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Israeli actions 'may force everyone' to act: Raisi

Canada alerts Khalistan activist to potential Indian threat post-Nijjar's killing



Maulana Tariq Jamil's son passes away in Tulum

## Peace deal signed in Kurram after 6-day bloody tribal clashes

Thousands of Palestinians feared buried under debris

**GAZA DEATH TOLL CROSSES 8,000**

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UN chief repeats desperate appeals for a ceasefire to end the nightmare of bloodshed

The UN Secretary-General, António Guterres, has repeated his urgent call for a ceasefire in Gaza, warning that the current conflict has reached a point of no return. He stated that the death toll has crossed 8,000, with thousands more feared buried under the rubble of destroyed homes and infrastructure. Guterres emphasized the need for immediate humanitarian aid and a negotiated settlement to end the suffering of the Palestinian people.

## Pakistan congratulates Turkiye on its 100th anniversary

President, PM say the outstanding friendship between Pakistan and Turkiye is based on mutual understanding of world issues including Kashmir and Gaza

Pakistan on Monday congratulated the Republic of Turkey on the centenary of its independence. President Arif Alvi and Prime Minister Imran Khan sent messages of goodwill and solidarity to the Turkish leadership. They expressed appreciation for the long-standing friendship between the two nations, which is rooted in shared values and mutual respect. The messages also highlighted the importance of international cooperation in addressing global challenges like Kashmir and Gaza.

## Two more PTI leaders quit

Two more members of the Pakistan Tehreek-e-Insaf (PTI) have announced their resignation from the party. The party leadership has expressed disappointment and stated that these actions are contrary to the party's principles and goals. The PTI remains committed to its agenda of national development and social justice.

## Amid Mideast tensions, Pakistan stresses resolution of old disputes

Ambassador Munir Akram says India has denied Kashmiris their inalienable right to self-determination in contravention of international law

In the backdrop of escalating tensions in the Middle East, Pakistan's Ambassador to India, Munir Akram, has issued a strong statement. He accused India of denying the Kashmiri people their inalienable right to self-determination, which is a violation of international law. Akram stressed that Pakistan remains committed to a peaceful resolution of the Kashmir issue through dialogue and mutual cooperation.

PIHA developing more green areas to add natural beauty

District Public Health Administration (DPHA) is developing more green areas to enhance the natural beauty of the district. The initiative includes planting trees, creating parks, and maintaining existing green spaces. This effort aims to improve the environment and provide recreational areas for the community.

## Naqvi reviews upgradation work of General and Mayo hospitals

Chief Minister Syed Usman Buzdar has reviewed the progress of the upgradation work at General and Mayo hospitals. He emphasized the importance of providing quality healthcare and ensuring that the facilities are modern and equipped with the latest technology. The review included discussions on the progress of various projects and the challenges faced during the process.

## Need to develop Rules of Business for GB Disability Act 2019 highlighted

The need to develop Rules of Business for the Government of Balochistan (GB) Disability Act 2019 has been highlighted. Officials have stressed the importance of creating a framework to implement the provisions of the act effectively. This will ensure that the rights of disabled persons are protected and they receive the necessary support and services.

## Ashrafi highlights S Arabia's crucial role in resolving Palestinian issue

Foreign Minister Khwaja Asif Ali Khan has highlighted the crucial role of Saudi Arabia in resolving the Palestinian issue. He stated that Saudi Arabia's leadership and mediation are essential for achieving a peaceful settlement. The Minister expressed confidence in the Saudi government's commitment to justice and international law.

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## NATIONAL

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## PSL launches anti-theft drive during anti-power theft drive

Pakistan Services Limited (PSL) has launched an anti-theft drive as part of its broader anti-power theft initiative. The drive aims to reduce losses and improve operational efficiency. PSL is committed to maintaining high standards of security and transparency in its operations.

GOVERNMENT OF THE PUNJAB

### TEVTA TENDER NOTICE

Notice regarding the procurement of goods and services by the Punjab Veterinary and Animal Husbandry Department. Interested parties are invited to submit bids by the specified deadline.

