

Visit by H.E.Dr. Seyed Ebrahim Raisi,

**Honouable President of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the
Islamic Republic of Pakistan**



Islamabad, Lahore, Karachi

22-23 April 2024

H.E. Dr. Seyed Ebrahim Raisi, Honorable President of the Islamic Republic of Iran on April 22, 2024 arrived in Pakistan for a two-days visit on the invitation of the prime minister of the Islamic Republic of Pakistan, H.E. Mr. Mohammad Shahbaz Sharif.

H.E. Dr. Raisi accompanied by a big delegation of the Iranian government officials, including the ministries of defence, culture, Islamic guidance, petroleum, agriculture etc

H.E. Dr. Raisi was welcomed by H.E. Mr. Riaz Hussain Pirzadeh, honourable minister for Housing and works as the special representative of the Prime Minister of Pakistan at the airport

The official welcome ceremony was held by the Prime Minister of Pakistan at the Prime Minister's House. Dr. Raisi, met with the honorable President of Pakistan, H.E. Mr. Asif Ali Zardari, Honourable prime minister of Pakistan, H.E. Mr. Shahbaz Sharif, honourable chief of the army staff, honourable chairman of the Senate and honourable speaker of the National Assembly and delivered a speech at the gathering of eminent religious, academic, social and cultural personalities on the first day of this trip in Islamabad.

Mr. Dr. Raisi also visited the cities of Lahore and Karachi on the second day of his trip.

Paying tribute at the tomb of Allama Iqbal, visit to the Badshahi Mosque and speech at G.C. University, Lahore were the programs in this historical city visit on the second leg of the trip.

The President Islamic Republic of Iran then travelled to the city of Karachi and welcomed by H.E. Mr. Syed Murad Ali Shah, honourable chief minister and H.E. Mr. Kamran Tasuri, honourable Governor of Sindh Province. Visiting the tomb of Muhammad Ali Jinnah, the founder of Pakistan, delivering of speech at Iran-Pakistan Economic Forum meeting and receiving an honorary doctorate degree of Karachi University were the other programs during this trip



Arrival in Pakistan and official welcome at Noor Khan Airport



Official welcome ceremony by the Prime Minister of Pakistan at the Prime Minister's House



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Meeting with the honorable President of Pakistan, His Excellency Mr. Asif Ali Zardari at the presidency



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Call on by honorable chief of the Pakistan Army, H.E. Mr.General Syed Asim Munir



Planting saplings of friendship of Iran and Pakistan



Joint inauguration of the newly-constructed portion of 11th Avenue after renaming it, as Iran Avenue.



Renaming of a road of Islamabad as Iran Avenue.



Attending a meeting with religious, academic, cultural and social eminent personalities of Pakistan



Hoisting flags of the Islamic Republic of Iran at important squares and roads of Islamabad



Welcome by the chief minister of the Punjab H.E. Mrs. Maryam Nawaz Sharif,



Call on by honorable Governor and the officials of the Punjab province



Presence at Allama Iqbal tomb to pay tributes to this great personality



Received an honorary doctorate degree of the University of Karachi from Sindh Governor



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میں، اسلام، اسلامی اقدار، فلسطین کے مظلوموں اور حق و انصاف کا ہمیشہ دفاع کرنے والے پاکستانی عوام کو رہبر انقلاب اسلامی اور ایران کی عظیم قوم کی جانب سے سلام عرض کرتا ہوں۔
ایران و پاکستان کے مشترکات کی وجہ سے دونوں ملکوں کے درمیان تعلقات میں توسیع و فروغ کی اہم گنجائش موجود ہے۔

The message of the honorable president of the Islamic Republic of Iran on the occasion of his visit to Pakistan in Urdu language:

On behalf of the leadership and the great nation of Iran, I pay best wishes to the people of Pakistan who love Islam, Islamic values and have always defended the oppressed Palestinian nation, the truth and justice. Religious and cultural commonalities, the civilization of the two nations of Iran and Pakistan have provided an important capacity for promotion and deepening of relations between the two countries