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HM King, HRH Prince Salman exchange NAC anniversary greetings

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His Majesty King Hamad bin a better present and brighter Isa Al Khalifa yesterday re- future, HRH said, adding that the ceived a cable of congratulations kingdom looks forward to more from His Royal Highness Prince achievements in line with His Salman bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Majesty's aspirations of which the Crown Prince and Prime everyone is proud. Minister, on the 23rd anniversaal Action Charter (NAC).

sised that the anniversary of achievements over the past 23 NAC is a significant milestone in years, based on the principles the nation's history, embodying of the National Action Charter, Bahrain's loyal people.

The National Action Char-

ter played a significant role in advancing the nation towards

HRH the Crown Prince and ry of the adoption of the Nation- Prime Minister affirmed that Team Bahrain, led by His Majes-HRH Prince Salman empha- ty the King, has made significant the one-family spirit adopted by making it a qualitative addition HM the King to the kingdom's history.



HRH Prince Salman He pledged that this glorious tunity to renew resolve, drawing ed national approach, spear- democracy.

headed by HM the King, to continue advancing the kingdom and its status for the benefit of everyone.

His Royal Highness prayed to Allah the Almighty to bless HM the King with abundant health, happiness, wellness, and long life.

HM the King sent a reply cable of thanks to HRH Prince Salman, hailing the anniversary of the National Action Charter, which represents a milestone in modern history, heralding a new chapter of political life, partnership, economic and soanniversary would be an oppor- inspiration from the integrat- cial development, and vibrant



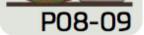
Forging stronger ties

HM King and HH Shaikh Mishal pledge to boost Bahrain-Kuwait economic partnership

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is Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa and the Amir of the State of Kuwait, His Highness Shaikh Mishal Al Ahmed Al Jaber Al Sabah, held talks to strengthen bilateral ties and strategic partnership across various fields. HM the King welcomed HH Shaikh Mishal at Al Sakhir Palace, marking the official one-day visit of HH Shaikh Mishal to the Kingdom of Bahrain yesterday. During the meeting, His kh Mishal with the Order of Shaikh Isa bin Salman Al Khalifa-Exceptional Class Collar, acknowledging the Kuwaiti Amir's contributions to strengthening bilateral relations. They lauded the growth of trade and investment relations between the two nations, underscoring the significance of expanding cooperation and economic partnership. They affirmed their commitment to exploring new economic opportunities and welcomed efforts by Kuwaiti and Bahraini investors to capitalise on mega projects in various sectors. rity committee meeting held in and stability. July 2023 and endorsed the for-





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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, yesterday received the newly appointed Commander of the United States Naval Forces Central Command, Commander of the US Fifth Fleet, and Commander of Combined Maritime Forces, Vice Admiral George M. Wikoff, at Riffa Palace.



Majesty presented HH Shai- HM the King, in the presence of HRH Prince Salman, meets with HH Shaikh Mishal Al Ahmed Al Jaber Al Sabah



Furthermore, they highlight- His Majesty welcomes the Amir of Kuwait upon arrival in the Kingdom

ed the success of the joint secu- tributing to regional security expanding cooperation and investors to capitalise on mega enhance joint Arab action and

They lauded the growth of leaders affirmed their commitmation of executive work teams trade and investment relations ment to exploring new econom- well-wishes for the upcoming between interior ministries to between the two nations, un- ic opportunities and welcomed 33rd Arab Summit, hosted by preciation to HM the King for the enhance strategic relations, con- derscoring the significance of efforts by Kuwaiti and Bahraini Bahrain on May 16, aiming to warm welcome and hospitality.

HM King bids farewell to HH Shaikh Mishal after wrapping up his visit

economic partnership. The two projects in various sectors.

HH Shaikh Mishal expressed the region.

achieve peace and stability in

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