

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

●アリエフ検事総長、ロシア連邦のピョートル・ゴロドフ副検事総長と会談

Prosecutor General Kamran Aliyev met with Deputy Prosecutor General of the Russian Federation Pyotr Gorodov

On Mar. 03, the officials praised the strong and steadily developing partnership between Azerbaijan and Russia, emphasizing that strategic cooperation and active intergovernmental dialogue provide a solid basis for broader collaboration across multiple sectors. They highlighted the importance of close coordination between their law enforcement and prosecutorial bodies. Gorodov thanked Azerbaijan for its hospitality, commended the quality of legal cooperation, and invited Azerbaijani representatives to upcoming international events. (REPORT / 03.03.2026)

●アゼルバイジャンとトルコ、防衛産業協力の拡大を協議

Azerbaijan, Türkiye discuss expanding defense industry cooperation

A delegation led by Minister of Defense Industry Vugar Mustafayev is on an official visit to Ankara. Minister Mustafayev held meetings with Türkiye's Minister of National Defense Yasar Guler, and Secretary of the Turkish Defense Industries Haluk Gorgun. The discussions focused on the current state and further development of cooperation between Azerbaijan and Türkiye in the defense industry, increasing mutual exchange of experience, and implementing new projects. The parties discussed deepening collaboration in scientific exchange, joint training, and strategic projects in the defense industry. (REPORT / 03.03.2026)

●紛争激化の中、アゼルバイジャン軍がイラン国境に展開

Azerbaijani troops reportedly deployed to Iranian border as conflict rages

Azerbaijani troops have reportedly been put on combat alert and deployed to the border with Iran, the independent media outlet Qazetchi has reported, citing sources. The move comes as the US–Israel war against Iran entered its fourth day. The Defence Ministry has not confirmed or denied the information, nor responded to requests for comment from OC Media. Qazetchi wrote that “the vacations of soldiers, warrant officers, and officers’ have been cancelled. Officers on leave have reportedly been recalled. Defence systems against drones and low-flying aircraft have been deployed on the border with Iran”.

As tensions in Azerbaijan rose surrounding Iran’s attack on other Muslim countries, the Japanese embassy

in Azerbaijan firstly stated that they suspended their operation due to an unknown period, which sparked discussions about possible attacks and threats on social media. Later, the embassy denied that it had suspended its operations in Azerbaijan, saying that only the consular section was temporarily closed on Monday and Tuesday. (OC-MEDIA / 03.03.2026)

●ロシア、国際手配されていたアゼルバイジャン国民を追加で引き渡し

Russia extradites more Azerbaijani citizens sought on international accusations

The request of the Prosecutor General's Office of Azerbaijan for the extradition of Abdul Musayev and Rustam Huseynov has been granted by the Prosecutor General's Office of Russia. These persons committed the criminal acts specified in the relevant articles of the Criminal Code of Azerbaijan. (TREND / 04.03.2026)

●イランからナヒチバンに対し無人機攻撃

Drone attacks against Nakhchivan from the territory of Iran

Azerbaijani MFA statement: "At around midday on 5 March, drone attacks were carried out against the Nakhchivan Autonomous Republic of the Republic of Azerbaijan from the territory of the Islamic Republic of Iran. One drone struck the terminal building of the airport in the Nakhchivan Autonomous Republic, while another drone fell near a school building in the village of Shakarabad. We strongly condemn these drone attacks launched from the territory of the Islamic Republic of Iran, which resulted in damage to the airport building and injuries of two civilians. This attack against the territory of the Republic of Azerbaijan constitutes a violation of the norms and principles of international law and serves to increase tensions in the region. We demand from the Islamic Republic of Iran to provide, within the shortest possible timeframe, a clear explanation regarding the case, conduct an appropriate investigation, and take the necessary urgent measures to ensure that such attacks are not repeated in the future. The Azerbaijani side reserves the right to take appropriate response measures. The Ambassador Extraordinary and Plenipotentiary of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the Republic of Azerbaijan, Mojtaba Demirchilou, has been summoned to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, where a strong protest will be conveyed to the Iranian side, and a corresponding note of protest will be presented. (MFA.GOV.AZ / 05.03.2026)

