

[N.Korea Sends Confused Messages](#)

Chosun Ilbo, 16 October 2009

North Korea declared an alert Thursday against South Korean intrusions into its waters. The warning came in a statement the North Korean Navy released by the official [North] Korean Central News Agency. "Some 16 South Korean combat boats intruded into our waters on 10 occasions on Monday alone, claiming that our fishing boats, which were engaged in normal fishing operations, had violated their waters," the North Korean Navy claimed.

http://english.chosun.com/site/data/html_dir/2009/10/16/2009101600317.html

[Indian Navy has a plan to deal with sea piracy: Chidambaram](#)

The Hindu, 22 October 2009

As Somali pirates seized one more ship carrying 24 Indians, the Union government on Thursday said the Indian Navy has a plan to deal with hijacking of vessels on the high seas. Home Minister P Chidambaram said the Indian Navy has earlier undertaken missions and rescued a number of hijacked ships. "I think, the Navy has a plan," he told reporters here when referred to the fresh case of a ship, with 24 Indians on board, being hijacked in Seychelles and asked whether the government was doing anything to beef up security.

<http://beta.thehindu.com/news/national/article37290.ece>

[Chinese navy vessel visits ROK, Japan](#)

People's Daily, 26 October 2009

The Zheng He training ship of the PLA Navy will depart from the Lvshun military harbor at 4:00 this afternoon, to start its journey to visit to the Republic of Korea (ROK) and Japan. The ship's complement of 365 includes 230 cadets from four academies under the People's Liberation Army Navy. They will carry out a series of exchanges with their South Korean and Japanese counterparts.

<http://english.people.com.cn/90001/98649/6794258.html>