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In the Name of the Most High Viewpoint

Netanyahu Unmasked as a “Shameless Liar”

By: Kayhan Int'l Staff Writer

To the applause of fellow terrorists in the US, in certain European capitals, in Occupied Palestine, and in the corridors of power of reactionary Arab states, as ‘Crime Minister’ Benjamin Netanyahu of the illegal Zionist entity, uttered the most preposterous lies from the UN podium in New York on Tuesday against Iran and its positive influence in the region, including what he called a missile factory and depot of Lebanon’s legendary anti-terrorist movement, the Hezbollah, at the Janah at Beirut international airport by displaying a map of the site, his tomfoolery crashed, thanks to a master stroke of Seyyed Hassan Nasrollah.

The Secretary-General of Hezbollah in his video speech to a vast audience on the same night exposed the theatrics of terrorist Netanyahu and showed to the whole world what a shameless this child-killer is, by inviting journalists to visit the Janah site immediately to see and film what the alleged depots actually contain.

“We do not place missiles at Beirut port or near a gas station and we know very well where we should place our missiles,” said the esteemed Seyyed, who as the western media has admitted on several occasions, never stoops to untruth.

He added: “Hezbollah is not obliged to invite journalists to any site mentioned by Netanyahu, but we are doing this now due to the sensitivity of the situation after the August 4 explosion” – that destroyed the Beirut seaport area, killing over 200 people, and wounding 6,000 others, and is believed to be a joint terrorist operation of Mossad and the CIA.

The Zionist terrorist, who is known to be a corrupt criminal even amongst his own fellow Jews who are up in arms against him in Israel, or more properly Occupied Palestine, is certainly humiliated, although he won’t admit it, and despite being exposed to the world people as ‘garbage’, he is confident that he can always take the ring-leaders of rootless Arab regimes for a ride in view of the blind hatred of Islamic Iran that they share with him.

From his UN speech it was evident to all how fearful Netanyahu is of Iran, its rise as the paramount power for peace in the region, and its positive influence on the people and governments in the neighborhood and beyond, to the chagrin of US president, Donald Trump – himself a notorious liar devoid of any grain of truth and honesty.

According to observers, not just Crime Minister Netanyahu, but the whole Zionist apparatus – including supporters in the US and the unrepresentative Arab regimes – is dead scared of the prediction of the Leader of the Islamic Revolution, Ayatollah Seyyed Ali Khamenei, of the fast approaching end of illegitimate Israel.

They know that once a spurious entity founded on the myth of the holocaust in Europe, ceases to exist, then all those fake entities created by colonial Britain will begin to collapse; hence the collective plot to blame Iran and call ‘terrorists’ the movements and people influenced by the Islamic Republic.

Lebanon’s Hezbollah Leader is too wise a person to keep quiet in the face of lies spread by the enemies of his country, and he promptly pointed to those misled by the western politicians and propaganda machine.

He rightly remarked: “It was not us who chose war; rather the Zionists occupied our land.”

He also said: “We did not go to Syria to fight civilians. We went there at the invitation of the government of Syria to fight terrorist groups.”

Apropos Seyyed Nasrollah, through your timely address to your audience at home and abroad, you not only unmasked the enemies of Lebanon and its people – including those European states pretending to be friends and trying to dictate terms – but reaffirmed the independence and sovereignty of your homeland by saying in clear words that any government in Beirut should represent the various political and religious parties of the country, instead of being imposed by outsiders.

Iranian Envoy Excoriates Europeans Over Rights



Riot police drag a protester during a demonstration of the yellow vests movement in Paris.

GENEVA (Dispatches) – Iran’s ambassador to the UN office in Geneva has censured Germany and several other countries for baselessly criticizing the human rights situation in Iran while trying to appease the United States by turning a blind eye to its criminal sanctions, which “grossly” violate the Iranian people’s most basic rights.

Esmail Baghaei Hamaneh made the remarks at the 45th session of the UN Human Rights Council, days after Germany issued a statement to the body on behalf of 47 countries expressing concerns about alleged violations of rights to freedom of expression, association and assembly in Iran.

He said that the allegations raised against Iran in the statement “are not corroborated by hard evidence or facts on the ground,” but are rather based on “faulty generalization of twisted or incomplete information about certain individual cases.”

“Human rights, civil, political, economic, social and cultural, are all interdependent, indivisible and interrelated. It has long been proven that external interferences are

inherently antithetical to, and damaging for, the promotion of each and every one of these rights,” he added.

Baghaei Hamaneh also stressed Iran’s unwavering determination to improve human rights despite “systemic stigmatization as well as unlawful vindictive sanctions and belligerent bullying and pressure by the United States.”

He further complained that the illegal U.S. sanctions on Iran have blocked the country’s access to medicine amid the coronavirus outbreak.

“The challenges we’re facing in addressing the impact of COVID-19 pandemic are twofold due to inhuman unilateral coercive measures that are wickedly levied against Iran and are grossly violating the basic rights of my fellow Iranians to health and to life, including by blocking Iran’s access to medicine and medical devices,” he said.

The countries that contributed to the anti-Iran statement opted to appease Washington by ignoring violations of Iranians’ rights through sanctions and are thus complicit in

American crimes, the Iranian diplomat noted.

