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## Afghan Taliban 'capture US military dog'

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They released footage featuring the dog, apparently called "Colonel".

The militant group said the dog was wearing a harness with a GPS tracking device, a torch and small camera.

US officials said they were investigating the claim. Correspondents say the incident is likely to be an embarrassment to them.

Looking rather mournful, on a lead being held by a long-haired Taliban fighter, the small reddish-brown dog was paraded for a Taliban cameraman, reports the BBC's David Loyn in Kabul.

They said the dog was taken during a night raid in Laghman in eastern Afghanistan in late December.

They also showed off weapons captured in the fighting of a type frequently used by American special forces.

Our correspondent says there were local reports a few weeks ago that a senior Taliban commander in the area was seen with a "foreign dog".

But the video is the first positive sighting of the dog.

Coalition forces have long used sniffer and protection dogs in Afghanistan, mostly German Shepherds, Labradors or Spaniels.