

# HRH Prince Salman hails BDF for protecting Kingdom

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His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince, Deputy Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces, and Prime Minister, lauded the Bahrain Defence Force (BDF) personnel's pivotal role in protecting the Kingdom's and citizens' interests and in safeguarding the comprehensive development, led by His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, the Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces.

HRH Prince Salman also commended the BDF personnel's courage, bravery, and steadfast determination to uphold the Kingdom's honourable values,



adding that the sacrifices of fallen servicemen will remain etched in the country's history.

This came as His Royal Highness visited yesterday the General Command of the BDF.



HRH Prince Salman holds talks with senior BDF officials during his visit to the General Command

He was received by the Commander-in-Chief of the BDF, HE Field Marshal Shaikh Khalifa bin Ahmed Al Khalifa, the Minister of Defence, HE Lieutenant General Abdullah bin Hassan Al Nuaimi, the BDF Chief of Staff, Lieutenant General Theyab bin Saqr Al Nuaimi, and other senior officers.

His Royal Highness highlighted that the efforts of the BDF's loyal personnel, as part of Team Bahrain, are appreciated by all, and have, alongside various allies, contributed to the region's security and stability.

The Deputy Supreme Commander of the Armed Forces was briefed on the BDF's current and

future development plans and programmes that further combat readiness efficiency.

HRH Prince Salman extended his gratitude to the members of the BDF, for their sacrifices and loyal service, which has safeguarded the Kingdom's sovereignty, development, and wide-ranging achievements.

# Royal call for cooperation

HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister highlights executive and legislative authorities' key role in supporting development

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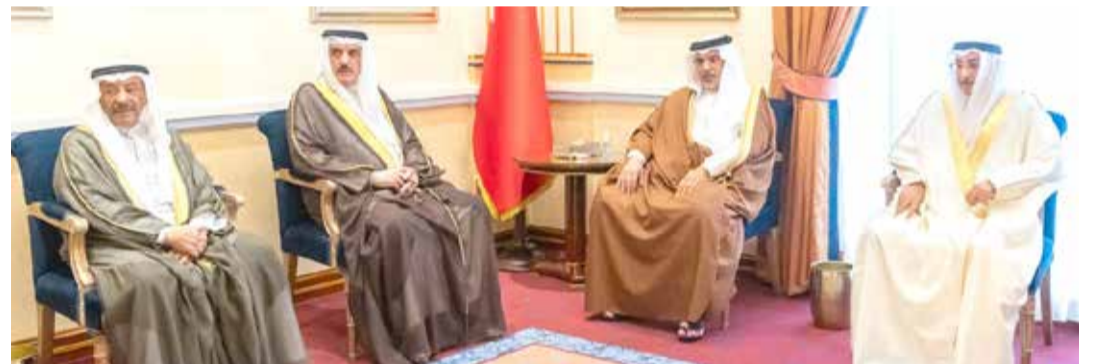
His Royal Highness Prince Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the Crown Prince and Prime Minister, has emphasised the need to strengthen cooperation between the ex-

ecutive and legislative authorities to fulfill the Kingdom of Bahrain's goals and aspirations.

HRH Prince Salman was speaking as he met yesterday with the Speaker of the Council of Representatives, HE Ahmed bin Salman Al Musallam, and the

Chairman of the Shura Council, HE Ali bin Saleh Al Saleh, at Gudaibiya Palace.

His Royal Highness highlighted the importance of the address given by His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa during the opening ceremony of the second



HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister meets with Speaker Al Musallam and Chairman Al Saleh

session of the sixth legislative term of the Shura Council and the Council of Representatives, which was held under HM the King's patronage. The address outlined His Majesty's visions for the next phase of the Kingdom's development and national contributions.

HRH the Crown Prince and Prime Minister highlighted the efforts of the legislative authority in supporting the Kingdom's development.

He wished success for the

legislative authority, expressing his aspirations that the second session of the sixth legislative term of the Shura Council and the Council of Representatives will add to the Kingdom's development achievements.

His Royal Highness noted the role of Team Bahrain in supporting the visions of HM the King and in furthering accomplishments that will benefit all.

### Commitment

Speaker Al Musallam and

Chairman Al Saleh expressed their appreciation for His Royal Highness's commitment to strengthening cooperation between the executive and legislative authorities.

They affirmed their commitment to serving the Kingdom and its citizens.

The Deputy Prime Minister, HE Shaikh Khalid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa, the Minister of Interior, HE General Shaikh Rashid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa, along with other senior officials, also attended the meeting.

# Turkey and Bahrain aim to strengthen business relations with trade mission

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The Turkish Embassy in Manama has announced a series of programs to strengthen business partnerships with Bahrain, including the Turkish Trade Mission to Manama program, which was officially announced at a press conference held at the Turkish Embassy in Manama in the presence of the Turkish Ambassador and the Bahraini business community.

As part of this trade mission, the embassy has organised a B2B meeting tomorrow 11 at the InterContinental Hotel in Bahrain, which will be headed by a special delegation from Turkey.

The main agenda of this one-to-one meeting is to explore business opportunities, collaboration, and joint venture possibilities to fulfill these demands and further develop trade relations between Turkey and Bahrain.

A delegation of over 15 Turk-



From left, Ahlam Yusuf Janahi, President of Bahrain Businesswomen's Society, H.E. Esen Cakil, Turkish Ambassador to Bahrain, Ahmed Abdulla Binhindi, Chairman of Bahrain Businessmen's Association, Seyma Demirhan, Embassy's Commercial Counsellor

ish companies will be in Manama to meet and establish ties with interested companies in Bahrain.

H.E. Esen Cakil, Turkish Ambassador to Bahrain, said that "the meeting will provide an excellent opportunity for Bahraini companies interested in trading with Turkey and this will strengthen the economic ties between the two countries."

Construction, iron and steel products, furniture and carpets, household goods, ceramics and porcelain products, food, dry

food, fresh food and vegetables, personal care, insurance and cleaning products, packaging, machinery and spare parts, heating, ventilation and air conditioning, textile, equipment, garments and raw materials, information, communication and cloud computing services will be discussed at the meetings.

In addition, education consultancy, investment consultancy, foreign trade, tax and finance consultancy, and generous payments will also be highlighted in these meetings.

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