

Press Release on the Foreign Office Consultations with South Africa

October 03-04, 2019

The 10th Foreign Office Consultations between India and South Africa was held on 03-04 October 2019 in Pretoria.

The South African delegation was led by Prof Anil Sooklal, Deputy Director-General: Asia and Middle East at the Department of International Relations and Cooperation. The Indian delegation was led by Dr Neena Malhotra, Joint Secretary (East and Southern Africa Division) of the Ministry of External Affairs.

The 10th Foreign Office Consultations between India and South Africa provided an opportunity to review the entire range of bilateral relations, including political, trade and economic ties. India reaffirmed its commitment to working closely with South Africa in these areas. The two sides also exchanged views on regional and multilateral issues, including cooperation at UN and other International Fora.

It was agreed to maintain the momentum of mutually beneficial multifaceted bilateral cooperation and exchanges between the two sides and to hold the next round of Joint Ministerial Commission (JMC) Meeting at the level of External Affairs Minister at an early date in India.

October 04, 2019