



## Security Council

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### **Identical letters dated 1 October 2024 from the Permanent Representative of Israel to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council**

This evening, on 1 October 2024, hundreds of ballistic missiles were launched from Iran towards Israel. The Iranians targeted vast areas in Israel, the main population centres, including Jerusalem and Tel Aviv, and put millions of Israelis in harm's way.

The Islamic Republic of Iran has claimed responsibility for this latest aggression, which it said was launched by the Iranian Revolutionary Guards Corps and the Iranian army. This attack demonstrates that the charm offensive conducted by Iran and its new President is a mirage and the decision-making in Iran lies with the Supreme Leader and the Revolutionary Guards.

I would like to emphasize that this is the second attack in recent months in which Iran directly targeted Israel, after the launching of dozens of unmanned aerial vehicles, cruise missiles and ballistic missiles at Israel on 13 April 2024, violating Israel's sovereignty and international law.

Despite these resolutions, Iran continues to advance its hostile agenda, aimed at Israel with a ring of fire from seven fronts and ultimately aimed at destroying the State of Israel.

In Lebanon, Iran supplied Hezbollah with 150,000 rockets, anti-tank missiles and explosive unmanned aerial vehicles, breaching Security Council resolution [1701 \(2006\)](#). Similarly, in Yemen, Iran provided the Houthis with weapons that threaten the stability in the Gulf and beyond, breaching Security Council resolution [2216 \(2015\)](#). It has also supplied weapons to the Shiite militias in Iraq, breaching Security Council [1546 \(2004\)](#).

In response to these dangerous developments, I wish to recall once again that Israel reserves the right to take all necessary measures to defend itself and its citizens, in conformity with international law, against the ongoing Iranian acts of hostility, including these latest unprecedented, lawless and malicious attacks by Iran and its proxies.

In light of the foregoing and upon the instruction of my Government, I demand an emergency meeting of the Security Council in accordance with Articles 34 and 35 of the Charter of the United Nations, to be scheduled today, 1 October 2024.

I also respectfully urge the Security Council to take decisive action to condemn Iran for its ongoing violations and to immediately designate the "Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps" as a terrorist organization.



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

(*Signed*) Danny **Danon**  
Permanent Representative of Israel to the United Nations

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