

**Embassy of India
Abu Dhabi**

Press Release

Visit of Foreign Secretary Shri Vikram Misri to UAE (June 10, 2025)

Foreign Secretary Shri Vikram Misri visited Abu Dhabi, UAE on June 10, 2025. The visit was a follow-up to the 15th Joint Commission Meeting between External Affairs Minister Dr. S Jaishankar and Deputy Prime Minister and Foreign Minister of UAE HH Sheikh Abdullah bin Zayed Al Nahyan held in New Delhi on December 13, 2024.

2. During his visit, Foreign Secretary Misri held a bilateral meeting with HE Reem Al Hashim, Minister of State for International Cooperation, UAE to review the entire gamut of the Comprehensive Strategic Partnership between India and the UAE. Discussions focussed on expanding the canvas of the multi-dimensional bilateral partnership in various sectors, including trade, investments, energy, culture, defence, technology, consular matters. Both sides agreed to work closely in the multilateral and international fora to promote mutual interests. He appreciated the support and solidarity extended by the UAE leadership following the terrorist attack in Pahalgam.

3. Foreign Secretary met with HH Sheikh Nahyan Nahyan bin Mubarak Al Nahyan, Minister of Tolerance and Co-existence, UAE. He thanked HH Sheikh Nahyan for the care extended to 4.3 millions Indians, who have made UAE their second home.

4. Foreign Secretary also held a productive meeting with HE Ali Rashid Al Nuaimi, member of the UAE Federal National Council and Chairman of the Defense Affairs, Interior & Foreign Affairs Committee at the Council and Chairman of the International Steering Board of Hedayah, The International Center of Excellence for Countering Extremism and Violent Extremism based in Abu Dhabi. The discussions provided yet another opportunity to reaffirm the shared determination of both countries to fight terrorism in all forms and manifestations.

5. Foreign Secretary's visit to the UAE is in continuation of the regular high-level exchanges between the two sides reflecting the deepening of the Comprehensive Strategic Partnership between the two countries.