●イランからの無人機攻撃に対するアゼルバイジャン国防省声明

Statement by the Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Azerbaijan

On March 5, the armed forces of Iran conducted attacks from Iranian territory using unmanned aerial vehicles against the Nakhchivan International Airport and other civilian infrastructure in Nakhchivan. The technical specifications of the UAVs and the details of the attacks are being investigated. Azerbaijani MOD strongly condemns the attacks carried out by the armed forces of Iran against civilian infrastructure on the territory of Azerbaijan in the absence of any military necessity. Iran bears the entire responsibility for the incident. The Ministry of Defense of the Republic of Azerbaijan prepares necessary retaliatory measures to defend the country's territorial integrity and sovereignty, as well as to ensure the security of civilians and

civilian infrastructure. These acts of aggression will not remain unanswered. (MOD.GOV.AZ / 05.03.2026)

●アリエフ大統領、安全保障会議を開催

President Aliyev chaired meeting of Security Council

On March 5, a meeting of the Security Council was held under the chairmanship of President Aliyev to discuss a serious security situation involving Iran. In his speech, Aliyev stated that a terrorist act had been carried out by Iran against Azerbaijan. According to him, unmanned aerial vehicles launched by Iran targeted the territory of Nakhchivan. The targets included civilian facilities such as Nakhchivan International Airport, its terminal building, a school, and other civilian sites.

Aliyev strongly condemned the attack and said that Azerbaijan demands an official explanation and apology from Iran. He also insisted that those responsible for the attack must be identified and brought to justice.

The president noted that this was not the first act of terrorism by Iran against Azerbaijan. He referred to the earlier attack on the Azerbaijani embassy in Tehran, which resulted in one Azerbaijani citizen being killed and another seriously injured. According to Aliyev, the attacker acted under the direction of Iranian special services, and the assault lasted around 40 minutes without intervention from Iranian security forces. Azerbaijan responded by evacuating its embassy and suspending diplomatic relations. Aliyev said that Iran was eventually forced to apologize and execute the attacker after Azerbaijani pressure.

Aliyev emphasized that Azerbaijan has repeatedly told Iran that Azerbaijani territory would never be used against any neighboring country and that Azerbaijan has no intention of carrying out operations against Iran. He accused Iranian state-controlled media of spreading false accusations and conducting a smear campaign against Azerbaijan.

In response to the drone attack, Aliyev announced that Azerbaijan would not tolerate the aggression. He said the armed forces had been instructed to prepare appropriate retaliatory measures and that the Ministry of Defense, the State Border Service, and special forces had been placed on the highest level of combat readiness.

He also said that Azerbaijan would take diplomatic steps. The Iranian ambassador to Azerbaijan has been summoned to the Ministry of Foreign Affairs, and a formal protest note will be delivered. Additional diplomatic and border security measures are also being implemented.

Aliyev mentioned another incident that occurred the same morning, when Iran asked Azerbaijan for assistance in evacuating Iranian embassy personnel remaining in Lebanon due to a lack of resources. Azerbaijan agreed and sent an aircraft without charging Iran for the operation. Aliyev criticized Iran for allegedly attacking Nakhchivan despite receiving this help. In conclusion, Aliyev stated that Azerbaijan will take all necessary diplomatic and military measures in response to the attack and assured the Azerbaijani people that any hostile force will face the full strength of Azerbaijan's "Iron Fist." (AZERTAG / 05.03.2026)

NOTE:

- *After the attack, the Cabinet of Ministers decided to suspend trailer traffic (including transit ones) across the border with Iran.*
- *Azerbaijan on March 5 closed part of its airspace near Iran in the south of the country. The airspace will remain closed for 12 hours, according to a Notice to Airmen (NOTAM) issued by Azerbaijan.*
- *For safety reasons, flights to Nakhchivan will be temporarily redirected to Türkiye's Ighdır Airport.*

