NEW YORK - While participating at the summit, Abdullah said that it is a distinct honor for him and the Afghan delegation to attend the Nelson Mandela Peace Summit at the outset of the 73rd session of the United Nations General Assembly on Monday and renewed the Afghan government’s commitment over the peace process.

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Indonesia-India Trade Show Concludes in Mumbai with Over 166 Deals Signed

KABUL - The second annual “Passage to Prosperity: Indonesia- Afghanistan International Trade and Investment Show” successfully closed in Mumbai on September 13, 2018—with more than 2,000 buyers, sellers, investors, and visitors in attendance, according to a statement on Tuesday.

The Governments of India, Afghanistan, and the United States—through the United States Agency for International Development (USAID), facilitated the event recognized as one of the largest events in Mumbai this year. The show marked the strengthening of economic and investment ties between Afghanistan and other international markets and facilitated partnerships through business-to-business matchmaking, joint-venture opportunities, and consumer sales.

Nowshera Dry Port to Boost Afghan-Pakistan Trade

PESHAWAR - Trade between Kabul and Islamabad will see a major boost with the completion of a dry port in Khyber Pakhtunkhwa province, hopes a Pakistani business leader.

Sarhadi Chamber of Commerce and Industry (SCCI) leader Ziaul Haq Sarhadi said the Afghan had shifted its creation. The dry port, which has been established set up in 1986, has not been upgraded even after 32 years of its creation.

Sarhadi complained the dry port had severely affected business activities in the northwestern province and trade between Pakistan and Afghanistan.

The Peshawar dry port, which has been established as a temporary arrangement, lacks facilities. The dry port, set up in 1986, has not been upgraded even after 32 years of its creation. Sarhadi said the Afghan had shifted its creation.

Asfandyar Supports Citizenship for Afghan Refugees

PESHAWAR – A veteran Pakhtoon nationalist leader has strongly supported Prime Minister Imran Khan’s proposal to grant Pakistani citizenship to Afghan refugees.

Awami National Party (ANP) President Asfandyar Wali Khan said his party would give surety that Afghans would have no effect on the rights of other ethnic groups in Pakistan. Citizenship for Afghan refugees was a humanitarian issue as the third generation of Afghans was born in Pakistan, he told a press conference in Peshawar on Monday.