

Baghdad crackdown

Stringent security measures have been implemented in Baghdad with tens of thousands of extra personnel deployed throughout the capital in an effort to regain control of the city's streets

BAGHDAD DISTRICTS

8km

5 miles

1. Adhamiya

2. Mansour

Main focus of
crackdown



TROOPS ON STREETS

● 75,000 – 50,000 from Interior Ministry, 20,000 from Iraqi army, and 5,000 U.S. troops

SECURITY MEASURES

● Overnight curfew extended by two hours to start at 9pm and end at 6am

● Extra checkpoints, airstrikes, house raids targeting insurgents

● Ban on personal weapons and on vehicles in Friday afternoon prayers

● Special uniforms and badges for all security personnel