support during contingency/expeditionary operations. No work on this audit was done in Afghanistan, but the results could have an impact because ECC provides reach-back support related to contracting in Afghanistan.

**U.S. Agency for International Development Office of Inspector General**

This quarter, USAID OIG has two ongoing reports related to Afghanistan reconstruction.

**Audit of USAID/Afghanistan’s Risk Management and Project Prioritization**

The objectives of this audit are to determine to what extent USAID/Afghanistan has a risk-management process in place to identify and mitigate risks in the face of potential staff and program reductions that could impact its development programs; how programs recommended for reduction or elimination were determined; and what impact recommended changes would have on USAID/Afghanistan’s current and future programs and related risk management.

**Audit of USAID/Afghanistan’s New Development Partnership Follow-Up Audit of USAID’s Multi-Tiered Monitoring Strategy in Afghanistan**

The objectives of this audit are to determine the extent to which USAID has used its multi-tiered monitoring strategy in Afghanistan to manage projects and to serve as the basis for informed decision-making. The entrance conference was held August 9, 2017.