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Arab Aviation Condemns Iran



Hussain Ahmed Al Sha'al, Undersecretary for Civil Aviation Affairs, represented Bahrain at the 29th General Assembly of the Arab Civil Aviation Organisation (ACAO), held in Rabat, the Moroccan capital, attended by heads of civil aviation authorities across the Arab world.

Addressing the Assembly, Al Sha'al noted the session is taking place against a backdrop of serious regional developments, including direct threats to the airspace, air traffic, and civil aviation infrastructure of Gulf Cooperation Council states resulting from Iranian aggression. He called for sustained unity among Arab states to safeguard the sector's continuity.

The Assembly elected a new president and members of the ACAO Executive Council, and discussed preparations for the upcoming ICAO Council session and a high-level air transport conference. The session concluded with the Executive Council declaring full solidarity with Gulf states and condemning Iranian attacks targeting regional security, reaffirming commitment to international law and Arab aviation cooperation.

Pledge to Empower a New Generation

Bahrain Marks Arab Youth Day with Calls for Ambition and Empowerment

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Bahrain's top officials marked Arab Youth Day, observed annually today, with strong messages of support and encouragement for young Arabs, highlighting their potential as drivers of national progress.

Youth Must Break Their Own Limits

HH Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa, the King's Representative for Humanitarian Affairs and Youth, said the occasion reaffirms the importance of building a generation that believes in its own capabilities. He noted that Bahrain's achievements in youth empowerment are built on the vision of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa and the continued support of His Royal Highness the Crown Prince and Prime Minister. HH Shaikh Nasser stressed that the real challenge facing Arab youth is not the availability of opportunities, but the scale of their own ambitions.



"The future of nations is not made by circumstances—it is made by will, determination, and hard work."

- HH Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa



"Arab championships are a platform to showcase promising youth talent and reinforce the values of fair competition and cooperation."

- HH Shaikh Khalid bin Hamad Al Khalifa



"Nations are built by people who believe in their abilities—and our youth have proven their excellence across every field."

- Rawan bint Najeeb Tawfeeqi, Minister of Youth Affairs

Sport Builds Arab Brotherhood

HH Shaikh Khalid bin Hamad Al Khalifa, First Vice President of the Supreme Council for Youth and Sports, highlighted Arab youth as the region's greatest asset and called for sustained investment in their capabilities.

He underlined the role of Arab sports tournaments in strengthening ties among young people across the region.

Youth Are Partners in Progress

Minister of Youth Affairs

Rawan bint Najeeb Tawfeeqi affirmed that Arab Youth Day is a renewed occasion to celebrate young people's contributions to development. She credited royal leadership for establishing a national framework that expands youth participation in decision-making.

Royal Victory in Slovakia

The Bahrain Royal Endurance Team delivered a commanding performance at the Samorin International Endurance Race in Slovakia, securing a remarkable victory under the leadership of His Highness Shaikh Nasser bin Hamad Al Khalifa. The win marks a significant milestone for the team on the international endurance racing circuit, demonstrating Bahrain's growing presence and competitive strength in the sport at the highest level.



HH Shaikha Sheema bint Nasser triumphs in the 100km International Race, while HH Shaikh Mohammed bin Nasser tops the 120km International Junior and Youth Race.

Focus on Strengthening Gulf Partnerships

India's FM Dr. Jaishankar to Visit Bahrain in High-Level Gulf Tour

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India's External Affairs Minister Dr. S. Jaishankar will undertake a multi-nation official visit covering Bahrain, Qatar, Kuwait, Oman, the United States, and Belgium from July 5 to 15. The visit aims to strengthen diplomatic relations, advance strategic cooperation, and expand India's global engagement.

Gulf Partnerships

During the first leg of his visit from July 5 to 10, Jaishankar will travel to Bahrain, Qatar, Kuwait, and Oman. He is expected to hold bilateral meetings with foreign ministers and senior leadership in each country.

The discussions will focus on enhancing India's bilateral

relations with these Gulf nations while exchanging views on key regional developments and issues of mutual interest, including economic cooperation, energy security, and regional stability.

UN Security Council Campaign

Following his Gulf engagements, the External Affairs Minister will travel to New York on July 13, he will officially launch India's campaign for its candidature for the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) term 2028-29.

The launch marks a significant step in India's diplomatic outreach as it seeks broader international support for its bid for a non-permanent seat on the Security Council.



India-EU Trade

Dr. Jaishankar will then proceed to Brussels to participate in the 3rd India-EU Trade and Technology Council meeting, scheduled for July 14-15, 2026.

During the visit, he is expected to engage with European Union and Belgian counterparts to

strengthen cooperation in trade, digital innovation, emerging technologies, and strategic global challenges.

The multi-region visit reflects India's continued efforts to deepen partnerships across the Gulf, North America, and Europe, while advancing its role in global governance and multilateral institutions.

25 Years of Women's Empowerment



Under the patronage of His Majesty King Hamad bin Isa Al Khalifa, the Supreme Council for Women (SCW) will hold its silver jubilee celebration alongside Bahraini Women's Day 2026. Her Royal Highness Princess Sabeeka bint Ibrahim Al Khalifa, Consort of His Majesty the King and President of the SCW, expressed her appreciation for the royal patronage of this landmark national occasion. She noted that the celebration coincides with the designation of 2026 as the "Year of Isa Al Kabeer" honouring the founder of the modern state, reflecting the Kingdom's sustained commitment to nation-building under His Majesty's leadership.

Authorities To Review Child Custody Implementation Gaps



Rehab Mohammad

Public Prosecution, in cooperation with the Ministry of Social Development and the Judicial and Legal Studies Institute, will host a roundtable today, to address challenges in enforcing child visitation and custody rulings.

The discussion, titled "Challenges in Enforcing Child Visitation and Custody Judgments: Between Reality and the Law," will bring together senior officials, judges, and legal experts to examine practical and legal obstacles affecting the implementation of court decisions.

The roundtable aims to improve coordination between judicial, executive, and social entities while strengthening enforcement mechanisms and ensuring that children's best interests remain the central priority. Participants will review existing legal frameworks, identify implementation gaps, and explore solutions to enhance compliance with family court rulings.

The event reflects ongoing national efforts to strengthen Bahrain's family justice system and improve the protection of children affected by custody and visitation disputes.