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PAKISTAN NAVY SHIPS VISITED KUWAIT AND IRAQ DURING OVERSEAS DEPLOYMENT

Islamabad, 21 Dec 24: During an overseas deployment to the Arabian Gulf, Pakistan Navy Ships RASADGAR and AZMAT visited Port Al Shuwaikh, Kuwait, while PMSS DASHT visited Port Umm Qasr, Iraq. The PN flotilla was led by Commander 14th Destroyer Squadron, Commodore Muhammad Umair.

Upon arrival at the host ports, the Pakistan Navy ships were warmly received by representatives of Pakistan embassies and officials from the host navies. The Mission Commander, along with the Commanding Officers, held meetings with the naval leadership of both countries. During these interactions, matters of mutual interest, Navy-to-Navy engagements, and cooperation in maritime security were discussed. The Mission Commander conveyed well wishes from Chief of the Naval Staff, Admiral Naveed Ashraf, to the people and navies of host countries.

Following the port calls, both PN and PMSA ships conducted Passage Exercises with Kuwaiti and Iraqi naval vessels. These exercises and maneuvers at sea aimed to enhance interoperability between the navies and promote shared learning through coordinated activities.

The visits of the PN flotilla to Kuwait and Iraq are expected to further strengthen the existing diplomatic ties and cordial relations with these friendly nations.

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Mission Commander Pakistan Navy Flotilla Commodore Muhammad Umair exchanging views with Senior Kuwaiti Naval Official during Pakistan Navy Flotilla visit to Kuwait



Commanding Officer PMSS DASHT exchanging souvenir to Iraqi Commander of the Naval Force, Vice Admiral Mazin Abdul Wahid Al-Ameri Gubaian at Iraqi Naval Base UMM QASR



Group photo of Pakistan and Kuwait Navy Officials onboard Pakistan Navy Ship RASADGAR during Pakistan Navy Flotilla visit to Kuwait



Group photo of Pakistan and Iraq Navy Officials at Iraqi Naval Base UMM QASR during Pakistan Maritime Security Ship DASHT visit to IRAQ