●イラン、アゼルバイジャンに対する攻撃を否定**Iran denied launching an attack against Azerbaijan**

Iran's Armed Forces have denied launching an attack against Azerbaijan alleging to the state-run news agency Tasnim that it was an Israeli false flag operation intended to 'disrupt the relations of Muslim countries'. Iranian Embassy in Baku also stated in its statement that maintaining and developing friendly relations with neighboring countries, especially Azerbaijan, is the principled policy of Iran. The allegations of strikes carried out from Iranian territory are completely groundless. (OC-MEDIA / 05.03.2026)

Azerbaijan strongly rejected claims by Iran denying responsibility for the drone attacks on the Nakhchivan region. Azerbaijani MOD stated that technical monitoring confirmed that four drones launched by Iran's armed forces were directed toward Nakhchivan. One of the drones was neutralized by the Azerbaijani army, while the others targeted civilian infrastructure, including a secondary school during class hours. "Fortunately, the drone targeting the school did not reach its target and crashed nearby, causing an explosion. Taking into consideration the above-mentioned, we expect the armed forces of Iran to put an end to the obvious denials, to express apologies for the incident, and to ensure that those responsible are punished by the relevant Iranian authorities," the statement said. (TREND / 05.03.2026)

●国防省、各国の防衛当局者らと電話会談**Azerbaijan Defense Ministry held telephone conversation with foreign counterparts**

On March 5, Minister of Defense Zakir Hasanov held phone talks with:

- Minister of National Defense of Türkiye Yaşar Güler
- Minister of Defense of Georgia Irakli Chikovani

The conversations took place at the initiative of the Turkish and Georgian counterparts.

The sides discussed the acts of attack carried out by the armed forces of Iran from Iranian territory using UAVs targeting the Nakhchivan International Airport and other civilian infrastructure in Nakhchivan.

The First Deputy Minister of Defense – Chief of the General Staff of the Azerbaijan Army Colonel General Karim Valiyev held telephone conversations with the Chief of the General Staff of the Armed Forces of Türkiye, Army General Selçuk Bayraktaroğlu, and the Chief of General Staff of Hungarian Defence Forces, General Dr. Gábor Böröndi. The conversations took place at the initiative of the Turkish and Hungarian counterparts.

The sides conducted a comprehensive exchange of views on the regional situation and related security issues, including the attacks by Iranian UAE on Nakhchivan.

Chief of the General Staff of the Armed Forces of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, General Fayyad bin Hamed Al-Ruwaili, also conveyed through the Kingdom's military attaché in Azerbaijan that his country condemns such attacks and stands ready to provide the necessary support. (MOD.GOV.AZ / 05.03.2026)

2. 外政関連

● アリエフ大統領、駐アゼルバイジャン・イラン大使館を弔問

President Aliyev visited Iranian Embassy in Azerbaijan to offer condolences

On Mar.04, President Aliyev visited the Embassy of Iran in the country to offer condolences over the passing of the Supreme Leader of the Islamic Republic of Iran, Ayatollah Sayyid Ali Khamenei, and numerous civilians. Mojtaba Demirchilou, Ambassador of Iran to Azerbaijan, welcomed the head of state. The President of Azerbaijan signed the book of condolence. The head of state then held a conversation with the ambassador. Aliyev said he would always fondly recall his meetings with Ayatollah Sayyid Ali Khamenei during his visits to Iran. Mojtaba Demirchilou expressed gratitude to the President of Azerbaijan for visiting the embassy and extending his condolences. (AZERTAG / 04.03.2026)

● アミルバヨフ大統領特命代表、ドイツを訪問

Representative of the President of the Republic of Azerbaijan on special assignments visits Germany

