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Visit of All Party Delegation to the UK

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The All-Party Parliamentary Delegation from India concluded a day of high-level engagements in London, meeting with UK government ministers, parliamentarians, party leaders, think tanks, and India friendship groups. Discussions focused on strengthening India–UK collaboration against cross-border terrorism, with Operation Sindoor highlighted as a significant shift in India’s counter-terrorism approach. The delegation received wide-ranging support, reaffirming shared commitments to global security, justice, and strategic partnership.

The day began with an interaction with UK-based think tanks, discussing the threat of cross-border terrorism and how Operation Sindoor sets a new strategic benchmark in India’s fight against it.

The delegation met Ms. Catherine West MP, Minister for the Indo-Pacific at the Foreign, Commonwealth and Development Office. She reaffirmed the UK’s condemnation of terror attacks in India, its strong bilateral ties with India, and support for global efforts to bring perpetrators of terror to justice.

At Conservative Campaign Headquarters, the delegation engaged with Lord Dominic Johnson of Lainston CBE, Co-Chair of the Conservative Party, and Mr. Koolesh Shah, Co-Chair of the Conservative Friends of India. They voiced strong support for India’s fight against terrorism, acknowledged its global implications, and lauded the Indian diaspora’s contribution to the UK.

The delegation also met with Labour Party India Friendship Groups—including Labour Friends of India, Labour Convention of Indian Organisations, Sikhs for Labour, and Hindus for Labour. The groups expressed unified support for India’s anti-terrorism efforts, emphasising the need to dismantle terror infrastructure and curb terror financing.

A separate meeting with Ms. Seema Malhotra MP, UK Minister for Migration and Citizenship and Minister for Equalities, allowed the delegation to brief her on Operation Sindoor. .

The day concluded with a dinner interaction with the thought leaders of the UK discussing the scourge of terrorism, its social impact and the connected rise of radicalisation.

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