Four-day Gaza truce and hostage release start today

**Deal facilitated by mediator Qatar**

Dr Majed bin Mohamed Al Mheiri and Dr Mohamed al-Ansari announced the details of the humanitarian agreement in Doha yesterday.

The Red Cross and Palestine Red Crescent Society would be essential parts of the hostage release process but it remained to be seen what the humanitarian pause extended through last night would mean in practice, with a political process held within the framework of achieving a permanent ceasefire and a viable State of Palestine.

Regarding the possibility of commitment to maintaining channels of communication with all parties to ensure that the safety and well-being of all hostages are respected, United Nations Secretary-General António Guterres also commended the efforts of Qatar for its decisive role in the mediation of the truce. He praised the efforts of Qatar to guarantee the safe exit of the hostage, indicating that the hostage situation is considered a major emergency.

It said that 50 hostages – including children and women – would be freed, with three Palestinian prisoners to be released for each of them.

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**Al-Qatar Dispatches Aid for Gaza**

An aircraft of the Qatari Armed Forces headed yesterday to the Gaza Strip carrying 40 tons of foodstuff provided by the Qatari Food Development Fund (QFDF), in preparation for the start of the holy month of Ramadan in the Gaza Strip. The Qatari side expressed its solidarity with the Palestinian people and its support for the internationally recognized Palestinian State, following the Israeli attack on the Gaza Strip. The delegation was headed by HE the Minister of Labour and Social Development, Dr. Ali bin Saif al-Marri, and included retired Major General Alaa al-Hammadi, former head of the Qatari General Authority for Labour Affairs and a number of other officials. The aid is also part of Qatar’s full support for the internationally recognized Palestinian State and people, who remain exposed to terrorist attacks by Israeli occupation forces.

**Digital Transformation of Labour Sector Services among Top Priorities: Minister**

HE the Minister of Labour and Social Development, Dr. Ali bin Saif al-Marri, has stressed the importance of enhancing digital transformation in all institutions, noting that digital transformation in the labour sector is one of the most important priorities given the challenges associated with pre-and post-pandemic scenarios.

In his remarks during the par- ticipation of the State of Qatar in the opening session of the Fifth United Nations Conference of Labour Ministers (UNCLM), held under the theme “Supporting Labour Markets in a Changing World: Delivering on Transformation and Implementing the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals,” HE the Minister highlighted the State of Qatar’s continuous and multifaceted efforts in addressing the most vulnerable groups and ensuring their effective participation in the process of sustainable development. He stated that Qatar welcomes the convening of the 5th Session of the Islamic Conference of Labour Ministers (ICLM), held under the theme “Human Rights and Worker’s Rights: New Challenges and New Strategies in the Context of Transforming All Institutions,” which will discuss the theme of preparing for the future summit on the Sustainable Development Goals in 2024, and reviewing the United Nations’ implementation of the 2030 Sustainable Development Goals.

HE the Minister of Labour and Social Development also stated that Qatar’s successful mediation in the 2014 humanitarian pause agreement in Gaza was achieved without peace and security, development, human rights and humanitarian efforts are compensatory elements and must reinforce each other. The press release highlights the positive role that sustainable development can play in mitigating the effects of conflict, disaster, terrorism, humanitarian crises and complex emergencies, in addition to the evolved call to invest in providing diplomatic, early warning, evacuation, diplomatic efforts, and peaceful resolution to conflicts and address their root causes in addition to addressing the needs of youth and women.

In this respect, HE Sheikha Alya stressed the importance of convening the Conference of Labour Ministers and the ILO General Assembly in order to support the efforts of member states in enhancing communication with the OIC Member States and discuss the latest developments in the labour sector.

**Qatar calls on UNSC to shoulder its ethical and legal responsibility in stopping crimes against Palestinians**

HE Sheikha Alya Ahmed bin Saif al-Marri, Permanent Representative of the State of Qatar to the United Nations, called on the Security Council to shoulder its ethical and legal responsibility in stopping crimes against Palestinians, which have become systematic, adding that the Security Council must take measures against those responsible for violations of international law and human rights, as stated in the 16th goal of the Sustainable Development Goals.

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HE the Minister of Labour and Social Development concluded his speech by the need for the international community to support the right of the Palestinian people to self-determination and to statehood, and to support the efforts of the international community to find a just and lasting solution to the Palestinian question.

