Comms problems in the Kabul FIR

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Aircraft in the eastern sections of the Kabul FIR can expect some radio issues, as a comm unit (VSAT at Ghanzi) is out of action.

Frequencies affected:

- 118.3
- 128.5
- 126.325

Airways

- M696 (between GIDOG and LAJAK)
- A453
- G206
- N644
- L750
- M875

The advice from ATC in Afghanistan is to keep trying the assigned frequency until within range of a different transmitter; in the meantime, a bit of SLOP, IFBP and TCAS should keep you out of trouble.