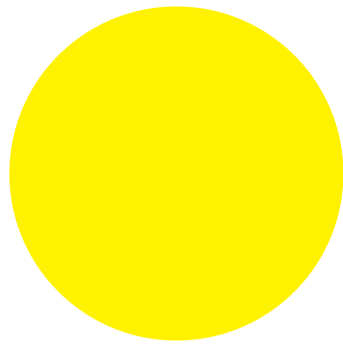


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Russian delegation's dual-purpose visit



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A high-ranking delegation, headed by Russian Security Council's Secretary Sergei Shoigu, visited Tehran yesterday to hold talks with Iranian officials. The visit can be assessed from two perspectives: the bilateral relations between Tehran and Moscow, and regional developments and tensions between Iran and Israel. Iran and Russia have extensive relations and cooperation. Over the past year, one of the important topics between them has been an agreement on comprehensive cooperation, which is almost ready for signing. Thus, the groundwork for its signing should be prepared on both sides. It is likely that this visit will pave the way for the signing of this document. The document is based on the extensive cooperation that the two countries have developed over the past few years. Tehran and Moscow's collaboration used to be predominantly economic and limited, but in the past three to four years, their cooperation has taken on new dimensions, especially since the previous restrictions were lifted after Russia was targeted by Western sanctions, giving the two nations more leeway to foster their partnership.

There is speculation that a new government in Iran may lead to a shift in the level of relations and cooperation, possibly resulting in a decline. However, the cooperation document is a significant aspect of the bilateral relationship that remains unaffected by changes in governments. [Page 8 >](#)

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