

# アゼルバイジャン政治・治安情報

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在アゼルバイジャン大使館

## 1. 軍事・治安関係

### ●バクーで拘束中のロシア人の拘束期間を延長

#### **Azerbaijan prolongs arrest term of Russian citizens detained in Baku**

The term of arrest of Russian citizens detained in Baku has been extended to another three months. The relevant decision was taken by the Khatai district court of Baku. As part of the operation of the Ministry of Internal Affairs, the accused were detained in connection with the transit and illegal circulation of narcotics from Iran, as well as cyber fraud. (TREND / 27.01.2026)

### ●アゼルバイジャン軍、UAEでの国際演習に参加

#### **Azerbaijani servicemen to take part in international drills in UAE**

A group of servicemen of the Azerbaijan Army left for the UAE to take part in the Peace Shield – 2026 joint operational-tactical exercise. The main objective of the exercise is to enhance the professional skills of the participating countries' military contingents in anti-terror operations, contribute to the maintenance of lasting peace, and gain mutual experience. The Peace Shield – 2026 j will be conducted on February 2-3. (REPORT / 27.01.2026)

## 2. 内政関連

### ●アゼルバイジャン、カラバフのアルメニア人及びロシア人居住者を本人の意思に基づきアルメニアに引渡し

#### **Azerbaijan passes Armenian and Russian residents of Karabakh to Armenia on their own wish**

As many as 10 Armenians and one Russian, holding Armenian citizenship, who lived in the Karabakh region of Azerbaijan were handed over to Armenia on their own wish. A total of 11 people appealed to the relevant bodies of Azerbaijan and Armenia on this issue, and based on these appeals, they were handed over to Armenia. These people continued to live in those

territories after the liberation of Khankendi city by Azerbaijan in September 2023. They have been transferred solely at their own discretion and request. (TREND / 23.01.2026)

### ● メディア開発庁がロシアによる偽情報を報告

#### **The MEDIA Development Agency reported disinformation by Russia**

The MEDIA Development Agency has reported another wave of disinformation allegedly spread by the Russian propaganda outlet Tsargrad TV. Among the materials cited is a deepfake video featuring Presidential Assistant Hikmet Hajiyev. The agency stated that these manipulative publications aim to undermine the strategic alliance between Azerbaijan and Turkey, and called on journalists in both countries not to disseminate unverified information, urging the public to rely on official sources and not trust fake publications. (JAM-NEWS.NET / 27.01.2026)

### 3. 外政関連

### ● 米国大使館、ダボスでのトランプ大統領とアリエフ大統領の会談について声明

#### **U.S. Embassy's statement on Trump-Aliyev meeting in Davos**

President Donald Trump and President Aliyev met on January 22 in Davos to discuss U.S.-Azerbaijan relations and regional peace, the U.S. Embassy in Baku said in a statement. "They reaffirmed their commitments from the August 8 Summit, including stronger bilateral ties and increased cooperation. The leaders also highlighted progress toward peace and stability in the South Caucasus, and the importance of regional connectivity, cooperation, and trade, thanks to the TRIPP," the statement reads. (APA / 23.01.2026)

### ● バイラモフ外相、ジャラルザデ・イラン外務次官と会談

#### **FM Bayramov met with visiting Iranian Deputy Foreign Minister Vahid Jalalzadeh**

On Jan.23, the Iranian Deputy FM briefed the Azerbaijani top diplomat about the recent developments and the current situation in Iran. Minister Jeyhun Bayramov emphasized the importance Azerbaijan attaches to stability in Iran.

The meeting discussed the prospects for bilateral cooperation in transport and communications. The sides particularly underscored the key role of the projects implemented by Azerbaijan and Iran in developing the transport corridors passing through the region. (AZERTAG / 23.01.2026)

**NOTE:** Assistant to the President of Azerbaijan - Head of the Foreign Policy Department of the Presidential Administration Hikmet Hajiyev also met with Vahid Jalalzadeh. During the

*meeting, the deep historical and cultural commonalities and unbreakable ties between the two peoples were noted with satisfaction. The parties reiterated their common intentions to deepen relations in all directions.*

● **トランプ大統領、ヴァンス副大統領のアゼルバイジャンとアルメニア訪問を発表**

**Trump announced the visit of his Vice President Vance to Azerbaijan and Armenia**

"I want to thank President Ilham Aliyev of Azerbaijan, and Prime Minister Pashinyan of Armenia for upholding the Peace Agreement we signed last August," Donald Trump, President of the United States, said on his "Truth" social media platform.

