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**Letter dated 23 June 2025 from the Permanent Representative of  
Kuwait to the United Nations addressed to the President of the  
Security Council**

I have the honour to attach herewith a letter issued on behalf of the States members of the Gulf Cooperation Council – the United Arab Emirates, the Kingdom of Bahrain, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, the Sultanate of Oman, the State of Qatar and the State of Kuwait – addressed to the Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council, regarding the recent regional developments (see annex).

It would be highly appreciated if the present letter and its annex could be circulated as a document of the Security Council.

(Signed) Tareq M. A. M. **Albanai**

Ambassador

Permanent Representative of the State of Kuwait



**Annex to the letter dated 23 June 2025 from the Permanent Representative of Kuwait to the United Nations addressed to the President of the Security Council**

On behalf of the States members of the Gulf Cooperation Council – the United Arab Emirates, the Kingdom of Bahrain, the Kingdom of Saudi Arabia, the Sultanate of Oman, the State of Qatar and my own country, the State of Kuwait – I have the honour to address you concerning a grave matter of urgency. We strongly condemn the recent attack carried out by the Iranian Revolutionary Guard Corps targeting Al Udeid air base in the State of Qatar. This aggression represents a flagrant violation of Qatar's sovereignty and airspace, as well as a severe breach of international law and the fundamental principles set forth in the Charter of the United Nations.

The Gulf Cooperation Council affirms its unwavering solidarity and full support for the State of Qatar, recognizing its legitimate right to undertake necessary and proportional actions in response to this blatant act of aggression, in accordance with international law. We commend the prompt and effective action of Qatar's air defence forces, which successfully intercepted and neutralized the incoming Iranian missiles, ensuring the safety of personnel and preventing any casualties or significant damage.

We further express our deep concern over the ongoing military escalations and stress that the continuation of such provocative actions seriously undermines regional security and stability, with potentially catastrophic consequences for international peace and security. The Gulf Cooperation Council urgently appeals for an immediate cessation of all military hostilities and emphasizes the imperative for a sincere return to diplomatic negotiations and dialogue.

The Gulf Cooperation Council remains firmly committed to peaceful diplomatic resolutions, guided by the principles of good neighbourliness and mutual respect. Dialogue remains the essential path forward to address and resolve current tensions, thereby ensuring the lasting security, stability and prosperity of the region.

*(Signed)* Tareq M. A. M. **Albanai**  
Permanent Representative of the State of Kuwait,  
in his capacity as the Chair of Gulf Cooperation Council