**Kuwait welcomes Qatar’s successful mediation in brokering Gaza ceasefire**

The Kuwaiti Ministry of Foreign Affairs welcomed the announcement of the ceasefire deal brokered by Qatar to end a 11-day Israeli-Palestinian conflict in which at least 240 people were killed, warning that the escalating situation could trigger an exchange of hostilities and lead to violence against women and children, and in an Israeli occupation prison where 266 Palestinians are being held. The ceasefire was called for by the United States and Egypt. The authorities are working on humanitarian cases and cases of medical emergencies, and the UN Special Coordinator for the Middle East peace process said that he was closely following the situation.

In conclusion, HE Sheikha Alya stressed that the international community must continue to support the Palestinian struggle for statehood and to ensure that justice is achieved for the Palestinian people.”

**QS hosts meeting of Gulf technical committee for building standards**

The Qatari General Organization for Standards and Metrology (QGOSM) welcomed the 24th meeting of the Gulf technical committee for building standards (GUC TUC), which the State of Qatar holds on a biannually basis to ensure that its policies and standards are in line with international standards.

Chairman of the Gulf Organization for Research and Development and head of the committee Dr. Yassine Mubarak Al-Naimi thanked the meeting participants for their participation.

In his address, HE the Minister of Labour and Social Development, Dr. Ali bin Saif al-Marri, underlined the importance of cooperation between the Gulf States in the fields of work, hoping that the conference will be an opportunity to strengthen cooperation and partnership in order to ensure the continuity of platforms and sustainable development efforts.

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An announcement was made on Monday regarding the agreement of a laboratory in the Gaza Strip, the result of which was published on Tuesday in the official gazette of Qatar at the highest levels, in coordination with the Qatar News Agency (QNA), which published the agreement in the gazette under the title ‘Laboratory in the Gaza Strip, which began on Oct. 7, 2021, was signed between Qatar and Israel, political and diplomatic efforts did not fail to make the country achieve this agreement, which is one of the most important agreements in the region and the international community in providing humanitarian aid to those in need, despite the ongoing Israeli violations.

In this context, the lab was handed over to QNA staff in the Gaza Strip on Thursday, and the lab will work to provide scientific research services to the people of Gaza, Qatar's decision to support the Palestinian people and its ongoing efforts in the field of humanitarian aid, as well as the ongoing political and diplomatic efforts, led to this agreement.

The agreement was signed by His Highness the Amir, His Excellency Sheikh Tamim bin Hamad Al-Thani, and the prime minister of the Palestinian Authority, and underlined the importance of cooperation between Qatar and the Palestinian Authority, as well as the importance of providing scientific research services to the Palestinian people, which is one of the most important priorities of Qatar's foreign policy.

The lab, which is located in the Gaza Strip, will be equipped with the latest technology and the most advanced scientific research facilities, and its work will be supervised by a team of experienced and qualified scientists, who will provide scientific research services to the Palestinian people, including research on various fields such as medicine, agriculture, and engineering.

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MES students excel in Hindi Olympiad

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- Silver – Sujith Nair (VII-Q), Darshan Shinde (VIII-D), Rinsha Fathima (VIII-N), Wajahat Malik (II-F), Adithya Prasanth (II-F), Mohamed Riswan (III-G), Meenakshi Pratibha (III-G), Urooj Rizwan (III-G), Ishaam Anas (III-G), Arafat Theron (V-II), Md Atif (V-II), Md Arshi (V-II), Anand Vashisth (V-II), Srikanth Ravi (V-II).
- Gold – Joanna Saumya Arun (I-A), Abuzar Prateek (I-A), Abhishek Prasanna (I-A), Arisha Aijaz (VI-O), Karthikeyan Premnath Thekyan (IX-C), Aroush Ali Saketh Lakshman Kumar (IX-N), Syed Dawar Abbas (X-E), Emaan Hashim (X-E), Hanish Khan (X-E), Abu Ayub (XI-A), Maruf Ali (XI-A), Arjun Basu (XI-A), Syed Arif (XI-A), Aisham Ali (XI-A), Sameer Rashid (XI-A), Arundhika Raja Sivaramakrishnan (XI-A), and Sujith Nair (XII-C) from Al Khor International School. Ajay Sharma Sambara won the first prize in Seventh Inter School Chemistry Quiz at DPS-MIS tops inter school chemistry quiz

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Qatar Toastmasters Club holds 600th meeting

The eighth edition of the Qatar Malayali Conference, organised by the Qatar Indian local Centre in collaboration with the organisation under the name ‘Let’s Promote our Shore of Harmony’, was attended by thousands of regional delegates.

Shyshil Dr Mohamed bin Shaker Ali Al-Hasan, the Director of Public Health Department, Ministry of Public Health, Qatar, inaugurated the conference.

Abdulaziz Bhaloom, chairman of the organising committee, presided over the opening session.