Trump added: "This was a nasty War, 1 of 8 that I have ended, but now we have Prosperity and Peace. In February, Vice President Vance will travel to both Countries to build on our Peace efforts, and advance the Trump Route for International Peace and Prosperity. We will strengthen our strategic partnership with Azerbaijan, a beautiful Agreement for Peaceful Nuclear Cooperation with Armenia, Deals for our Great Semiconductor Makers, and the sale of Made in the U.S.A. Defense Equipment, such as body armor and boats, and more, to Azerbaijan. Thank you!" (AZERTAG / 24.01.2026)

● **アリエフ大統領、サアル・イスラエル外相を迎える**

**President Aliyev received Gideon Sa'ar, Minister of Foreign Affairs of the State of Israel**

On Jan.26, emphasis was placed on the successful development of relations between the two countries in various areas, including economic, trade, energy, tourism, and other fields. Cooperation in agriculture, water resources management, high technologies, and artificial intelligence was highlighted.

Gideon Sa'ar stated that he was accompanied on this visit by a large delegation of representatives of the business community. He noted that the Azerbaijan–Israel Business Forum, to be held during the visit, would contribute to the development of economic and trade ties between the two countries. He expressed gratitude to President Ilham Aliyev for the state-level care shown toward the Jewish community in Azerbaijan. (AZERTAG / 26.01.2026)

● **バイラモフ外相、サアル・イスラエル外相と拡大会合**

**FM Bayramov held an expanded meeting with his Israeli counterpart Gideon Sa'ar**

On Jan.26, the sides exchanged views on enhancing cooperation across various areas, including political dialogue, energy, trade, investments, education, culture, defense and security. The discussions also revolved around the global and regional developments, including the situation in the Gaza Strip, the efforts to ensure peace and stability in the Middle East, as well as the post-conflict normalization process in the South Caucasus. They highlighted the importance of contributing to peace, development and prosperity within their regions and beyond. (AZERTAG / 26.01.2026)

**NOTE:** Israeli Foreign Minister Gideon Sa'ar also separately met Chairman of Azerbaijan's Committee on Foreign & Interparliamentary Relations of the Parliament Samad Seyidov and members of the Israel-Azerbaijan Inter-Parliamentary Friendship Group.

● 欧州評議会議員会議（PACE）が政治犯及びアゼルバイジャンが拘束のアルメニア人の解放を要求

**PACE calls for release of political prisoners and all Armenians held in Azerbaijan**

Winter plenary session of the Parliamentary Assembly of the Council of Europe (PACE), is taking place in Strasbourg from 26 to 30 January 2026. Azerbaijani Parliament again did not transmit credentials for the 2026 Ordinary Session.

A resolution entitled PACE 'Progress in the Assembly's Monitoring Procedure' was adopted in Strasbourg, the part concerning Azerbaijan reads that "the Assembly remains seriously concerned about the further deterioration of the human rights situation in Azerbaijan and the increase in the number of persons detained allegedly on politically motivated grounds, including civil society activists, journalists and media workers, academics, opposition politicians and other government critics. It exhorts the authorities to end retaliatory prosecutions and to release immediately all those detained on politically motivated charges, including 23 Armenian detainees. The text of the report, which was approved, was drafted before the release of four Armenian hostages earlier this month. (PACE.COE.INT/26.01.2026)

● フランス、アゼルバイジャン・アルメニア関係の進展を支持

**France supports progress in Azerbaijani-Armenian relations**

France supports the normalization of relations between Azerbaijan and Armenia, as well as between Türkiye and Armenia, French Foreign Minister Jean-Noël Barrot said following a meeting with his Turkish counterpart Hakan Fidan in Ankara. Barrot highlighted that reopening borders, increasing regional activity, and respecting the sovereignty of both states are crucial steps for regional prosperity. (TREND / 27.01.2026)

● アゼルバイジャン国民議会、地中海議会でオブザーバー資格を取得

**Azerbaijani Milli Majlis granted observer status in PAM**

The Parliament of Azerbaijan has been granted observer status in the Parliamentary Assembly of the Mediterranean (PAM). This issue was highlighted during the meeting between Speaker of Milli Majlis Sahiba Gafarova and PAM President Giulio Centemero.

