

Saturday, May 21

ON THIS DAY



▲ **2009: The British Government agreed that all retired Gurkhas who served in the Armed Forces would be allowed to settle in the UK**

1904: Soccer's international governing body, FIFA, was established in Paris

1945: The Nazi concentration camp at Belsen was razed to the ground

1991: Former Indian premier Rajiv Gandhi was assassinated by a suicide bomber during an election campaign

2010: Fears of an environmental catastrophe grew as oil from the Gulf of Mexico slick coated Louisiana's delicate marshlands a month after the Deepwater Horizon rig explosion