The concluding session, presided over by Shyshil Dr Mohamed bin Shaker Ali Al-Hasan, chairman of the organising committee, was inaugurated by Indian ambassador Vijay Gokhale.

Notable figures, including Soumya Sadan Ahluwalia, UnderSecretary, Ministry of Health, Government of India, was the chief guest.

The jubilation kicked off with a ceremonial cake-cutting by renowned motivational speaker P M A Gofoor. Niarc (Persons with Disabilities) from the Kerala government’s Rehabilitation Center and Welfare Institute for PWD (Persons with Disabilities) by the Kerala government’s Rehabilitation Center and Welfare Institute for PWD (Persons with Disabilities).

The recognition of the parent organisation as the ‘Best Organisation for the Persons with Disabilities’ by the Kerala government’s Rehabilitation Center and Welfare Institute for PWD (Persons with Disabilities). It was presented by the office of Hindi Diwas Group.

The programme comprised a STEM roadshow at RPS integrated with a science quiz. The students from Qatar International School, Open English School, and Al-Hasan Al-Shami School were awarded certificates and prizes for their outstanding contributions during the quiz.

The other medal winners are: Gold – Joanna Saumya Arun (I-A), Abuzar Prateek (I-A), Abhishek Prasanna (I-A), Arisha Aijaz (VI-O), Karthikeyan Premnath Thekyan (IX-C), Aroush Ali Saketh Lakshman Kumar (IX-N), Syed Dawar Abbas (X-E). Silver – Libassah Rizwan (VI-O), Shilpa Patil (VI-O), Aisham Ali (VI-O), Sameer Rashid (VI-O), Arundhika Raja Sivaramakrishnan (VI-O), Sujith Nair (VII-Q), Darshan Shinde (VIII-D), Rinsha Fathima (VIII-N), Wajahat Malik (II-F), Adithya Prasanth (II-F), Mohamed Riswan (III-G), Meenakshi Pratibha (III-G), Urooj Rizwan (III-G), Ishaam Anas (III-G), Arafat Theron (V-II), Md Atif (V-II), Md Arshi (V-II), Anand Vashisth (V-II), Srikanth Ravi (V-II), Soumya Sadan Ahluwalia, UnderSecretary, Ministry of Health, Government of India, was the chief guest.

The jubilation kicked off with a ceremonial cake-cutting by renowned motivational speaker P M A Gofoor. Niarc (Persons with Disabilities) from the Kerala government’s Rehabilitation Center and Welfare Institute for PWD (Persons with Disabilities). It was presented by the office of Hindi Diwas Group.

The event was attended by delegates from various Indian community organisations under the theme ‘Let’s Promote our Shore of Harmony’.

Rihas Pulamanthol, a media seminar followed, with insights from Rajiv Shankaran and Thouheeda Rasheed and Jasmin and Aju Abraham. Sereena Ahed inaugurated by Mohamed Easa, in-
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Ambulance drivers on stand-by as rescuers near trapped workers

A fter being stranded on stand-by as rescuers near trapped workers in a tunnel that had collapsed, the drivers were finally able to reach the site.

Drivers were stationed on the roadside for several hours, ready to assist if needed. However, the road was closed due to a塌方 incident, causing difficulties and delays.

The incident occurred in the afternoon, with rescuers working tirelessly to reach the trapped individuals. Due to the challenging terrain and weather conditions, the rescue operation took several hours.

The drivers reported that they were frustrated by the lack of communication from authorities. They were waiting for instructions and updates on the situation.

The塌方 occurred during a rainy spell, exacerbating the already difficult conditions. The rescue operation was hampered by limited access to the site.

As the situation improved, the drivers were able to reach the site and provide assistance to the trapped workers. The rescue effort continued throughout the night, with multiple agencies working together.

The incident highlights the importance of effective communication and coordination in disaster response situations.

The drivers thanked the authorities for their efforts and wished for a speedy and successful resolution. They also commended the rescuers for their dedication and hard work.

The塌方 incident is a reminder of the challenges faced by emergency services in disaster situations. The drivers called for better coordination and communication to ensure a timely and effective response.

The塌方 caused widespread concern and received significant media coverage. The government and authorities were urged to take necessary measures to prevent such incidents in the future.

The塌方 resulted in a temporary closure of the road, affecting traffic in the area. The drivers advised residents and commuters to plan their journeys accordingly and avoid the affected area.
**Ex-Pakistan PM Khan’s party told to conduct vote on leadership**

Pakistan’s election commission has given three days to former Prime Minister Imran Khan’s political party to contest election orders won by his political rival in a crucial vote on whether to hold or postpone an upcoming parliamentary poll.

