



## 4<sup>th</sup> Afghanistan-India Security Dialogue

### “Experience of Afghanistan and India in the field of counterterrorism”

25 November 2018

#### Agenda

**Sunday November 25**

#### Opening Session

09:00-09:30		<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Sufi Praying (recorded clip)</li> <li>2. Welcoming Remarks by DG of AISS</li> <li>3. Speech by H.E Dr Rangin Dadfar Spanta, Former FM/NSA and Chairman of AISS Advisory Board</li> <li>4. Speech by H.E Vinay Kumar, Ambassador of Republic of India to Afghanistan</li> </ol>
<b>Panel I: Afghanistan &amp; Indias' Experience in Combating Terrorism</b>		
09:30-11:00	Moderator	Ambassador Amar Sinha
	Speakers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Mr Amrullah Saleh, Chairman of Green Trend Movement/Former Chief of NDS</li> <li>2. Maj Gen BK Sharma, AVSM, SM &amp; Bar (Retd), Indian Army/USI</li> <li>3. Dr Arian Sharifi, AISS Research Fellow/Former Director of Strategic Threat Assessments/NSC</li> </ol>
		<b>Discussion</b>
11:00-11:30	<b>Tea Break</b>	
<b>Panel II: Military &amp; Intelligence Dimensions</b>		
	Moderator	Mr Zia Asey, Director, Monitoring and Evaluation, Ministry of Interior Affairs of Afghanistan
11:30-13:00	Speakers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Lt Gen GS Katoch, PVSM, AVSM, VSM (Retd), Indian Army/USI</li> <li>2. Mr Samee Sadat, Former Director, National Directorate of Security/AISS Researcher</li> <li>3. Gen Farid Ahmadi, Afghan Ministry of Defense</li> </ol>
		<b>Discussion</b>
13:00-14:00	<b>Lunch</b>	
<b>Panel III: Diplomatic &amp; International Dimensions</b>		
	Moderator	Ms Fawzia Koofi, Member of Afghan Parliament
14:00-15:30	Speakers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. Ambassador Amar Sinha, IFS (Retd), India Ministry of External Affairs</li> <li>2. Mr Amir Ramin, Director General of Regional Cooperation, Ministry of Foreign Affairs of Afghanistan</li> <li>3. Mr Jim DeHart, Assistant Chief of Mission, US Embassy</li> </ol>
		<b>Discussion</b>
15:30-16:00	<b>Tea Break</b>	
<b>Panel IV: Way Forward: Strengthening Strategic Partnership</b>		
	Moderator	Lt Gen GS Katoch, PVSM, AVSM, VSM (Retd)
16:00-17:30	Speakers	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>1. General Sher Mohammad Karimi, Former Chief of Staff of the Afghan National Army</li> <li>2. Brig Rashmi Bali, Defense Attache, Indian Embassy</li> <li>3. Prof Christine Fair, Professor, George Town University, USA (Via Skype)</li> </ol>
		<b>Discussion</b>
<b>Concluding and Summary : Maj Gen BK Sharma</b>		
19:00-21:00	<b>Reception at the India Ambassador Official Residence</b>	