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## FOURTH BILATERAL DIALOGUE ON

#### "INDIA-ISRAEL TIES IN THE EVOLVING GLOBAL ORDER"

## Between

Manohar Parrikar Institute for Defence Studies and Analyses (MP-IDSA), New Delhi and Jerusalem Institute for Strategy and Security (JISS), Jerusalem

> **Date**: February 8, 2023 **Venue**: Auditorium, MP-IDSA

## **PROGRAMME**

**REGISTRATION AND TEA** [0930 hrs - 1000 hrs]

INAUGURAL SESSION [1000 hrs - 1045 hrs]

**OPENING REMARKS:** Amb. Sujan R. Chinoy, Director General MP-IDSA and T20 Chair of India's G20 Presidency

**OPENING REMARKS**: Prof. Efraim Inbar, President JISS, Jerusalem

**SPECIAL ADDRESS**: Amb. Naor Gilon, Ambassador of Israel to India **SPECIAL ADDRESS**: Amb. Sanjeev Singla, Ambassador of India to Israel [via Webex]

SESSION I: INTERNATIONAL ENVIRONMENT [1045 hrs – 1300 hrs]

(**Issues**: Towards a Reformed Multilateralism: Transforming Global Institutions and Frameworks, Lifestyle for Environment (LiFE) and Climate Change: Resilience for Values and Wellbeing and the Russia-Ukraine war)

CHAIR: Amb. Sujan R. Chinoy, Director General MP-IDSA and T20 Chair of India's G20 Presidency

**KEYNOTE ADDRESS**: Dr. Pradeep Rajpurohit, Joint Secretary (WANA Division), Ministry of External Affairs, Government of India

Speakers from JISS: (10 minutes each)

- Prof. Efraim Inbar, President JISS: Towards a Reformed Multilateralism
- Maj. Gen. Yaakov Amidror, Israel's Former National Security Advisor, and Senior Fellow, JISS: *Russia-Ukraine war*

Speakers from MP-IDSA: (10 minutes each)

- Dr. Uttam Kumar Sinha, Senior Fellow, MP-IDSA: Lifestyle for Environment (LiFE) and Climate Change
- Dr. Rajeesh Kumar, Associate Fellow, MP-IDSA: Towards a Reformed Multilateralism
- Dr. Swasti Rao, Associate Fellow, MP-IDSA: Russia-Ukraine war

Q&A

## [Lunch Break: 1300 hrs – 1400 hrs]

SESSION II: REGIONAL ISSUES [1400 hrs – 1600 hrs]

(Issues: Regional security)

## CHAIR: Prof. Efraim Inbar, President JISS

Speakers from JISS

- Maj. Gen. Yaakov Amidror, Israel's Former National Security Advisor, and Senior Fellow, JISS: *12U2, China in the Middle East*
- Dr. Uzi Rubin, Senior Fellow, JISS: *Battlefield drones and missiles*

## Speakers from MP-IDSA

- Dr. Ashok K. Behuria, Senior Fellow, MP-IDSA: Terrorism in South Asia
- Gp. Capt. (Dr.) R. K. Narang (Retd.), Director, Strategic Initiatives: *India-Israel* bilateral cooperation on drone and counter-drone technology

Q&A

## [Tea Break 1600 hrs - 1615 hrs]

**SESSION III: BILATERAL COOPERATION** [1615 hrs – 1730 hrs]

(Issues: Cooperation in defence manufacturing and R&D)

CHAIR: Maj. Gen. Yaakov Amidror, Israel's Former National Security Advisor, and Senior Fellow, JISS

Speakers from JISS

Dr. Oshrit Birvadker, Senior Fellow, JISS: India-Israel cooperation in defence manufacturing and R&D

## Speakers from MP-IDSA

- Dr. S. Samuel C. Rajiv, Associate Fellow, MP-IDSA: India-Israel cooperation in defence and R&D
- Dr. P. K. Pradhan, Research Fellow, MP-IDSA: India-Israel relations

Q&A

VOTE OF THANKS: Maj. Gen. (Dr.) Bipin Bakshi (Retd.), Deputy Director General, MP-IDSA