

India, Burma agree for border security coordination



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[India](#) and Burma ([Myanmar](#)) agreed for close security coordination in border areas keeping in view the sensitivity of each other's strategic interests. In a press statement after holding delegation [level](#) talks with visiting [Myanmar](#) State Counsellor Daw Aung San Suu Kyi in [New Delhi](#) on 19 October [2016](#), Prime Minister [Narendra Modi](#) said, [as](#) a reliable partner and friend, [India](#) stands shoulder to shoulder with [Myanmar](#).

PM Modi added that the two neighboring countries agreed to enhance engagement in several areas including [agriculture](#), power, and renewable energy. [New Delhi](#) and NayPieTaw will also work to develop a mutually beneficial arrangement for [trade](#) in pulses, added Modi. [India](#) offered to enhance power supply from Moreh in [Manipur](#) of northeast [India](#) to [Myanmar](#)'s Tamu town. Archaeological [Survey](#) of [India](#) will [soon](#) begin work on restoring two old temples and inscriptions of King Mindon and King Baygyidaw in Bodh Gaya of Bihar, said the statement.

Ms Suu Kyi, who is recognized [as](#) the democratic icon in her country, stated that Burma admires [India](#) for being the greatest democracy in the world. She hoped that [India](#) could help Burma with its experiences in different field of activities to overcome numerous challenges.

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