

**High Commission of India  
Nairobi**

**High Commissioner called on Foreign Minister of Kenya**

India-Kenya relations are underpinned by historical trade and cultural links. We are Indian Ocean littoral states. Since ancient times, taking advantage of the monsoon winds, sailors from the western shores of India have travelled to the eastern shores of Africa. Communities from India have settled along the eastern coast of Kenya for centuries. India was Kenya's largest trade partner in 2014-2015, when bilateral trade amounted to USD 4.3 billion. Currently the third largest tourist arrivals into Kenya are from India. Similarly, Kenyans travel to India for trade, studies, medical treatment and tourism. There is a large, thriving Indian diaspora community in Kenya which contributes to our multi-faceted relationship. High Commissioner Ms. Suchitra Durai called on Cabinet Secretary for Foreign Affairs (Foreign Minister) Amb Amina Mohamed on 2 April, 2016 to discuss further strengthening of our relations.

