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Turkey sees Upper Karabakh 'as own' issue

By Satuk Bugra Kutlugun

ANKARA - Turkey hopes the Upper Karabakh issue between Azerbaijan and Armenia will be resolved urgently within the scope of UN resolutions, President Recep Tayyip Erdogan on Wednesday. During a joint news

conference with Azerbaijan's freshly-reelected President Ilham Aliyev in capital Ankara, Erdogan said Turkey has seen the Upper Karabakh issue as its own "from the beginning".

"Since the beginning, we saw the Upper Karabakh issue as our own," he said. "Our biggest desire... MORE DETAILS



By Elena Teslova

MOSCOW - Russia has started production of the S-400 air defense system for Turkey, head of the Russian manufacturing company, Rosoboronexport, said on Wednesday.

"We have started to execute the contract. We are not talking about the deliveries of S-400, the production of the air defense system has started," Rosoboronexport General Director Alexandre

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Miheev said in Turkey's resort city of Antalya, according to the statecontrolled news agency, RIA Novosti.

Last December, Turkey announced it had concluded an agreement with Russia for the purchase of two S-400 systems by late 2019. On April 3, Turkish President Recep Tayyip Erdogan and his Russian counterpart Vladimir Putin said in Ankara that they had agreed to shorten the... MORE DETAILS

Gallipoli landings commemorated at dawn



Over 1,000 Australians, New Zealanders commemorate landing of foreign troops on Turkish soil during World War I

CANAKKALE - Over 1,000 visitors from Australia and New Zealand attended a dawn service in Turkev's western Canakkale province Wednesday to commemorate the 103rd anniversary

Turkey faces 'wave' of Afghan migrants

of the landing of foreign troops on Turkish soil during World War I. Nearly 1,300 Australians and New Zealanders made the trip to the former battlefields overlooking the Dardanelles Strait for the annual sunrise commemoration of the start of the eightmonth campaign.

Participants stayed out overnight at the commemoration site... MORE DETAILS



Over 300 receive jail

KONYA - A court in the central Konya province on Wednesday handed down jail sentences to 342 people linked to the Fetullah **Terrorist Organization** (FETO), for their involvement in the July 2016 defeated coup. FETO and its U.S.-based leader Fetullah Gulen orchestrated the defeated coup on July 15, 2016, that martyred 250 people and injured nearly 2,200 others. Ankara also accuses FETO of

adding that a thaw in

alternative to Europe.

Binali Yildirim's remarks

relations with Russia is not an

being behind a long-running campaign to overthrow the state through the infiltration of Turkish institutions, particularly the military, police, and judiciary. The 9th Criminal Court convicted 332 out of 478 suspects of being members of an armed terrorist organization, a source, who asked not to be named due to restrictions on speaking to the media, said. Eight people were convicted

of "aiding" a terror... MORE DETAILS

By Mehmet Tosun and Mumin Altas came at the Nueva Economia Forum held in Madrid, Spain, MADRID - The Turkish where he arrived Tuesday on an official visit. prime minister said Wednesday Ankara is He said Turkey had been waiting for membership in still committed to getting membership in the EU, the EU for more than 60

'Ankara fully committed

to EU membership'

years. "We are NATO members. We are from a country that has been waiting for... MORE DETAILS

sentence over FETO links

ADANA - Undocumented migrants from Afghanistan to Turkey have been on the rise in recent months, Turkish interior minister said on Wednesday.

"We have been facing in recent months a wave of migrants, especially from Afghanistan," Suleyman Soylu said during his address to immigration

officials in southern Adana province.

"Among the illegal migrants in 2018, [a total of 29,899 people are of Afghan origin. The total number of illegal Afghan migrants in 2017 was 45,259 people," Soylu added.

The interior minister said Turkey arrested... MORE DETAILS