

Dear Mikhail Sergeevich,

I am sending you USSR Gosplan information about our material expenses in Afghanistan, including about the level of average daily expenses*

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MEMO
about Soviet expenditures in Afghanistan

Total financial expenses (millions of rubles):

1984 – 1578.5
1985- 2623.8
1986- 3650.4
1987-5374.0

including:

I. Military aid (millions of rubles)

	1984	1985	1986	1987
1. Maintenance and support of the Soviet Army	1196.8	2023.5	2341.6	3955.0
2. Maintenance and support of the DRA army	381.7	600.3	703.8	
3. USSR MVD expenses	-	-	144	150
4. USSR KGB	-	-	8	11

expenses				
Total military aid	1578.5	2623.8	3197.4	4116

II. Economic aid and other expenses (millions of rubles)

	1986	1987
	<u>actual</u>	<u>granted</u>
1. Free aid	203	950
2. Economic and technical assistance through GKEhS {State Committee for Foreign Economic Relations] channels	152	166
3. Through Ministry of Foreign Trade channels, export above import	28	67
4. Aid through preferential prices for Afghan goods delivered to the USSR: natural gas, wool, etc.	70	65
5. Deliveries within the framework of sponsored aid	-	10
Total economic aid	453	1258

III. Average daily expenditures (millions of rubles per day)

1984	1985	1986	1987
4.3	7.2	10.0	14.7

* - There is a note: "Cde. M. S. Gorbachev has been informed. V. Boldin. 17.01.88"

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