President's State visit to Pakistan



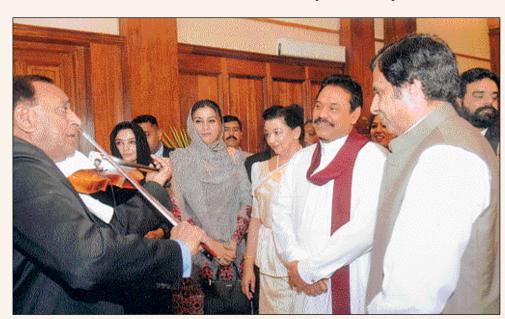


Pakistani President Pervez Musharraf warmly welcomes President Mahinda Rajapaksa at the President's House.

The Prime Minister of Pakistan Shaukat Aziz and Mrs. Aziz with President Mahinda Rajapaksa at the Prime Minister's official residence.



The Sri Lankan President at the welcome ceremony accorded by his Pakistani counterpart.



President Rajapaksa and first Lady Shiranthi Rajapaksa listen to a violin recital with the Chief Minister of Punjab.



The Pakistani business community presenting a souvenir to President Rajapaksa in Karachi.



President Rajapaksa introducing the members of his delegation - Foreign Minister Mangala Samaraweera, Media and Information Minister Anura Priyadharshana Yapa, Trade Minister Jeyaraj Fernandopulle and Minister Douglas Devananda to President Musharraf.



Trade and Consumer Affairs Minister Jeyaraj Fernandopulle addressing businessmen in Islamabad.

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