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ABU DHABI: President Asif Ali Zardari's visits Sheikh Zayed Mosque. —Agency

## Zardari expresses resolve to steer Pakistan out of hot waters

ABU DHABI: President Asif Ali Zardari on Tuesday expressed his resolve to steer the country out of numerous challenges with the help and cooperation of people including the expatriate Pakistanis as well as the political and democratic forces.

"The countries and nations have

difficult times, but there was no need to worry as the PPP government will Inshallah steer the country out of challenges it was facing," the President said while addressing a large gathering of Pakistani community here at Pakistan embassy.

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## Venezuela's Chavez welcomes Russian warships

LA GUAIRA, Venezuela: Russian warships sailed into port in Venezuela on Tuesday in a show of strength as Moscow seeks to counter U.S. influence in Latin America.

Russia's first such deployment in the Caribbean since the Cold War is timed to coincide with President Dmitry Medvedev's visit to

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## Karzai demands 'timeline' for foreign troop pull out

KABUL: President Hamid Karzai demanded at a meeting with a UN Security Council team Tuesday that the international community set a "timeline" for ending military intervention in Afghanistan, his office said.

Karzai told a delegation from the Council that his country needed to know how long the U.S.-led "war on terror" was going to be fought in

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## Obama pledges to shake the economy

CHICAGO, Illinois: US President-Elect Barack Obama has promised the rapid implementation of a multi-billion-dollar package to deliver a "jolt" to the ailing economy. Mr. Obama said he intended to create and save 2.5 million US jobs by investing in the national infrastructure. But he stressed that the scale of the problem required action by the US in tandem with other governments.

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President-Elect Barack Obama At News Conference About His Economic Stimulus Program - VP Elect Joe Biden And Director Designate.

## UN to confer award posthumously on Benazir

UNITED NATIONS: The United Nations has decided to confer its top human rights award posthumously on former Prime Minister Benazir Bhutto, who fought to

promote democracy and fundamental freedoms in Pakistan, informed sources at U.N. Headquarters said Tuesday.

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## Pakistanis are one of the most hospitable people: Wild Life Artist John Banovich

PARADISE VALLEY, Livingston - Montana: "Many people told me not to travel to Pakistan, as it is considered a dangerous place. My host Saeed Khan, a successful Arizonian entrepreneur of Pakistani descent, assured me everything will be alright



John-Banovich

and when I visited for 3 weeks in March 2008 with my friend Eric Stumberg from Austin Texas, I found Pakistan to be most wonderful. I have traveled the whole of Europe, Russia, India, several African, Asian

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**Have A Nice Hajj**

Staff Members of Pakistan Publications Inc. (Pakistan Chronicle and Pakistan Journal) will like to extend our heartiest greetings and prayers to all those leaving this and next week for Hajj (pilgrimage) in Mecca and Medina Saudi Arabia. All of You Most Esteemed People: Please Remember us in your prayers.

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