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## Islamic Emirate of Afghanistan Ministry for the Propagation of Virtue and the Prevention of Vice and Complaints Hearing Department of Information and Communication with Media

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Vice and virtue officers (Mohatsibs) are the preachers of religion and invite people to do decent and desirable deeds ethically. Maulavi Mohammad Yahya Aref, the head of the Education and Reform of the Ministry of Vice and Virtue and Complaints Hearing, met with the vice and virtue officers of the 8<sup>th</sup> security district and made a speech on the goals of Jihad and their activities in the security zones

Referring to the victory of Jihad against the invaders, Maulavi Arif said, "After expelling the invaders from the country, now the main goal is to implement the Islamic system and divine law in the country." Explaining the procedure of the vice and virtue, he asked them to cooperate with the people in the course of their duty, to be adorned with the ethics of the Holy Prophet Mohammad (PBUH), prevent disputes, and inform themselves and other mujahideen of the decrees and directives that come from the leadership of the Islamic Emirate, convey the virtues and principles of Jihad to the Mujahideen.

Addressing the vice and virtue officers, Maulavi Aref said, "Be gentle with people while performing your duties, advise the drivers of the cars to refrain from playing music, not to take women who are poorly dressed and without hijab in their cars, and not to take up women over distances of more than 78 kilometers. without any Muharram and stop during the prayer time while traveling." It is noteworthy; that the police of the 8<sup>th</sup> security district seized large amounts of alcoholic beverages, narcotics, and drugs, including hashish, heroin, glass, powder, and some anesthetic sprays, during their activities in the mentioned area and have obliged the transporters of the mentioned materials not to carry similar non-Islamic and illegal items in the future.

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