

Naval Headquarters Islamabad
Directorate of Public Relations
PRESS RELEASE
Tel: 051 20062326
Cell: 0300 8506486

PAKISTAN NAVY SHIP SAIF VISITS THAILAND

Islamabad, 27 Nov 2017: Pakistan Navy Ship SAIF with embarked Z9EC helicopter visited Pattaya (Thailand) from 16 Nov to 21 Nov 17 for participation in 50th Anniversary of ASEAN and International Fleet Review (IFR-2017) organized by Royal Thai Navy (RTN).

Rear Admiral Zaka ur Rehman, Flag Officer Sea Training (FOST), represented the Chief of the Naval Staff during this event. During stay at Pattaya, FOST called on senior naval officials from RTN and other dignitaries including Deputy Commander in Chief RTN Admiral Luechai Ruddit, Minister of Defence, Thailand, General Prawit Wongsuwon and Chief of Malaysian Navy, Admiral Tan Sri Ahmad Kamar ul Zaman Bin Haji Ahmad Badaruddin. During these interactions, FOST congratulated Thai authorities on ASEAN's 50th Anniversary and also conveyed well wishes from the Chief of the Naval Staff Admiral Zafar Mahmood Abbasi to the people of Thailand in general and Royal Thai Navy in particular.

During ship's stay at Pattaya, Commanding Officer PNS SAIF, Captain Shahzad Iqbal PN called on Commander Royal Thai Fleet, Admiral Rangsarit Sattayanukul, Police Major General Anan Charoenchasri, Mayor of Pattaya City and met other senior military officials.

IFR-2017 was one of the major events for celebrating Golden Jubilee of ASEAN establishment in which 36 warships from 19 different navies participated. Furthermore, 19 Naval Chiefs and 15 representatives of Naval Chiefs also participated in this mega event. PNS SAIF represented Pakistan Navy on this occasion on invitation of Commander-in-Chief RTN. During the stay, PN officers and men also participated in different activities including City Military Parade at Pattaya Beach.

Director General Public Relations (Pakistan Navy)



