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## RUSSIA, IRAQ DISCUSS MILITARY COOPERATION

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Russia on Wednesday discussed military cooperation with Iraq, the foreign ministers of the two countries said on Wednesday.

Speaking at a news conference following the bilateral talks, Russian Foreign Minister Sergey Lavrov said the details of new arms sales will be discussed during the visit of the Iraqi defense minister to Moscow, which will happen in the "foreseeable future".

"Our country played and plays an important role in equipping Iraq with weapons, including for the fight against terrorism. We're ready to meet any demand for Russian-made military products. The Iraqi defense minister is to come in the foreseeable future, and I am sure that these issues will be discussed in detail there," Sergey Lavrov said.

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