

Weekly Update

1. NSA Ajit Doval holds talks with Iran's Security official Ali Akbar Ahmadian in

Kazakhstan

The talks between Ahmadian and Doval, heads of the national security councils of Iran and India, took place on the sidelines of the meeting of secretaries of the security councils of the Shanghai Cooperation Organization (SCO) member countries in Astana. The implementation of agreements regarding the Iranian port of Chabahar and the North-South Transport Corridor were discussed.

Source: ANI

<https://www.aninews.in/news/world/asia/nsa-ajit-doval-holds-talks-with-irans-security-official-ali-akbar-ahmadian-in-kazakhstan20240404171347/>

2. US security adviser to meet Saudi's MBS to discuss Israel 'mega deal'

Zionist website Walla claimed that US National Security Advisor Jake Sullivan will travel to meet Saudi Arabia's Crown Prince Mohammed bin Salman to discuss a super deal that includes normalizing relations with the Zionist regime.

Source: MiddleEastMonitor

<https://www.middleeastmonitor.com/20240402-us-security-adviser-to-meet-saudis-mbs-to-discuss-israel-mega-deal/>

3. NATO at 75: An alliance for a safer world

Atlantic Alliance anniversary: 75 years of history. Jens Stoltenberg addresses NATO member states to remember its founding, but many questions arise about the security of Europe and whether the alliance is truly a protector of peace.

Source: Atlantic Council

<https://www.atlanticcouncil.org/event/nato-at-75-an-alliance-for-a-safer-world/>

4. Deputy Minister of Defence Colonel General Aleksandr Fomin meets Kazem Jalali, Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Russian Federation

A meeting was held between the Deputy Defense Minister of the Russian Federation, Colonel General Alexander Fomin and the Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Russian Federation, Dr. Kazem Jalali.

Source: Ministry of Defence of the Russian Federation

https://eng.mil.ru/en/news_page/country/more.htm?id=12507620@egNews

5. Day After Jaishankar, Indian Defense Minister Lashes Out at UN For Election Remarks

External Affairs Minister Jaishankar rejected unfair claims on India elections. Earlier, Stephane Dujarric, spokesperson for UN Secretary-General Antonio Guterres, had said the organization hoped that "everyone in India will be able to vote in a free and fair environment."

Source: **Sputnik**

<https://sputniknews.in/20240405/day-after-jaishankar-indian-defense-minister-lashes-out-at-un-for-election-remarks-7057605.html>

6. Turkish Airlines Cancels Flights To Tel Aviv's Ben Gurion Airport Until March 2025

It is reported that Turkish Airlines has closed the possibility of booking tickets to Israel until March 2025. Following the outbreak of hostilities in the Gaza Strip, Turkish Airlines announced the suspension of flights to Israel until October 2024. Now the ban is expected to be extended for the next 5 months.

Source: **Simple Flying**

<https://simpleflying.com/turkish-airlines-cancels-flights-to-tel-aviv-ben-gurion-airport-until-march-2025/>

7. 11 Iranian Soldiers Killed Near Pakistan Border Days After Israel Bombs Its Embassy; Meet Terror Group Jaish-e-Adl?

Pakistan-US axis against Iran? According to media reports, more than 11 Iranian soldiers have been killed in several terrorist attacks carried out by the Jaish al-Adl terror outfit operating from the Pakistan-Iran border.

Source: **Eurasian Times**

<https://www.eurasiantimes.com/11-iranian-soldiers-killer-near-pakistan-border-a-day/>

8. Gen. Richardson Meets with President Milei, Defense Leaders in Argentina

Meeting between Javier Milli and the Chief of Staff of the US Southern Command; The neoliberal red carpet for imperialism. Argentina's right-wing President Javier Milli went to the Ushuaia base to meet with General Laura Richardson, head of the US Southern Command.

Source: **U.S. Southern Command**

<https://www.southcom.mil/MEDIA/NEWS-ARTICLES/Article/3733211/gen-richardson-meets-with-president-milei-defense-leaders-in-argentina/>

9. Mexico severs diplomatic ties with Ecuador after police storm its embassy to arrest politician

Mexican President Andrés Manuel López Obrador ordered a severance of relations between the two countries after Ecuadorian police attacked the country's embassy in Quito.

Source: **AP news**

<https://apnews.com/article/mexico-ecuador-diplomatic-crisis-de5aa3a638b54fdfa3474c8ee25ca57e>

10. Defeat ISIS Mission in Iraq and Syria for January through March 2024

From January to March 2024, 94 operations were conducted against ISIS in Iraq and Syria: 18 terrorists were killed, 63 were detained. This was reported by the US Central Command (CENTCOM). "Continuing the massive pursuit of 2,500 fighters across Iraq and Syria is a critical component of the ultimate defeat of ISIS," Centcom emphasizes.

Source: **U.S. Central Command**

<https://www.centcom.mil/MEDIA/PRESS-RELEASES/Press-Release-View/Article/3733048/defeat-isis-mission-in-iraq-and-syria-for-january-through-march-2024/#:~:text=In%20Syria%2C%2028%20partnered%20operations,the%20enduring%20defeat%20of%20ISIS.>