



MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS
OF THE ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN

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

22 June 2025

Your Excellency,

Further to my letter dated 13 June 2025, I am writing to you again in the wake of a brazen act of military aggression, this time committed by the United States against peaceful nuclear facilities of the Islamic Republic of Iran, including the enrichment sites at Natanz, Isfahan and Fordow on 21 June 2025, in clear violation of international law and the UN Charter.

I bring to your attention this grave alarming aggression in which a Nuclear-Weapon State attacked a Non-Nuclear Weapon State Party of NPT, whose nuclear activities are under IAEA comprehensive safeguards. As you are fully aware, this attack follows several earlier assaults to the facilities committed by the Israeli regime, a non-party to the NPT in possession of nuclear arsenals. The latest reckless act of aggression by the US not only constitutes a flagrant breach of global peace and security but also poses severe humanitarian and serious environmental risks.

Targeting of nuclear installations is clearly prohibited per numerous international instruments including the IAEA General Conference Resolutions 444, 475 and 533, and article 56 of Additional Protocol to Geneva Conventions. This kind of attack that mark a new low in international relations can lead to catastrophic consequences, massive civilian casualties, and long-term ecological devastation.

This act of aggression by the United States shall be condemned in its strongest terms. The US government must be held accountable for its criminal attack in support of a regime that under the leadership of an internationally wanted war criminal threatens to plunge the whole world into chaos and instability.

It is expected that the emergency session of the United Nations Security Council that is called for to address this act of aggression makes a clear and unequivocal condemnation of the US as a Security Council Permanent Member. The UN and multilateral structures are at the brink and a perilous situation. I expect you as the guardian of the UN system stand firm against this peace defying unlawfulness. The world is watching-inaction will only worsen the crisis and lead to further deterioration of global security.



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We expect the Security Council, and the Secretary-General to fulfill their legal and moral obligations without delay.

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

**Seyed Abbas Araghchi
Minister of Foreign Affairs**

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to be 'S. Araghchi', written over the printed name of the Minister of Foreign Affairs.

To: H. E. Mr. António Guterres
Secretary-General of the United Nations

cc: H.E. Ambassador Carolyn Rodrigues-Birkett
President of the United Nations Security Council