Emir meets US Congress delegation

DOHA: The Emir H H Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani met here yesterday with a US Congress delegation which is currently on a visit to Qatar.

Talks at the meeting dealt with bilateral relations between Qatar and the US and means of enhancing them in various fields, besides a host of regional and international issues of mutual concern.

The audience was attended by Private Secretary to the Emir H E Sheikh Abdulrahman bin Saud Al Thani, Qatar’s Ambassador to the US Badr Omar Al Dafa and Director of European and American Affairs Department at the Foreign Ministry H E Khaled Rashid Al Mansouri.

The Emir has received a letter from Indonesian President Susilo Bambang Yudhoyono dealing with relations between the two countries and a number of issues of mutual concern. The Indonesian Co-Coordinating Minister for Social Affairs and Poverty Alleviation Dr Alawi Abdulrahman Shihab delivered the letter during a meeting with the Emir.

The Emir also received Dr Sheikh Mustafa Tayyari, the head of Muslim Scholars Association in the Bosnia-Herzegovina and his accompanying delegation. The meeting was attended by Husein Panjeta, the ambassador of Bosnia Herzegovina to Qatar.

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