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<http://www.quetta-overland.com> lists several landmarks on the Desert highway N40 from the border town Taftan to Quetta in Baluchistan - Pakistan. The GPS waypoints can be downloaded from the same site.

The info here is from November 2007. Suggestions are welcome at the reply form at <http://www.quetta-overland.com>

Km	What	Additional info
+133	Nok Kundi	Small village with customs office and hospital. Locals pay for the road at the toll post at entry of Nok Kundi.
+311	Dalbandin	Main town on the route. Has one hotel – Al Aman hotel with parking in the backyard. (cars only). Parking at the government rest house or police station is also possible for those with motor homes or cars with roof tents.
+339	Railway crossing	Start of the bad section of the route. Here the stony desert changes into an area with sand dunes for the next 40 Km. During sandstorms the road can disappear under the sand.
+370	Truck wash + car repair	End of the sand desert. At this point there's a truck wash and small workshop.
+427	Padag Desert checkpoint	When you reach this checkpoint near dusk you'll be probably stopped. From here police escorts upto Quetta are possible. On the reverse route from Sibi to Taftan over the Bolan Pass – it's possible to reach this post in 1 day on a full day of driving.
+465	Small village	Has a small Hotel.
+491	Ahmed Dwall	This small village has several grocery shops.
+514	Nuskhi	Village with car repair facilities.
+515	Mountain range	Steep roads crossing a mountain range with several checkpoint.
+643	Quetta Bypass	At this checkpoint there's a bypass road to the right heading straight to Sibi behind the Bolan Pass. From here the roads are good upto Sibi – Sokkur. The Bolan pass takes about 2 hours to cross on good roads.





