

Partnership" adopted during Mr. Wickremesinghe's visit to India in July this year.

## ■ India and Italy Sign Mobility and Migration Partnership Agreement



India and Italy have signed a Mobility and Migration Partnership Agreement, aiming to facilitate the movement of workers, students, and professionals between the two nations. The agreement was inked following a comprehensive and productive meeting between India's External Affairs Minister, Dr. S Jaishankar, and Italy's Deputy Prime Minister and Foreign Minister, Antonio Tajani during

the former's recent visit to Italy. During their discussions, the leaders stressed the importance of strengthening the India-Italy strategic partnership and exploring potential collaboration in agro-tech, innovation, space, defense, and the digital domain. They also delved into in-depth conversations about the West Asia situation, the Ukraine conflict, and the Indo-Pacific landscape. Additionally, the External Affairs Minister met with Italy's Defense Minister, Guido Crosetto, to discuss advancing their renewed defense and security partnership.