Ambassador Akhtar Habib



Life-sketch of

Rear Admiral Akhtar Habib,

Ambassador,

Embassy of the "People's Republic of Bangladesh" at Male', "Republic of Maldives"

The Government of the "People's Republic of Bangladesh" has appointed Rear Admiral Akhtar Habib, NGP, ndc . ncc, psc as the **Ambassador** at Male', "Republic of Maldives". He assumed the duties of the Ambassador on 25th May 2017.

Rear Admiral Akhtar Habib presented his **Letter of Credence** to H.E. Abdulla Yameen Abdul Gayoom, Honorable President of the "Republic of Maldives" on 12 June 2017.

Rear Admiral Akhtar Habib was commissioned in Bangladesh Navy in the Executive Branch in 1982. He worked his way through *German Naval Academy* and graduated with *distinction*.

In his long illustrated career, Rear Admiral Habib commanded all the major ships and bases of Bangladesh Navy. He also commanded *Bangladesh Navy Fleet* as Fleet Commander, Chittagong Naval Area, Naval Aviation and Navy's Special Warfare Force.

Besides, he served in **Special Security Force (SSF)**, **Prime Minister's Office at Armed Forces Division (AFD)**, **National Security Intelligence (NSI)** and at *Naval Headquarters* as the **Director of Naval Operations (DNO)**. As an active participant, Rear Admiral Akhtar Habib attended the *bilateral talks* between Bangladesh and India on "**Delimitation of Maritime Boundary**". He is a recipient of "*Navy Glorious Service Medal*" (*NGP*) and "*CNS Commendation*" for his outstanding performance.

Rear Admiral Habib attended various courses at Home and Abroad. He completed his **Diploma** from Naval Command College, **USA** and **Msc** in "**Defence & Strategic Studies**" from **Madras University**, **India**. Rear Admiral Habib also completed **Master in Defence Studies** (**MDS**) from National University, Gazipur and obtained **1**st **Class**. Later on, Rear Admiral Habib completed his **Master** in **Security Studies** (**Moss**) from Bangladesh University of Professionals (BUP) with *distinction*.

He is proficient in **German Language**. He is married and blessed with a son.