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Air Force Predator takes out insurgents and weapons

SOUTHWEST ASIA – An Air Force MQ-1B Predator unmanned aerial vehicle located and directed a Hellfire missile against a vehicle with loaded weapons in Sadr City in Northeastern Baghdad April 26.

The Predator was conducting a reconnaissance patrol when it located a group of individuals loading weapons into the trunk of a car. The Predator then followed the car for about 20 minutes when the car stopped. The Predator crew waited for a collateral damage estimate to ensure the area was cleared of innocent bystanders and then fired and destroyed the vehicle.

To view the full weapons system video clips, go to:  
<http://www.afcent.af.mil/news/afcentvideo.asp>. For more information, contact U.S. Air Forces Central Public Affairs at commercial 011-974-458-9555 then connect to DSN 436-4381/4014/4379 or at [afforpa@auab.centaf.af.mil](mailto:afforpa@auab.centaf.af.mil).