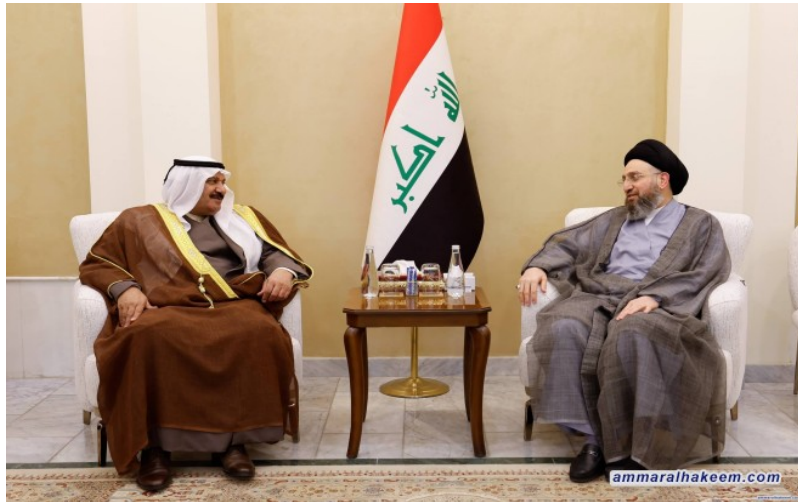


zSayyid Al-Hakeem: National Unity, Internal Cohesion Iraq's Safety Valve to Face Challenges



His Eminence Sayyid Al-Hakeem, Head of the National State Powers' Alliance, met at his office a delegation of tribal sheikhs from Anbar, Nineveh, and Kirkuk governorates, comprising Sheikh Ali Hammad Samir Al-Shallal, Sheikh Abdul Sattar Mohammed Abbas Al-Jumaili, Sheikh Abdul Wahhab Al-Sarhan Al-Bubali, Sheikh Sufyan Omar Ali Al-Nuaimi, and Sheikh Mohammed Adnan Thabit Al-Abbasi. H.E. discussed with them the services situation in the western governorates and the results of his recent visits to these dear governorates.

H.E. stressed the importance of sending messages of reassurance and coexistence among the people of one country, emphasizing harmony, internal cohesion, and national unity, and rejecting any sectarian or racist rhetoric or any attempt aiming to return Iraq to previous squares. H.E. also stressed taking precaution and caution and confronting any attempt that would enable terrorism to catch its breath.