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Identical letters dated 31 May 2019 from the Permanent Representative of Israel to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

I write to inform you, once again, of the grave violations of Security Council resolution 2231 (2015) by the Iranian regime, as I have outlined repeatedly in previous letters, dated 18 January 2019 (S/2019/62), 20 February 2019 (S/2019/168), 2 April 2019 (S/2019/288), 4 April 2019 (S/2019/292) and 22 April 2019 (S/2019/330).

Iran continues to violate resolution 2231 (2015) restrictions on its ballistic activity. From December 2018 to February 2019, Iran conducted seven surface-to-surface missile tests, including the following types of missiles:

- December 2018 a Zolfaghar
- December 2018 a Khorramshahr variant
- January 2019 a Scud variant
- January 2019 a Qiam
- January 2019 a Zolfaghar
- February 2019 a Zolfaghar
- February 2019 a Shahab-3

All of these missiles cross the threshold of 300 km range and 500 kg payload and, therefore, violate annex B restrictions on Iran's ballistic activity.

Iran has also transferred to Iraq technological know-how for the production of the Mohajem-92 unmanned aerial vehicle, enabling the Iraq Technical Directorate for Military Production to produce the Iraqi Raqeeb unmanned aerial vehicle. This transfer occurred later than January 2016 and, therefore, constitutes a violation of Iran's arms transfers restrictions.

A statement by the Al-Quds Brigades spokesperson in the Gaza Strip in May 2019 points to Iranian military support of the Al-Quds Brigades. In his statement, the Al-Quds Brigades spokesperson mentioned that the Bader 3 missile launch to Ashkelon, manufactured in the Gaza Strip, had happened thanks to "the support ... of the Islamic Republic of Iran ... in all disciplines." This support constitutes a violation of Iran's arms transfers restrictions.

According to our information, several Iranian entities and individuals, designated under the list in resolution 2231 (2015), have been violating the travel ban





and assets freeze restrictions. These entities include: Malek Ashtar University, Sepasad Engineering Company, Khatam Al-Anbiya Construction Headquarters, Yas Air (Pouya Air) and Qasem Soleimani.

I call upon the Security Council to investigate these severe breaches and raise the awareness of all member States regarding their responsibilities in implementing resolution 2231 (2015).

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter distributed as a document of the Security Council. I wish to inform you that an identical letter has been sent to the Secretary-General.

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