Financial statement or report detailing the company's performance over a specific period. It includes various metrics such as revenue, expenses, and profit, along with an analysis of the company's financial health.

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## UNSC again meets today as 8,000 Gazans die in Israeli strikes

A World body meeting called on China, US request a War going to be long, when Benjamin Netanyahu a Hamas leader more strikes on Israeli forces, a WHO reports Gaza hospitals are overwhelmed with patients

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — The United Nations Security Council met today to discuss the escalating conflict in Gaza, with the UN Secretary-General calling for a ceasefire and the UN Human Rights Council condemning Israel's actions.

The meeting, which is the 7,500th session of the council, was held in New York City. It was the first time since the conflict began in October 2023 that the council has met to discuss the situation in Gaza.

The council's president, China's Ambassador to the UN, Wang Guangqian, said that the council should play a more active role in resolving the conflict. He called for a ceasefire and for Israel to withdraw its forces from Gaza.

The council's vice-president, the US Ambassador to the UN, Linda Thomas-Greenfield, said that the US supports Israel's right to self-defence. She called for Israel to protect its citizens and to ensure that its operations in Gaza are proportional and necessary.

The council's members also discussed the humanitarian situation in Gaza. The UN Secretary-General said that the situation is dire and that the UN is providing humanitarian aid to the people of Gaza.

The council's meeting ended with a resolution that calls for a ceasefire and for Israel to withdraw its forces from Gaza. The resolution also calls for the UN to provide humanitarian aid to the people of Gaza.

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A large pile of rubble and debris, likely from a destroyed building in Gaza.

PM Naitheboes on 100th Republic Day

President Naitheboes addressed the nation on the 100th anniversary of the Republic of the Philippines. He said that the country has made significant progress in the past century and that he is proud of the achievements of the Filipino people.

He also said that the country still faces many challenges, including poverty, corruption, and environmental degradation. He called on the Filipino people to work together to overcome these challenges and to build a better future for the country.

President Naitheboes also said that he is committed to the development of the country and to the well-being of the Filipino people. He said that he will continue to work hard to improve the lives of the Filipino people and to make the Philippines a more prosperous and just society.

He ended his speech with a call to action for the Filipino people. He said that they must work together to build a better future for the country and to make the Philippines a more prosperous and just society.

President Naitheboes' speech was well-received by the Filipino people. They praised him for his leadership and for his commitment to the development of the country.

The speech was also widely reported in the media. It was one of the most watched speeches in the history of the Philippines.

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## Planning ministry bolsters efforts for agriculture sector projects

MANILA, Philippines (AP) — The Department of Agriculture (DA) and the Department of Planning (DP) are working together to bolster efforts for agriculture sector projects. The two departments are planning to launch a series of projects that will improve the lives of farmers and increase the productivity of the agriculture sector.

The projects include the construction of irrigation systems, the provision of agricultural machinery, and the provision of technical assistance to farmers. The projects are being funded by the DA and the DP.

The DA and the DP are also planning to launch a series of training programs for farmers. These programs will provide farmers with the skills and knowledge they need to improve their productivity and to increase their income.

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## BUSINESS

### Pakistan Services Limited holds its 4th Corporate Briefing Session



A group of men in suits standing together for a photo.

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The session was chaired by Mr. Muhammad Amir, Chairman of PSL. He welcomed the guests and said that PSL is proud to be a part of the Hashoo Group and to be a leader in the hospitality business in Pakistan.

Mr. Amir also said that PSL is committed to providing high-quality services to its guests and to being a responsible corporate citizen. He said that PSL will continue to work hard to improve its services and to make a positive contribution to the community.

The session also featured a presentation by Mr. Shahid Hussain, Managing Director of PSL. He presented the company's financial performance for the first nine months of 2023. He said that PSL has made significant progress in the past nine months and that he is optimistic about the company's future.