“The U.S. criminal sanctions are truly the main cause of gross and widespread violations of human rights in the targeted nations and must be recognized as such. Those few States that instigated the initiative of making joint statement against Iran consciously chose to ignore this grave injustice and blatant wrongful act, knowing that they as well share responsibility for the consequences of the U.S. lawless and criminal behavior due to their failure to honor their own commitments vis-à-vis Iran and because of their appeasement approach toward the U.S. illegality. They shall be reminded that ‘complicity and complicity go hand in hand,’” he said.

Baghaei Hamaneh said Tehran’s engagement with the UN human rights mechanisms, including the Office of the High Commissioner, is long standing and productive.

“Iran is well aware of the substantial importance of constructive engagement with all responsible stakeholders that appreciate the value of interactive dialogue, and

Foreign Ministry’s Reaction to UAE’s Claims: Iran’s Sovereignty Over Persian Gulf Islands Definite

TEHRAN (Dispatches) – Iran on Wednesday reiterated its dismissal of claims raised by the UAE foreign minister against three Iranian islands in the Persian Gulf, saying such “groundless” comments would not change anything about Iran’s sovereignty over the three islands.

“Iran’s sovereignty over the Iranian islands of Abu Musa, the Greater Tunb, and the Lesser Tunb is definite and irrefutable, and all of Iran’s measures have been taken within the framework of exercising its sovereignty and territorial integrity, and

clearly have nothing to do with any foreign government,” Foreign Ministry spokesman Saeed Khatibzadeh said.

“Such comments and repetition of groundless claims have had and would have no impact on our country’s sovereignty, as they lack any legal validity,” Khatibzadeh stated.

He further deplored the UAE’s destructive interference in a number of countries and its active participation in warmongering, saying Abu Dhabi’s agreement on normalization of ties with the usurping, belligerent

and crisis-creating Zionist regime of Israel has in fact turned the UAE into part of the crisis in the West Asia region.

The statement came after the UAE’s Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation Sheikh Abdullah bin Zayed Al told the general debate of the 75th Session of the UN General Assembly on Tuesday that his country had legal right regarding sovereignty over the three Persian Gulf islands and that Iran had allegedly occupied the islands in violation of the UN Charter.

Three IRGC Members Martyred in Southeast Iran

TEHRAN (Press TV) -- Unknown assailants have martyred three members of the Quds Force of Iran’s Islamic Revolution Guards Corps (IRGC) in southeastern Iran near the border with Pakistan.

The IRGC Quds Force said in a statement that two vehicles carrying its personnel had come under attack by passengers of another car on a road in Nikshahr County of Sistan and Baluchestan Province at 16:00 local time (1330

GMT) on Tuesday.

It added that three IRGC members lost their lives and another one was wounded in the attack.

According to the statement, the identity of the assailants was under investigation. It said two of the assailants were also killed in the ensuing clashes.

No group has claimed responsibility for the assault so far.


Terrorists operating in neighboring countries, including Pakistan

and Iraq, have repeatedly targeted Iranian military and security forces serving in border provinces.

In February, two border guards were martyred in clashes with members of a terrorist group in Sistan and Baluchestan Province.

Tehran has frequently complained to Islamabad about foreign-backed terrorists who use the Pakistani territory to launch attacks in Sistan and Baluchestan Province.

The Holy Qur'an



And to the three who were left behind, until the earth became strait to them notwithstanding its spaciousness and their souls were also straitened to them; and they knew it for certain that there was no refuge from Allah but in Him.

The Holy Qur'an (9.118)

PRAYER TIMINGS

Noon (Zohr)	11:54
Evening (Maghreb)	18:05
Dawn (Fajr) “Tomorrow”	04:36
Sunrise “Tomorrow”	05:59

do not regard human rights as a bargaining chip to appease their friends and antagonize those who perceive as their adversaries,” he underlined.

“We continue our respectful and mutually beneficial dialog with the interested parties on promotion and protection of human rights and dignity,” the official said.

Additionally, the Iranian diplomat explained that Iran’s Judiciary is independent and committed to due process in accordance with the applicable laws as well as Iran’s obligations under relevant international instruments.

“No State or groups of States are entitled to impose their way of thinking or their legal systems on others. The domestic legal systems of countries are informed on the basis of the specificities of each society as well as relevant norms, rules and principles shared among nations, and should be respected as manifestation of their sovereignty,” he concluded.

‘Trump’s Supreme Court Pick Represented MKO’

U.S. President Donald Trump’s nominee to the Supreme Court is said to have represented the Mujahedin Khalq Organization (MKO) (Continued on Page 7)

Minister: Virus Fines May Be Imposed in Tehran

TEHRAN (Dispatches) -- Iran’s death toll from the coronavirus rose by 183 to 26,169 on Wednesday, the highest in the Middle East, with the total number of identified cases rising to 457,219, state media reported.

Health Ministry spokeswoman Sima Sadat Lari said 3,582 new cases had been identified in the previous 24 hours.

Interior Minister Abdolreza Rahmani Fazli on Wednesday voiced alarm over a surge in infections, especially in the capital Tehran, and warned that fines may soon be imposed on people in the city not wearing face masks or flouting other health precautions.

“If the plan is approved by the national coronavirus taskforce, people who do not follow health protocols will be fined ... Tehran has been proposed as a model for the implementation of this plan,” he said.