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### **Letter dated 4 April 2022 from the Permanent Representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council**

I am writing in response to the letters dated 21 and 25 March 2022 from the Representative of the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council ([S/2022/255](#) and [S/2022/268](#)) wherein baseless claims and unjustified references against Iran were made.

We categorically reject such false claims and unjustified allusions to Iran in the above-mentioned letters, as well as any unwarranted references to Iran in the letters contained in documents [S/2022/105](#) and [S/2022/145](#).

As stated on numerous occasions, these unsubstantiated claims are based on false flags and disinformation. Furthermore, the Islamic Republic of Iran has never transported weapons or military equipment to Yemen in violation of relevant Security Council resolutions.

Despite our serious reservations regarding Security Council resolution [2216 \(2015\)](#), Iran has always upheld its obligations under that resolution, and any claim to the contrary is totally rejected.

Iran has not only long advocated for an end to Yemen's war and blockade but has also repeatedly reiterated its principled position on the urgent need for a peaceful resolution for the Yemen crisis leveraging international political support in order to end the appalling humanitarian catastrophe caused by indiscriminate attacks on civilians and the country's complete siege over the past seven years.

Given the dire humanitarian situation in Yemen, Iran fully supports the United Nations-led efforts to end the conflict, lift the blockade and provide immediate humanitarian aid to Yemen, and stands ready to assist the United Nations in its efforts in this regard.

We would like to reiterate once again that Iran's foreign policy is founded on adherence to the principles of international law enshrined in the Charter of the United Nations, particularly the principles of sovereign equality of States and non-intervention in their internal and external affairs. In this context, the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran has always pursued a policy of friendship and good neighbourliness with all of its neighbours based on mutual respect, cooperation and dialogue as well as the preservation of regional peace and security through the active engagement of all regional States. We remain steadfast in our determination to carry out this policy in good faith.



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

(*Signed*) Majid **Takht Ravanchi**  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative

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