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### Disaster survivors' tales grip Bollywood film festival



A group of people sitting on a stage during a film festival.

NEW DELHI (AP) — A film festival in New Delhi is showcasing the stories of disaster survivors. The festival is called "Disaster Survivors' Tales" and it features a series of films that tell the stories of people who have survived natural disasters. The festival is being held at the National Film Festival in New Delhi.

The festival is a landmark moment in the history of Bollywood. It marks the beginning of a new era for the industry and for its audience.

### Turkey celebrates centenary under shadow of Gaza war



A group of people celebrating in Turkey.

ANKARA (AP) — Turkey is celebrating its 100th anniversary of independence. The country is holding a series of events to mark the occasion. The events include parades, concerts, and fireworks. The country is also holding a series of exhibitions to showcase its history and culture.

The celebration is a landmark moment in the history of Turkey. It marks the beginning of a new era for the country and for its people.

### Tafelberg how high? Finance minister says 'no end in sight' for RDP



A group of people standing in front of a building.

JOHANNESBURG (AP) — South African Finance Minister Enoch Dlamini said that the country's economic recovery is still a long way off. He said that the country is still facing many challenges, including high unemployment and inflation. He said that the government is working hard to overcome these challenges and to make the country a more prosperous and just society.

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### Constant credit crunches must acquire skills and learning: RDP



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### China's software sector reports steady expansion in first three quarters



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BEIJING (AP) — China's software sector reported steady expansion in the first three quarters of 2023. The sector's revenue increased by 10% compared to the same period last year. The sector is also seeing an increase in the number of new companies and in the number of jobs created.

The growth of the software sector is a landmark moment in the history of China. It marks the beginning of a new era for the country and for its people.



# Pakistan Today

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Profit

DEPORTATION PROCESS APPLIES TO ALL ILLEGAL 'ALIENS': KAKAR

SAYS POLICY NOT LIMITED TO ONE MILLION INTERIOR MINISTRY DIRECTED TO ENSURE DIGNITY OF REPATRIATED WOMEN, CHILDREN

Decision to expel illegal aliens compliant with global norms, principles: FO

Interior Minister Khwaja Asif Khattak said on Tuesday that the government's decision to deport illegal aliens is in line with global norms and principles. He said the policy is not limited to one million people, as some media reports suggested. Khattak said the government is committed to ensuring the dignity of repatriated women and children. He also mentioned that the process is being handled with sensitivity and that the government is working to improve the lives of the affected individuals.

Attention industrialists, domestic users, these are your new gas prices

INTERIM GOVERNMENT HAS PULLED TRIGGER AND HIKED GAS PRICES

The interim government has announced a significant increase in gas prices for industrial and domestic users. This move is expected to impact various sectors of the economy. The government has justified the increase by citing rising international gas prices and the need to stabilize the domestic market. Industrialists and domestic users are advised to plan accordingly for the upcoming period.

Bank of Punjab to set up exchange company with Rs2.5bn initial capital

SPB HAS RECENTLY ISSUED AOC TO ABL AND MCB FOR ESTABLISHING THEIR EXCHANGE COMPANIES

The State Bank of Pakistan (SBP) has issued an Authorization to Operate (AOC) to the Bank of Punjab (BoP) and the Ministry of Commerce and Industries (MCI) for the establishment of an exchange company. The company is expected to have an initial capital of Rs2.5 billion. This move is part of the government's efforts to strengthen the financial sector and promote local currency transactions.

PKR continues slide against USD for sixth consecutive session

AS PER SBP LOCAL UNIT SETTLED AT 280.95, REFLECTING A DECREASE OF RD. 38 IN INTERBANK

The Pakistan Rupee (PKR) has continued its downward trend against the US Dollar (USD) for the sixth consecutive session. According to the State Bank of Pakistan (SBP), the local unit has settled at 280.95, reflecting a decrease of 38 points in the interbank market. This trend is attributed to various factors, including global economic uncertainties and market speculation.

