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Afghanistan Latest News

India has sent Humanitarian Assistance and Disaster Relief materials to Afghanistan, which is currently facing a difficult situation due to recent floods and earthquakes.

About Afghanistan

- **Location:** It is a **landlocked mountainous country** in Southern Asia.
- **Bordering Countries:** It is bordered by **India** (north east), **Pakistan** in the east and south; **Iran** in the west; **Turkmenistan**, **Uzbekistan** and **Tajikistan** in the north and **China** in the northeast.
- **Capital City:** Kabul

Geographical Features of Afghanistan

- **Climate:** It has hot summers and extremely cold winters which are typical in a semiarid steppe climate.
- **Mountain ranges:** It consists of **Hindu Kush**, **Pamir Mountains** in the northeast and Safed Koh range in the south.

- **Major rivers:** River Amu Darya, Helmand River, Kabul River
- **Highest Point:** Mt. Nowshak (7,485 m).
- **Natural Resources:** It mainly consists of coal, copper, natural gas, petroleum, gold, lithium, uranium, gold, rare earth elements.

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