

# US Navy hands over two MH-60R's to Indian Navy



Two MH-60R Seahawks, assigned to the “Seahawks” of Helicopter Maritime Strike Squadron (HSM) 41 participate in a formation flyover during a ceremony in which the Indian Navy inducted its first two MH-60Rs from the US Navy at Naval Air Station North Island. The Indian Navy will receive a total of 24 MH-60Rs in the contract with the US Navy. (photo: MC2(SW/AW) Sara Eshleman)

The United States Navy handed over the first two Sikorsky MH-60R multi-role helicopters to the Indian Navy 16 July 2021 at Naval Air Station, North Island, San Diego.

Hamid Salim, Vice President, Sikorsky Maritime & Mission Systems stated, “The delivery of the first two MH-60R Romeo helicopters to the Indian Navy marks the beginning of a new era of collaboration

and partnership between the United States Navy, the Indian Navy and Sikorsky. We are committed to stand shoulder-to-shoulder with the United States Navy to support the Indian Naval Forces in the future through



Vice Adm. Ravneet Singh, Indian Deputy Chief of Naval Staff arrives as a member of the official party during a ceremony in which the Indian Navy inducted its first two MH-60R Seahawks from the US Navy. (photo: MC2(SW/AW) Sara Eshleman)



Ambassador Taranjit Singh Sandhu, Indian Ambassador to the US, delivers remarks during a ceremony in which the Indian Navy inducted its first two MH-60R Seahawks. (photo: MC2(SW/AW) Sara Eshleman)