

# *U.S. President Ends \$500 Million Program to Train and Arm Syrian Rebels*

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Washington, October 9 (RHC)-- The Barack Obama administration is abandoning the \$500 million program to train and arm so-called 'moderate' rebels in Syria.

The move is an apparent acknowledgment that the program had failed to create a ground combat force capable of challenging ISIL. The Pentagon says it will officially announce the end of the program today.

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