

Tehran would take immediate reciprocal action if the US returns to a June agreement, as Iran deepened strategic ties with Russia
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'Much Harder' Retaliation



US President Donald Trump said the United States carried out strikes against Iranian targets near the Strait of Hormuz yesterday, describing the attacks as retaliation for an Iranian attempt to place sea mines in the strategic waterway.

He warned that Iran would face a stronger response if it retaliated against the latest US strikes.

Trump also suggested that a larger US military operation against Iran could follow, saying the "biggest attack" was still to come and warning of severe consequences for the Iranian government.

Education Minister Praises HM King's Message



Education Minister Dr. Mohammed bin Mubarak Juma expressed pride in the content of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa's address marking the start of the 2026-2027 academic year.

Dr. Juma thanked His Majesty for his support and affirmed that the royal backing would motivate students, teachers and education professionals to achieve further progress in the new academic year.

September Fuel Prices



Fuel Pricing and Monitoring Committee approved fuel prices for September, based on the Kingdom's pricing mechanism and global market movements. The prices are effective from today.

Jayyid (91) : 0.225 BD
Mumtaz (95) : 0.247 BD
Super (98) : 0.380 BD
Diesel : 0.229 BD

220 fils (includes VAT)



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"Forging Bahrain's Next Generation"

Interior Minister praises Gadeha Junior's focus on skills, discipline and national values



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General Shaikh Rashid bin Abdullah Al Khalifa, Minister of Interior and Chairman of the Ministerial Follow-up Committee for the National Plan to Promote the Spirit of Belonging to the Nation and Reinforce the Values of Citizenship, Bahrainouna, visited the Gadeha Junior training camp to review its educational and training programmes and activities.

During the visit, the minister was briefed on the camp's concept, objectives, training and supervision mechanisms, and the progress of its programmes. He

also reviewed the educational and training environment designed to develop the capabilities of young participants.

General Shaikh Rashid attended parts of several training sessions and programmes, which combine physical training with personal skills development while promoting commitment, discipline, self-reliance and national belonging.

The minister thanked His Highness Lieutenant General Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, National Security Advisor, Royal Guard Commander and Chairman of the Supreme Council for Youth and Sports,



for his directives to organise the camp and launch its specialised programmes and activities.

He also expressed appreciation for the follow-up of His Highness Brigadier Shaikh Khalid bin Hamad Al Khalifa, Commander of Special Operations at the Royal Guard.

General Shaikh Rashid commended the broad participation and strong engagement of the young participants, praising the high standard of the Gadeha Junior camp.

He said the camp is being held at an appropriate time and reflects Bahrain's commitment to strengthening national identity

and promoting the values of loyalty and belonging.

The minister emphasised the important role of specialised programmes and national projects in preparing young people for the future, noting their responsibility in developing a generation capable of assuming responsibility and contributing to the Kingdom.

He added that the camp's programmes help reinforce citizenship, loyalty and belonging, while developing teamwork and practical skills that can positively influence participants' futures and enable them to contribute effectively to serving Bahrain.

GCC Steps Up Customs Cooperation

Gulf officials review steps to strengthen customs integration

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Bahrain hosted the 18th meeting of the Executive Council of the GCC Customs Union Authority, bringing together heads and directors-general of customs authorities from GCC member states.

Bahrain Customs President Shaikh Ahmed bin Hamad Al Khalifa welcomed the participants

and highlighted the progress made towards completing the requirements for the GCC Customs Union.

The meeting reviewed implementation steps to advance the customs union, as well as progress on a project to develop and operate a customs data exchange platform and related technical projects.

Officials also discussed measures to strengthen GCC customs

cooperation, including decisions of the Committee for Financial and Economic Cooperation and plans for awareness workshops on the GCC Authorised Economic Operator programme.

The council also reviewed issues related to combating harmful practices in international trade and improving the movement of goods through GCC customs points.



Saikh Ahmed bin Hamad Al Khalifa



Bahrain Condoles Nepal Over Flood Deaths



Dr. Abdullatif bin Rashid Al Zayani with Nepal's Ambassador Tirtha Raj Wagle

Minister of Foreign Affairs Dr. Abdullatif bin Rashid Al Zayani visited the Embassy of the Federal Democratic Republic

of Nepal in Bahrain to convey the Kingdom's condolences and sympathies to the government and people of Nepal following floods and landslides in several



parts of the country that resulted in deaths, injuries and missing persons.

During the visit, Dr. Al Zayani expressed sincere condolences to Nepal's Ambassador to Bahrain, Tirtha Raj Wagle, over the

victims of the flash floods that swept through Rasuwa and surrounding areas.

The Foreign Minister affirmed Bahrain's solidarity and sympathy with the Nepalese people during the tragedy, wishing a speedy recovery to the injured and safety for those still missing.

Devastating floods on the China-Nepal border have killed at least 1,050 people in Nepal, the disaster authority said on Tuesday, with nearly 4,000 more missing.

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Vietnam Independence Day



His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa sent a cable of congratulations to President To Lam of the friendly Socialist Republic of Vietnam on the occasion of Vietnam's Independence Day.

His Majesty conveyed his warmest congratulations and wished President To Lam continued health and happiness.

He also expressed his best wishes to the Vietnamese people for further progress and prosperity.

Bahrain, Bhutan Bilateral Cooperation



Foreign Minister Dr. Abdullatif bin Rashid Al Zayani received, via video-conference, a copy of the credentials of Phub Dorji, Ambassador-Designate of Bhutan to Bahrain, residing in Kuwait.

Dr. Al Zayani welcomed the ambassador-designate and reaffirmed Bahrain's commitment to strengthening friendship and co-operation with Bhutan and expanding bilateral ties in areas of mutual interest.

New Algeria Envoy

Foreign Minister Dr. Abdullatif bin Rashid Al Zayani received a copy of the credentials of Abdelmajid Amini, the designated Ambassador of the People's Democratic Republic of Algeria to Bahrain, at the Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

Dr. Al Zayani welcomed Ambassador Amini and affirmed Bahrain's commitment to strengthening the strong fraternal relations and bilateral cooperation between the two countries.