

4 nat exchanges for Basra, Diwaniya,
Nassiriya and Karbala

50477 (T)	\$12.79M	Digital Microwave Links Inside Baghdad	PRIORITY
50478 (T)	\$17.4M	Digital Microwave Link Baghdad-Basra	PRIORITY
702131(T)	\$13.06M	1 exchange for 30.000 subscribers 22 exchanges for 5.000 subscribers each	

6. VEHICLES FREQUENTLY PLACED ON HOLD FOR DETAILS ON SPARE PARTS, TOOL KITS, ETC.

At least 10 applications worth total US\$142.82 for various types of vehicles have been placed on hold last week in various sectors, to include two applications for 3,500 Peugeot sedans (taxis). This particular category accounts for majority of holds last week (68%) and as such deserves attention and analysis.

Details of the applications in this group are given below. In many cases (marked with *) the holding mission specifically stated it did not object to the vehicles *per se* but lacks technical details on various spare parts, most commonly pumps and valves to be provided with the vehicles, as well as itemized lists for various “repair kits” and “special tools”. The latter probably stems from couple of instances when, upon checking, it was established that items listed as “special tools” contained laptop computers and sophisticated testing instruments. It would, therefore, be appreciated if the relevant authorities are informed that all “kits”, “sets”, etc. must be itemized in the application form/contract and detailed technical specifications (to include material composition and internal lining) for parts such as pumps and valves should be provided beforehand to minimize the chance of hold.

901397(T)*	\$41.36M	Trucks	Specs on pumps, repair kits
901034(A)*	\$30.46M	Loaders	Specs on all valves, pumps, kits
802693(Q)	\$17.97M	Stat. Wagon	Specs on special tools, computers
901443(Q)*	\$23.41M	Sedans	Specs on calculators, kits
901444(Q)	\$13.01M	Sedans	Specs on test eq, tool kits
901394(T)*	\$ 5.9M	Fuel Tankers	Pumps, repair kits
901423(T)	\$ 5.1M	Dump trucks	Specs on valves, repair kits
900917(Q)*	\$ 2.83M	Loaders	Specs on valves, special tools
901459(H)*	\$ 2.08M	Loaders	Specs on valves
901130(H)	\$ 0.7M	Trucks	Specs on pumps, repair kits

7. **Total of 15 applications worth US\$77.48M** were released last week. Apart from the telecommunication applications already mentioned in paragraph 5 above, the other releases were few, to include:

601051(M)	\$ 4.25M	Medical Eq.	A1 deleted 1051 items
601571(E)	\$ 2.05M	Fire Fighting Trucks	A1 changed material composition
701001(M)	\$ 0.92M	medical Supplies	WMD dual use (earlier)

8. Total of **51 applications worth US\$208.74M** were placed on hold during the last week. Apart from the comms referred to in paragraph 6 above, the holds included:

930093(O)	\$16.23M	Casings	Specs, material comp
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9301174(O)	\$ 7.94M	Casings	Specs, material comp
901410(SA)	\$ 7.48M	Water Tr. Plant	Tech specs on pumps
802660(A)	\$ 7.23M	Mobile Cranes	specs on vehicle, valves...
901078(Q)	\$ 6.17M	Tin Plate Line	1051 (HEPA), specs
901348(H)	\$ 4.8M	Bottle Production Eq.	Various specs
901446(W)	\$ 2.28M	Rollers	Specs on valves
901232(H)	\$ 2.2M	Pave Finisher	Specs on valves, parts
802712(Q)	\$ 1.17M	Generators	Specs on tools, testing eq.