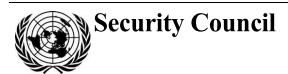
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Letter dated 19 June 2024 from the Permanent Representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council

Further to our previous communications, including letters dated 15 January, 19 February, 18 March and 15 May 2024 (S/2024/64, S/2024/175, S/2024/244 and S/2024/389), I wish to respond to yet another allegation made by the representative of the United States against my country in the Security Council's open briefing on the situation in Yemen, held on 13 June 2024 in connection with the item entitled "The situation in the Middle East" (see S/PV.9654). It is regrettable that the United States representative, as is the United States' typical behaviour, abused the Security Council platform to accuse other sovereign States.

The Islamic Republic of Iran unequivocally rejects these unfounded allegations. On numerous occasions, Iran has made it clear that it is committed to the Security Council's relevant resolutions on the situation in Yemen and has not been engaged in activities in contravention of those resolutions. Instead, Iran consistently advocates the peaceful resolution of the Yemen crisis through diplomatic channels and underscores its dedication to maritime security and freedom of navigation.

The United States and its coalition partners have committed and continue to commit acts of aggression against Yemen's sovereignty and territorial integrity, blatantly violating international law, the Charter of the United Nations and pertinent Security Council resolutions. These egregious violations jeopardize regional peace and stability and obstruct efforts toward achieving a peaceful resolution in Yemen, exacerbating the already dire humanitarian crisis gripping the nation. The United States is fully responsible for these egregious violations. It cannot deny its responsibility. Therefore, using failed tactics and spreading lies and misinformation campaigns about the situation in Yemen cannot justify or legitimize the United States' aggression against Yemen's sovereignty and territorial integrity.

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

(Signed) Amir Saeid Iravani Ambassador Permanent Representative





