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## Identical letters dated 19 June 2024 from the Permanent Representative of the Syrian Arab Republic to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council

On instructions from my Government, and further to our letters regarding repeated acts of aggression by Israel against the territory of the Syrian Arab Republic, I should like to convey to you the following.

At 7.00 a.m. on Wednesday, 19 June 2024, in a continuation of the aggressive policies of the Israeli occupation entity against the sovereignty of the Syrian Arab Republic, as well as its repeated violations of the 1974 Disengagement of Forces Agreement, Israeli enemy aircraft launched an aerial drone attack targeting two military sites of the Syrian Arab Army, in the Qunaytirah Governorate countryside and the Dar'a Governorate countryside, leading to the death of an officer and causing material losses.

The Government of the Syrian Arab Republic has repeatedly warned of the catastrophic repercussions of repeated attacks by the Israeli enemy on the territory of the Syrian Arab Republic and of its grave successive violations of Syrian sovereignty and of international laws and agreements. Today, it once again warns of attempts by the leaders of the racist Israeli occupation entity to ignite the region and drag it into a war that not only threatens the security and stability of Syria and the region, but that will destabilize regional and international peace and security.

It has become clear that thousands of dead Palestinians in the Gaza Strip and the West Bank have not been enough to stop the genocidal war carried out by Israel.

These attacks could not have continued without the unwavering certainty on the part of Israeli war leaders that they are immune from prosecution because of the protection provided by certain well-known Western States.

The Government of the Syrian Arab Republic calls upon the United Nations and the Security Council to shoulder their responsibilities to put an end to Israeli crimes and acts of aggression. Syria affirms the need to compel Israel, an outlaw, to respect and implement United Nations resolutions, in particular Security Council resolutions [242 \(1967\)](#), [338 \(1973\)](#) and [497 \(1981\)](#), as well as the need to end the Israeli



occupation of the Syrian Golan and ensure the withdrawal of the occupying Israeli forces up to the line of 4 June 1967.

Syria reaffirms its right to defend its sovereignty and liberate its occupied territory by all legitimate means authorized under international law.

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter circulated as a document of the General Assembly, under agenda item 34, and of the Security Council.

*(Signed)* Koussay **Aldabbak**  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative

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