
IRAQI FORCES LAUNCH LARGE-SCALE OFFENSIVE IN WESTERN IRAQ

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BEIRUT, LEBANON (1:00 P.M.) □ Earlier today, the Iraqi Armed Forces kicked off a major offensive inside the Al-Anbar Governorate, targeting the Islamic States (ISIS) last positions near the provincial capital.

Led by their army and Popular Mobilization Units (var. Hashd Al-Shaabi), the Iraqi Armed Forces stormed the Islamic States positions inside the vast Tharthar Desert near the provincial capital (Al-Ramadi) of Al-Anbar.

According Iraqi activist Haidar Sumeri, the offensive was launched from seven axes and it wont stop until the entire area is cleared.

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