During his business trip to Germany, Elchin Amirbayov, Representative of the President on special assignments, met with Gunther Krichbaum, Minister of State for Europa at the German Federal Foreign Office; Wolfgang Dold, Foreign Policy Adviser to the President of Germany; Alexander Eberl, Deputy National Security Advisor to the German Federal Chancellor; Armin Laschet, Chairman of the Bundestag Foreign Affairs Committee; Mirze Edis, Head of the Bundestag's Germany–South Caucasus Interparliamentary Group, along with other members of the group; and Niklas Wagner, Director for Eastern Europe, the South Caucasus, and Central Asia of the German Federal Foreign Office.

The meetings discussed the current state and future prospects of bilateral relations, emphasizing the importance of deepening the partnership and elevating it to a qualitatively new stage. The parties reviewed prospects for collaboration in political, economic, humanitarian, energy, agriculture, ICT, defense and security, culture, and education. They also discussed other issues of mutual interest. Amirbayov also briefed counterparts on the peace agenda and normalization process between Azerbaijan and Armenia. Discussions also covered the current state and development prospects of Azerbaijan–EU relations, regional transport connectivity, and the potential role of the EU. The President's Representative, who informed the counterparts about the contamination of Azerbaijan's territories with mines and the resulting problems, invited Germany – actively engaged internationally in humanitarian mine clearance – to also support this field in Azerbaijan.

As part of his visit, Amirbayov also held a roundtable with local think tanks and security experts at the German Institute for International and Security Affairs (SWP) and gave an interview to Berliner Zeitung. (REPORT / 04.03.2026)

● **バイラモフ外相、グルバノフ・トルクメニスタン外務次官率いる代表団と会談**
FM Bayramov received a delegation led by Deputy Minister of Foreign Affairs of Turkmenistan, Ahmet Gurbanov

On Feb.27, the parties reviewed opportunities to expand cooperation in trade and economic sectors, energy, transport and logistics, collaboration in the Caspian Sea, as well as humanitarian and cultural fields. The sides also exchanged views on pressing regional and international issues and underscored the importance of further strengthening cooperation within multilateral platforms.

On the same day, the next round of political consultations between the Ministries of Foreign Affairs of Azerbaijan and Turkmenistan was held, led by Deputy Foreign Minister Samir Sharifov on the Azerbaijani side and Deputy Foreign Minister Ahmet Gurbanov on the Turkmen side. (TREND / 27.02.2026)

● **外務省、中東における軍事的エスカレーションに懸念表明**
Azerbaijani MFA expresses concern over military escalation in Middle East

The military escalation, which poses a serious threat to security and stability in the region and globally, is of deep concern, the statement of Azerbaijani Foreign Ministry says. The Ministry called on all parties to demonstrate maximum restraint, refrain from actions that would further increase tensions, and return to the negotiating table.

The statement noted that the importance of respecting the sovereignty, territorial integrity and independence of all states in accordance with the UN Charter and recognized norms and principles of international law is emphasized. (TREND / 28.02.2026)

● **アゼルバイジャンとイラン、地域の軍事的エスカレーションについて協議**

Azerbaijan, Iran discuss military escalation in region

On Mar. 01, a telephone conversation took place between FM Bayramov and his Iranian counterpart Seyyed Abbas Araghchi. The conversation focused on the situation arising from military operations in Iran and the military escalation in the region. Minister Bayramov expressed serious concern over the tragic escalation of the situation in the region. He conveyed condolences regarding the death of the Iranian Supreme Leader and innocent civilians. Hope was expressed for the prompt cessation of military actions and for resolving the existing situation solely in accordance with the norms and principles of international law, through dialogue and diplomatic means. It was also emphasized that the territory of Azerbaijan cannot be used by any country against neighboring and friendly Iran. (TREND / 01.03.2026)

