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## **Bush Afraid To Arm Iraqi "Army"**

by Michael in New York on 8/30/2005 10:53:00 AM

Everyone knows Bush misleads the American people about the size of the Iraqi army. (There are about 3000 Iraqis trained and ready to fight on their own. 3000.) Less reported is the fact that even if there were more soldiers available, the equipment just isn't there. One reason? Corruption. The other? Bush is afraid to give them any weapons because he knows the country could collapse into all-out civil war at any moment. I guess imminent collapse is all part of the "process."











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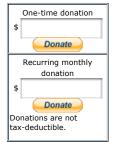
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