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NIAZ AHMED NAIK ELECTED CHAIRMAN OF PREPARATORY COMMITTEE
FOR NEW DEVELOPMENT STRATEGY

Niaz Ahmed Naik, Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the United Nations, yesterday was elected Chairman of the Preparatory Committee for the New International Development Strategy.

Mr. Naik has been Permanent Representative of Pakistan since October 1978.

Since December 1974, Mr. Naik has served as Additional Foreign Secretary in Pakistan's Ministry of Foreign Affairs.

He was Ambassador and Permanent Representative of Pakistan to the European Office of the United Nations in Geneva from 1970 to 1974, and served as Director-General (United Nations) in the Ministry of Foreign Affairs from 1967 to 1970.

A member of the Pakistan Foreign Service since 1949, Mr. Naik has also served in various diplomatic assignments in Bad Godesberg, Federal Republic of Germany (1963-1965); Rangoon, Burma (1960-1963); New York, United Nations mission (1955-1959); and Sydney, Australia (1951-1955).

A bachelor, Mr. Naik was born on 31 May 1926. He holds both bachelor's and master's degrees.

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