● アゼルバイジャンとウズベキスタン、同盟関係について協議

Azerbaijan, Uzbekistan discuss allied relations

On Mar.01, a telephone conversation took place between FM Bayramov his Uzbek counterpart Bakhtiyor Saidov. The tense security situation in the region and the ongoing military escalation were discussed during the call. Within the framework of the telephone conversation, issues arising from the allied relations between Azerbaijan and Uzbekistan, the continuation of high-level contacts, and prospects for developing cooperation in various fields were also discussed. (TREND / 01.03.2026)

● アリエフ大統領、イラン大統領に弔意を表明

President Ilham Aliyev expresses condolences to President of Iran

President Aliyev has sent a letter of condolence to President of Iran Masoud Pezeshkian. The letter reads: "The news of the tragic death of Ayatollah Seyid Ali Khamenei, the Supreme Leader of the Islamic Republic of Iran, has deeply saddened us... Ayatollah Seyid Ali Khamenei was a figure who played a vital role in the life of the Iranian state and society over many years and held a special place in his country's political and religious life. His death is a great loss for Iran..." (TREND / 01.03.2026)

● バイラモフ外相、中東情勢の緊張をめぐり各国外相らと電話会談

FM Bayramov held phone talks with the foreign ministers of Canada, Spain, Iraq, the United Arab Emirates, Oman, Jordan, Kuwait, Bahrain, Turkey, Kazakhstan, Latvia, France, Pakistan as well as with EU foreign policy chief Kaja Kallas, regarding tensions in the Middle East

Deep concern was expressed over the military escalation in the region. The importance of intensifying diplomatic efforts to restore negotiations and the need to protect civilians and

infrastructure were emphasized. The possibility of using Azerbaijan's land border, if necessary, for evacuating Canadian and EU citizens from Iran was also discussed, as was done during last June's military escalation. (JAM-NEWS.NET / 01-02.03.2026)

● ロシア大使館、アゼルバイジャンに謝意表明

Russian Embassy thanks Azerbaijan

The Russian embassy in Tehran expressed gratitude to the Azerbaijani side for its assistance in arranging the departure of Russian citizens from Iran through the Astara border crossing. The diplomatic mission noted that the Russian embassy in Azerbaijan is providing assistance to compatriots leaving Iran, and the Azerbaijani side is promptly reviewing issues related to issuing border crossing permits. (TREND / 01.03.2026)

● アリエフ大統領、ロシア副首相と会談

President Aliyev received Deputy Prime Minister of Russia

On Mar.02, President Aliyev received Alexei Overchuk, Russian Deputy Prime Minister and Co-Chair of the Intergovernmental Commission. The Russian side expressed sincere gratitude to the Azerbaijani leadership for the prompt assistance provided in evacuating Russian citizens from Iran amid the complex and tense regional situation.

The sides held a broad exchange of views on the agenda of Azerbaijan–Russia relations. It was noted that, in line with the agreements reached by the leaders of Azerbaijan and Russia during their meeting in Dushanbe on October 9, 2025, the sides will take comprehensive practical steps in the near future to address the issues arising from the crash of the AZAL aircraft on December 25, 2024.

The discussion also focused on the shared intention to further develop mutually beneficial cooperation in the economy, trade, investment, industry, and transport-logistics sectors between Azerbaijan and Russia in the future. They also discussed prospects for transport connectivity in the region. The sides reaffirmed their commitment to continuing efforts to advance the International North–South Transport Corridor.

A number of humanitarian issues were also discussed during the conversation. The meeting took place in the traditional atmosphere of friendship and constructiveness characteristic of Azerbaijan–Russia interstate dialogue. (AZERTAG / 02.03.2026)

● アリエフ大統領、各国首脳から連帯の電話を受ける

President Aliyev receives support calls from world leaders

On March 5, President Aliyev held phone talks with:

- President of Türkiye Recep Tayyip Erdoğan
- President of the UAE Sheikh Mohammed bin Zayed Al Nahyan