She noted that once the final decision is made, this status will create new opportunities for the development of inter-parliamentary relations. Giulio Centemero emphasized that although Azerbaijan is not located in the Mediterranean region, it is situated in an important area, which creates favorable conditions for parliamentary dialogue. (TREND / 27.01.2026)

● 訪中のバイラモフ外相、王毅外相と戦略的パートナーシップについて協議

**Azerbaijan and China discuss strategic partnership**

As part of the visit to China, FM Bayramov met with Chinese counterpart Wang Yi to discuss a strategic partnership. The meeting also discussed the current state and development prospects of bilateral and multilateral relations between Azerbaijan and China, as well as regional and international issues. The ministers emphasized the importance of further expanding cooperation in the fields of trade and economy, transport and logistics, energy, renewable energy, industry, digital transformation, agriculture, humanitarian, and education. The meeting also highlighted the importance of continuing mutual support within the framework of international organizations, and saw an exchange of views on regional security issues. The meeting then reviewed global and regional security issues, cooperation plans within the Central Asian format.

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FM Bayramov visited the Museum of the Communist Party of China during his official visit to China. (TREND / 28.01.2026)

● 独外相、アゼルバイジャン大使、アルメニア大使と南コーカサスについて協議

**Germany's FM discusses South Caucasus with Azerbaijani, Armenian ambassadors**

A high-level event titled "Turning Point in the South Caucasus: Historic Peace between Azerbaijan and Armenia" was held for the first time in this format at the German Parliamentary Society in Berlin, organized by Germany's ICI Institute and Ludwig Maximilian University. German FM Johann Wadephul and Bundestag Foreign Affairs Committee Chair Armin Laschet hailed the recent progress in the Azerbaijan–Armenia peace process as historic for Europe, stressing Germany's readiness to support lasting peace and enhanced EU relations, as well as new regional connectivity. Azerbaijan's Ambassador Nasimi Aghayev emphasized Azerbaijan's role as the initiator of the peace agenda, the importance of constitutional alignment in Armenia, and the strategic value of the TRIPP route for regional stability and European supply chains.

Armenia's Ambassador to Germany, Viktor Yengibaryan, welcomed the recent achievements in the peace process and stressed Armenia's commitment to dialogue and reconciliation. He highlighted the importance of mutual trust, continued diplomatic engagement, and international support—particularly from Germany and the European Union—to ensure sustainable peace, regional stability, and expanded economic cooperation. (APA / 28.01.2026)

● バイラモフ外相、アラグチ・イラン外相と地域問題について協議

**FM Bayramov discusses regional issues with his Iranian counterpart**

On Jan.29, FM Bayramov of Azerbaijan and Seyed Abbas Araghchi of Iran held a telephone conversation. The situation surrounding Iran was discussed during the phone call. Minister Bayramov stated that the recent tensions in the region are causing concern, and that Azerbaijan has always emphasized the necessity for all parties to refrain from steps and rhetoric that could lead to instability in Iran and its surrounding areas. He noted that existing problems must be resolved solely through dialogue and diplomatic means in accordance with the norms and principles of international law. He particularly emphasized that Azerbaijan's airspace or territory will never be allowed to be used by any state for conducting military operations against neighboring Iran or any other country. (AZERTAG / 30.01.2026)

**NOTE:** *On the evening of January 28, a U.S. Air Force MC-130J military aircraft landed at Tbilisi airport. According to FlightRadar24, the aircraft departed from the UK-U.S. air base at Mildenhall, made a 90-minute stop at the U.S. Air Force base in Ramstein, Germany, then flew to Romania and onward to Georgia. The MC-130J serves as a military transport aircraft and an aerial tanker capable of refueling other aircraft in flight. Some media reported that the aircraft flew to Azerbaijan as well.*

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