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State Visit of the Emir of Qatar to Germany

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H.H. Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani, Emir of the State of Qatar

H.H. Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani, Emir of the State of Qatar, together with his wife **H.H. Sheikha Mozah bint Nasser Al Missned**, recently paid a state visit to Germany from 27th to 30th September 2010. They were accompanied by an official delegation of highranking representatives of Qatari politics, economy and science. Throughout the entire visit, the friendly and cooperative ties in all areas, as well as the depth of the dynamic and bilateral relations between the two countries were demonstrated. On the first day, H.H. the Emir Sheikh Hamad bin Khalifa Al Thani and H.H. Sheikha Mozah bint Nasser Al Missned met with **H.E. Dr. Angela Merkel**, Chancellor of the Federal Republic of Germany, and discussed the cooperation in various fields, in addition to a number of international political issues of mutual concern. She hailed the great importance that Qatar attaches to education and scientific research while welcoming the development of joint cooperation in areas like renewable energy and modern technology. During their talks, political issues, especially