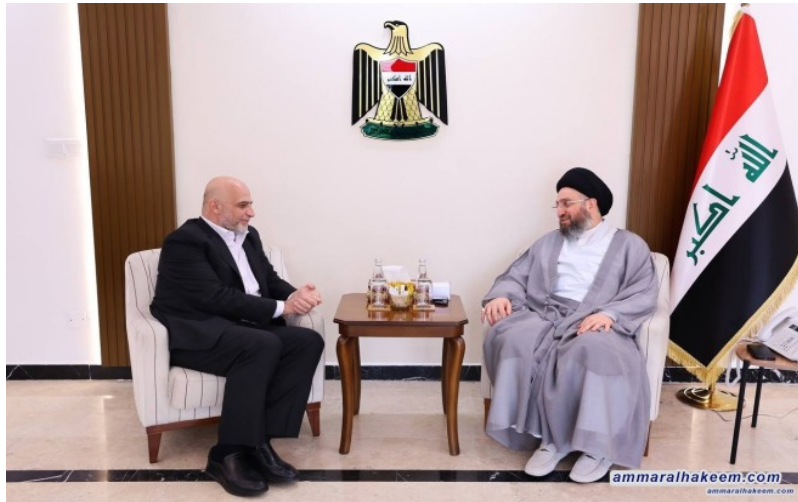


Sayyid Al-Hakeem Stresses Unified and Strong Syria Importance for Iraq and Region



Sayyid Ammar Al-Hakeem, Head of the National State Powers Alliance, met with Mr. Hussein Ragheb, Head of the Syrian National Reform Party, to discuss the latest political developments in Iraq and the region, as well as the bilateral relations between Baghdad and Damascus. His Eminence emphasized Syria's significance to Iraq, the Arab world, and the regional system, noting that Iraq's strength and stability further enhance Syria's importance and unify efforts on regional issues. H.E. renewed his call for Arab and Islamic unity in addressing the Gaza crisis and urged the international community to pressure for an end to Israeli aggression and the massacres committed against the Palestinian people.