Struggling to get going after the loss of his electoral support in April, Khan’s new party, the Pakistan Democratic Movement, has been told by the body that it must conduct a nationwide conduct vote by Thursday to determine whether to hold the general election on August 17 as scheduled.

The commission has ordered the party to take steps to ensure that the ballots are cast in the shortest possible time, and has appealed to local authorities to facilitate the process.

Khan’s party, which is currently the third-largest in parliament, has been struggling to gain traction in its campaign to challenge the ruling Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI). The move comes as the PTI’s leadership is facing internal turmoil and a backlash from its supporters.

**Dutch far-right wins election stunning vitality**

**Muslims in shock over Wilders’ party stunning victory**

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**Children among five in hospital after Dublin ‘stabbing’**

Five children, including three boys, were taken to hospital after being stabbed in Dublin yesterday, following a suspected stabbing incident at a school.

The children were taken to the Mater Misericordiae University Hospital in the city after they were rushed by ambulance after being sustained injuries.

The hospital said that the three boys were in a serious condition and were taken to the intensive care unit.

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The YouTuber, who sought a new contract with the company in 2016, was terminated by Google in 2017 without a valid reason, according to court documents.

The company has denied the allegations and has stated that it is following its internal procedures.

The case is being closely watched by the legal community in Spain, as it could set a precedent for the rights of content creators in the country.

**Climate Observatory’s executive director sky-high after Russia’s climate pledges**

Climate Observatory’s executive director has said that Russia’s pledges to cut emissions are “sky-high” and that the agency is acutely aware of the humanitarian aspect of this crisis, especially considering the harsh weather conditions and the risk of food shortages in Russia.

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The Observatory has been monitoring the situation in Russia closely and has expressed concern over the potential impact of the climate crisis on vulnerable populations.

**Finland gets more EU staff to handle border crisis**

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The Finnish government has announced that it will increase the number of EU staff to handle the border crisis.

The decision was taken after the government received reports of a surge in migrants arriving at the border.

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Europe’s gas crisis over but not the painful adjustment

European gas inventories continued to accommodate much less than that which was anticipated in early autumn, with mild weather delaying the onset of the winter heating season. As of late October, LNG volumes to Europe had already surpassed expected supply levels. The region has already reduced natural gas inventories to 80% of normal, meaning that it will leave the end of winter with substantially less than enough to cope with even the very coldest winter in 2023/24.

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In the final weeks of campaigning, Argentine President-elect Javier Milei has been using images and videos to depict his presidential team’s future vision for the country. The election campaign, which is the first since Argentina abolished the candidate secretariat system, has been a game of cat and mouse between AI and traditional media.

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Freeing the Heart from Selfishness

The life of Allah’s Prophet ﷺ is filled with examples that bring forth the noblest of all lessons amongst the Muslims, to keep the heart pure from every type of selfishness that was reported about him. This is the true root of the Prophethood, revealed to him by the Lord of all creation. He was the one who related the verse from the Holy Qur’an, “And your Lord said: ‘Travel not through any land on behalf of others, lest you should be reproached.’” (Surah Al-Shura 42:15)

5. Loving this life makes the servant obverse to Allah’s-Allah’s will. This is why Allah tells us in the story of the Prophet Ar-Rahman, “And We shall make him a ruler therein. And he will say: ‘My Lord! Do not forsake me from Your mercy. I have indeed been a w久久y seeker of Your grace…” (Surah Al-Baqarah 2:58)

6. Allah legislated this to protect people’s being kind hearted and simple minded. Not knowing what is plot-making and backbiting is an important quality one can hold, if he reverts to the explanation of his word, “And whosoever does so for more than two times, it is disputes and arguments, thus people will not gain from it except what they...” (Surah Al-Ma’idsah 5:12)

7. Whoever loves this life and prefers it to the Hereafter will not be granted twice, once for striving to do anything that is right and will be punished for falling as to be true, another is one who strives to do anything that is right and succeed, and this is the one who is loved by Allah. The All-Knowing, knows that people will not be granted a close-knit, protected familial connection. Some scholars have explained the reason why the exact night on which the Prophet ﷺ was called to be a Messenger was Saturday night. The Prophet ﷺ said: “No. May Allah forgive you, brother.” He then went to the Prophet, “Sallallahu ‘alaihi wa sallam” and said: “My father, your Prophet ﷺ has come. I have not been given the command to take revenge from the people who...” (Bukhari and Muslim)

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Coffee, Tea and Chocolate Festival opens

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ending a delicious opportunity to savour hot beverages and dishes, the Coffee, Tea and Chocolate Festival began yesterday at Expo 2023 Doha’s Events Area at the Family Zone.

Running until February 12, 2024, the festival is open to the public from 2pm-10pm daily.

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