

# Pakistan, Its Neighbours and Regional Security

12 March 2010

0930 Registration: Tea and Coffee

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## 1000 **Session One:** An Assessment of the Regional Situation

*Chair: Professor Michael Clarke, Director, RUSI*

Opening Comments:

**His Excellency Mr. Wajid Shamsul Hasan**, Pakistan's High Commissioner to the UK

Speakers: **Gen (Ret'd) Jehangir Karamat**, Pakistan's Chief of Army Staff, Ambassador to Washington (2006)

**Maj Gen Jonathan Shaw CBE**, Chief of the Defence Staff, International Security Policy

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1115 Morning Tea and Coffee

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## 1145 **Session Two:** New NATO Afghanistan Strategy: Implications for Pakistan

*Chair: Dr Jonathan Eyal, Director of International Security Studies, RUSI*

Speakers: **Professor Richard Bonney**, Professorial Fellow, RUSI,

**Mr Asif Durrani**, Pakistani Deputy High Commissioner

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1300 Lunch

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## 1400 **Session Three:** Lessons identified from Swat and Waziristan Operations

*Chair: Mr Alexander Neill, Head of Asia Security Programme, RUSI*

Speakers: **Maj Gen Athar Abbas**, Director General Inter Services Public Relations

**Mr Nigel Inkster CMG**, Director of Transnational Threats and Political Risk, International Institute for Security Studies

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1515      Tea and Coffee

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1545      **Session Four:** India-Pakistan Relations: The Need to move beyond Conflict Management

*Chair:*      **Professor Richard Bonney**, *Professorial Fellow, RUSI,*

*Speakers:*      **Maj Gen (R) Salim Ullah**, Visiting Faculty at National Defence University and Former Pakistan Ambassador to the UAE

**Professor Anatol Lieven**, King's College London

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1700 – 1745      Drinks Reception

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