



In the Name of God, the Most Compassionate, the Most Merciful

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Excellency,

I am writing in response to yet another round of baseless accusations made by the representative of the United States against my country during today's United Nations Security Council open briefing on Yemen, held on 13 February 2025 under the agenda item "The situation in the Middle East" (UNSC 9858th meeting). In this meeting, the U.S. representative once again repeated unfounded allegations against the Islamic Republic of Iran, falsely claiming that *"Iran's continued and unprecedented provision of weapons components, financial support, and training and technical assistance to the Houthis over more than a decade violates the arms embargo imposed by this Council."*

The Islamic Republic of Iran categorically rejects these baseless allegations. The U.S. representative, acting on direct orders from Washington and in line with the so-called *"maximum pressure"* policy against the Islamic Republic of Iran, which has already failed and again formalized through the National Security Presidential Memorandum of 4 February 2025, seeks to exploit the Security Council to fabricate accusations against Iran. This orchestrated campaign seeks to demonize Iran, distort realities by reversing the roles of aggressor and victim, and fuel the U.S.-driven Iranophobia narrative by falsely portraying Iran as a threat to international peace and security. Its ultimate goal is to divert attention from the true source of instability and the real threat to regional and global security; the Israeli regime's nefarious activities in the region.

The facts are clear: Washington cannot absolve itself of complicity in Israel's crimes by scapegoating Iran. Unlike the United States which arms and finances Israeli atrocities, the Islamic Republic of Iran remains committed to international law, the UN Charter, and Security Council resolutions.

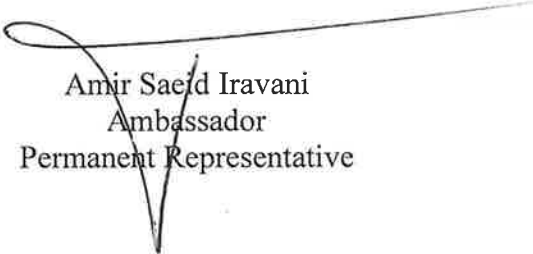
The Islamic Republic of Iran categorically denies any violation of arms embargoes or involvement in fueling the conflict in Yemen. Iran's position has been consistent: Yemen's crisis must be resolved through an inclusive political process that upholds the independent sovereignty, unity, and territorial integrity of Yemen. From the outset, Iran has advocated for a ceasefire, meaningful dialogue, and a peaceful resolution free from foreign interference. Yemen's future



must be determined by its own people. Lasting peace will come through diplomacy, respect for sovereignty, and adherence to international law, not military aggression or baseless accusations.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated as a document of the Security Council.

Please accept, Excellency, the assurances of my highest consideration.


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