- President of the Republic of Latvia Edgars Rinkēvičs
- President of the Republic of Uzbekistan Shavkat Mirziyoyev
- Prime Minister of Georgia Irakli Kobakhidze

The leaders condemned the attack carried out by Iranian UAV on Azerbaijani territory and expressed solidarity with the Azerbaijani state and people regarding the incident and wished a speedy recovery to those injured in the attack. (AZERTAG / 05.03.2026)

● **イラン外相、バイラモフ外相に対し、アゼルバイジャンに向けた飛翔体の発射を否定**
Iran Foreign Minister assures Bayramov Tehran did not launch projectiles toward Azerbaijan

Iranian Foreign Minister Seyed Abbas Araghchi held a phone conversation with FM Bayramov. “The Iranian foreign minister, emphasizing Iran’s policy of good neighborliness toward this country, stated that Iran seeks to expand relations with Azerbaijan in all areas. Araghchi, referring to the explosions in Nakhchivan, denied that any projectiles had been launched toward the republic from Iran and noted that the armed forces of Iran are conducting the necessary checks and investigation into the matter. Araghchi particularly pointed to the role of the Israeli regime in such attacks aimed at diverting public attention and undermining Iran’s good-neighborly relations with its neighbors, adding that other similar incidents have also been observed in recent days. The Iranian foreign minister expressed regret over the injuries of several citizens of the Republic of Azerbaijan as a result of the incident and wished them a speedy recovery,” the Iranian media outlet TASNIM said.

In his turn FM Bayramov strongly condemned the attacks carried out by Iran and expressed his firm protest against them. He emphasized that these attacks on the territory of Azerbaijan contradict the norms and principles of international law and serve to increase tension in the region. The Azerbaijani minister highlighted that Azerbaijan expects an apology from Iran regarding the attacks, an explanation regarding the results of the investigation in a short period of time, and the necessary measures to prevent such cases from recurring in the future. (TREND, TASNIM / 05.03.2026)

● **バイラモフ外相、ナヒチバンへの無人機攻撃をめぐり各国外相と電話会談**
FM Bayramov held phone talks with foreign counterparts over drone attack on Nakhchivan

On March 5, FM Bayramov held phone talks with:

- Armenian FM Ararat Mirzoyan
- Uzbekistan FM Bakhtiyor Saidov
- Georgian FM Maka Botchorishvili

- Turkish FM Hakan Fidan
- Deputy Prime Minister and Foreign Minister of Pakistan, Muhammad Ishaq Dar
- Israeli Foreign Minister Gideon Sa'ar
- Kyrgyz FM Jeenbek Kulubayev
- Kazakh FM Yermek Kosherbayev
- Federal Minister for European and International Affairs of Austria, Beate Meinl-Reisinger
(TREND / 05-06.03.2026)

● **ナヒチェバンへの無人機攻撃をめぐるアゼルバイジャンへの支持表明国**
International support to Azerbaijan over drone attack on Nakhchivan

The foreign countries' statements of support and condemnation of the drone attack on Nakhchivan came from:

- Spanish MFA
- Jordan MFA
- Turkish MFA
- French MFA (G7)
- Saudi Arabia MFA
- Qatar MFA
- Moldovan MFA
- UAE MFA
- Montenegro MFA
- Kuwait's MFA
- Embassy of Ukraine
- Embassy of Latvia
- Embassy of Germany (G7)
- Embassy of Belgium
- Embassy of Hungary
- Embassy of Czech Republic
- EU Ambassador
- Albanian Prime Minister Edi Rama
- Pakistani Prime Minister Shehbaz Sharif
- UK Ambassador Fergus Auld (G7)
- French Ambassador Sophie Lagoutte
- Ukraine's FM Andrii Sybiha
- High Representative and Vice-President of the European Commission Kaja Kallas
- Estonian Foreign Minister Margus Tsakhna
- Lithuanian FM
- Organization of Turkic States
- UN

- GUAM
- OIC (REPORT / 05-06.03.2026)

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