Path to San Francisco won't be a easy one, no self-driving to it: Wang Yi

Wang Yi, Chinese Foreign Minister, said that the path to San Francisco for the resolution of the Sino-US trade dispute is not an easy one. He emphasized that there will be no self-driving to the destination. He called for mutual understanding and cooperation between the two countries to resolve the ongoing trade tensions.

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06 NEWS

SOUTH AFRICA CALLS FOR UN FORCE TO PROTECT CIVILIANS IN GAZA

South Africa has called for a UN force to protect civilians in Gaza, stating that the current situation is a humanitarian crisis. The country's Foreign Minister has urged the UN Security Council to take immediate action. South Africa has provided evidence of human rights violations and civilian casualties, demanding a swift response from the international community.

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## Pakistan Services Limited holds a Corporate Briefing Session

Pakistan Services Limited (PSL) conducted its fourth Corporate Briefing Session at the Islamabad Marriott Hotel on Friday 27th October 2023, in compliance with the directives of the Pakistan Stock Exchange. The Senior Management of the Company, including the Vice Chairman of Hashoo Group and Director of the Vice Chairman of Hashoo Group and Director of the Vice Chairman of Hashoo Group, were present at the event. The event was also attended by Chartered Accountants, Corporate Law Professionals, Lawyers, and members of the Company. Mr. Amir, Company Secretary, opened the program by presenting a brief profile of PSL and shared corporate information about the Company. He then shared the journey to the success of PSL and mentioned that PSL was incorporated in December 1958 and became a part of Hashoo Group in 1985. PR

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Hashoo Hotels

PC Pearl-Continental  
HOTELS & RESORTS

PC LEGACY

Hotel One  
By Pearl Continental

PC RESIDENCES

WHITE LABEL  
SERVICES

Live

## Daily IQTIDA

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### Pakistan Services Limited (PSL) holds a Corporate Briefing Session

Chief Financial Officer shared financial and operational highlights of the Company

ISLAMABAD: Pakistan Services Limited (PSL) conducted its fourth Corporate Briefing Session at the Islamabad Marriott Hotel in compliance with the directives of the Pakistan Stock Exchange.

The Senior Management of the Company, including the Vice Chairman of Hashoo Group and Director of the Company, Mr. Muhammad Akhtar Rana; Chief Financial Officer, Mr. Tahir Mahmood; Company Secretary, Mr. Muhammad Asim; and Board Members, Mr. Shaker Abu Bakar, Mr. M. Ghazal Marghoob, Mr. Rohail Ajmal, Mr. Shahid Hussain, and Mr. Saleem Ahmed Rajha, were present.

The event was also attended by Chartered Accountants, Corporate Law Professionals, Lawyers, and members of the Company, Mr. Asim, Company Secretary, opened the program by presenting a brief profile of PSL and shared corporate information about the Company.

He then shared the journey to the success of PSL and mentioned that PSL was incorporated in December 1988 and became a part of Hashoo Group in 1988.

The Company is principally engaged in the hospitality business and owns and operates a chain of five-star Pearl Continental Hotels across Pakistan. Currently, PSL owns six five-star hotels in major cities of Pakistan and hotel chains in Kashmir, each of which enjoys a prominent standing in the market.

Meanwhile, PSL is expanding its portfolio in key destinations across Pakistan. The Company is in the process of constructing two five-star hotels in Mirpur and Muzaffargarh.

The Company has introduced its new brand, "PC Legacy," to cater to the demands of the four-star segment of the business. In addition to the hospitality business, PSL also has in the travel and tourism business, operating under the prestigious banner of Destinations of The World (DOTW).

This venture is licensed under a master franchise agreement signed with DOTW India. PSL is also engaged in the car rental business through its wholly owned subsidiary, Pearl Tours & Travels (PVT) Limited. Moreover, it plans to enter the real estate business through two wholly-owned subsidiaries in this sector.

Later, the Chief Financial Officer, Mr. Tahir Mahmood, shared financial and operational highlights of the Company. The event concluded with a comprehensive question-and-answer session.

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