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### **MEDIA COVERAGE**

**Guest Lecture by Javed Jabbar** 

#### "Evolving Nature of Inter-state relations between Pakistan and India"



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ISLAMABAD: July 24 – Former senator and Former Federal Minister for Information and Broadcasting, Javed Jabbar delivering his lecture on Evolving Nature of Inter-State Relations between India and Pakistan at Islamabad Policy Research Institute. APP photo by Saleem Rana



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ISLAMABAD: July 24 - President IPRI, Ambassador Vice-Admiral Khan Hasham Bin Saddique presenting of memento Former Senator Javed Jabba after delivering his lecture on Evolving Nature of Inter-State Relations between India and Pakistan at Islamabad Policy Research Institute. APP photo by Saleem Rana



APP03-24 ISLAMABAD: July 24 - President IPRI, Ambassador Vice-Admiral Khan Hasham Bin Saddique and Former Senator Javed Jabba in a group photo after a lecture on Evolving Nature of Inter-State Relations between India and Pakistan at Islamabad Policy Research Institute. APP photo by Saleem Rana