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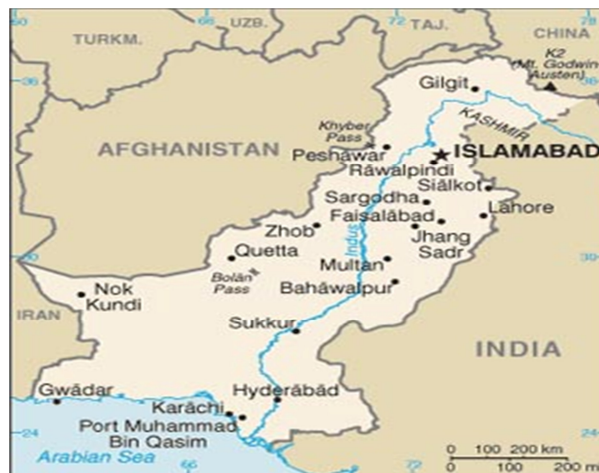
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At Least 24 Killed in Quetta Bombings

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[At least 24 people were killed and 60 others wounded today](#) in a double suicide bombing attack against the home of a colonel in the Frontier Corps (FC) in the Pakistani city of Quetta.



The attacks happened in the morning at around 9 AM, when a bomber detonated a car bomb outside the home of Colonel Khalid. A second attacker entered the house, firing randomly before

detonating an explosive vest. Reports have Col. Khalid, his wife and two children among the slain.

[Officials say that the over 100 kg of explosives were used in the attack](#), and the first blast was so powerful it set many nearby cars ablaze, and broke out the windows of dozens of nearby buildings.

The Tehreek-e Taliban Pakistan (TTP) [claimed credit for the attacks but provided](#) no additional details. Other speculation had the attack as revenge for previous al-Qaeda arrests, but the TTP did not mention these.