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#### In the Name of the Most High

### **Viewpoint**

# **Borell's Babble Betrays Blockhead Background**

By: Kayhan Int'l Staff Writer

Are we still living in the colonial era to feel offended by the idiotic utterances of a European official?

Ask any psychologist or psychiatrist how to evaluate the mental state of a person, whether positive or negative, and the prompt answer will be: through the words he/she speaks.

Thus, what Josep Borrell Fontelles, the High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy of the European Union, meant when he called Europe a 'garden' and the rest of the world a 'jungle', was not a serious statement neither was it a joke nor the slip of his tongue.

The poor guy was actually exposing his retarded brain that was deprived of any proper growth during the adolescent stage because of lack of school, classmates, or teachers, and in youth evolved in the stagnated atmosphere of a Zionist kibbutz.

A Catalonian from Spain, born in the remote village of La Pobla de Segur near the Pyrenees mountain, Josep was taught at home by his mother and later by a retired rural teacher before somehow acquiring a graduation certificate from the Technical University of Madrid at the age of 22 and moving to the illegal entity, Israel, for work at the Gal On Kibbutz in the southern part of Occupied Palestine.

Should anything serious or rational, except for racist remarks and irrational prattle, be expected from an uncouth person of such uncultured background whose rise to the top echelons of the European Union is camouflaged in suspicion?

It is indeed naivety on our part to hold formal talks with a person like Borell and play host to him during state visits, without bothering to scrutinize his past, on the assumption that he is a diplomat capable of understanding realities and resolving outstanding issues.

Our trusts are misplaced, since it is natural for him and his ilk (e.g. IAEA Chief Rafael Mariano Grossi – an Italian holding Argentine citizenship) to pass every sensitive information about Muslim countries, especially about Iran, to the illegal Zionist entity.

So instead of mere diplomatic protests that carry no weight in the corridors of power in Europe that is openly hostile to Islam and Iran, we ought to put the facts straight and continue our principled policies regarding internal affairs, regional matters, and international issues, with the right to retaliate against the West's meddling.

Any sane European will never call 'garden' a crisis-ridden Europe with a blood-soaked past of the Roman era that was replaced by the dark days of the Christian Church which suppressed intellectuals and all scientific endeavours, while launching waves of destructive crusades on Muslim Palestine, followed by the industrial revolution that gave rise to the criminal clique of colonialism to occupy other parts of the world, plunder their riches, and enslave black Africans for cheap labour in the Americas, and after the Napoleonic wars of the 19th century, virtually destroying itself during the two world wars of the last century that killed a total of 70 million people (20 in the First and 50 in the Second).

Mr. Borell read history. Your Spanish forefathers, whether the Vandals or the Visigoths, lived by the sword and followed the rule of the jungle, and it were the Muslims who on liberating Spain in 711 transformed the Iberian Peninsula into a garden of learning, culture, and civilization.

For your information the rose that adorns the garden, the pomegranate and the orange that are among the pride of any orchard, the saffron that Spain grows for export, and the sciences that led to Renaissance in Europe were all introduced to your jungle homeland from Persia (Iran) during Muslim rule.

# Kayhan Envoy Censures EU's 'Double Standard' on Human Rights



Iran's top human rights official Kazem Gharibabadi has slammed the European Union's 'double standard' following the EU's recent sanctions on Tehran over quote rights violation.

TEHRAN - Secretary General of Iran's High Council for Human Rights Kazem Gharibabadi has slammed the European Union's double standard toward the issue of human rights, as the bloc slapped new sanctions on the Islamic Republic under the pretext of rights violation.

Secretary General of Iran's High Council for Human Rights Kazem Gharibabadi said that the European Union imposes sanctions on protectors of the Iranian people's security and safety in the face of recent Western-backed riots, but harbors the terrorists who have "murdered 17,000 innocent Iranians," as he referred to the anti-Iran terrorist cult of the Mujahedin-e-Khalq Organization (MKO).

The EU has "violated the rights of millions of Iranian civilians due to implementation of U.S.-orchestrated unilateral and cruel sanctions, and sheltered and provided unwavering support to the terrorists who have murdered 17,000 innocent Iranians," Gharibabadi tweeted. The bloc "now once again put up

a pathetic charade by claiming to be defending human rights while simultaneously imposing sanctions on those safeguarding the security and safety of Iranian people against western-backed riots," he added, in posts on his Twitter account.

After it was founded more than 50 years ago, the MKO launched a campaign of bombings and assassinations in Iran. Out of the nearly 17,000 Iranians killed in terrorist attacks over the past four decades. about 12,000 have fallen victim to the group's acts of terror. The ill-famed terror group is currently based in Albania, where it enjoys freedom of activity after being delisted by the European Union and the United States in 2009 and 2012 respectively.

Gharibabadi's tweet came after an EU foreign ministerial session on Monday decided to levy sanctions against 11 Iranian individuals and four entities over the country's response to the riots that followed the death of a young Iranian woman, Mahsa Amini, in hospital after she collapsed in a police station.

The sanctions targeted a section of Iran's security forces, the Basij volunteer forces, and the cyber division of the country's Islamic Revolution Guards Corps (IRGC). The bloc also listed Iran's Minister of Communications and Information Technology Issa Zarepour for an alleged internet shutdown. The coercive measures include travel bans and asset freezes.

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# Iran UN Envoy:

# Zionist Regime Must Join NPT

TEHRAN - Iran has once again criticized the Zionist regime for refusing to accede to the Nuclear Non-Proliferation Treaty (NPT), saying the complete destruction of nuclear weapons would require the political will of nuclear states and a timebound action plan.

Iran's Representative to the UN General Assembly First Committee Heidar Ali Balouji made the remarks while addressing the committee's meeting on disarmament and international security held in New York, where he outlined the Islamic Republic's stance on nuclear arms.

He added that unrelated plans

countries would fail to lead to nuclear disarmament.

Given the lack of success of consecutive NPT review conferences, he said, there is no prospect for the annihilation of nuclear weapons.

He also said nuclear disarmament has been on the agenda of the international community since 1946 when the UN issued its first resolution in this regard, adding that the world took a step to achieve that goal when the NPT entered into force in 1972.

The Iranian envoy further said nuclear states have failed to fulfill their obligations as per the NPT

proposed by the U.S. or nuclear and have been strengthening their nuclear arsenals quantitatively and qualitatively, adding that their lack of adherence to the treaty is quite

> "While all nuclear-weapon states were actively modernizing their arsenals and delivery systems, none were engaged in disarmament negotiations, all explicitly or implicitly justifying that inaction by the doctrine of nuclear deterrence,"

He went on to say that nuclearweapon states are still breaching their NPT obligations and maintaining their nuclear arsenals, with (Continued on Page 7)

## All Iranian Crew of Venezuelan **Plane Released**

TEHRAN - All of the five Iranian crew members of a Venezuelan plane who had been confined in Argentina at the request of the U.S. in June have been released, Iranian Foreign Ministry spokesperson Nasser Kan'ani said.

In a statement on Tuesday, Kan'ani said the five Iranian nationals have been freed after 129 days of diplomatic efforts as well as legal and consular campaigns jointly conducted by

Iran and Venezuela. The spokesman said an Argentinian investigating judge has ultimately ruled that the documents and evidence given by

the plaintiffs, namely DAIA

(the umbrella organization of Argentina's Jewish community) and two Zionist members of Argentina's parliament, were inadmissible and inauthentic, and has ordered the release of the Iranian crew of the plane by lifting a ban on their travel.

Kan'ani said the Iranian crew of the Venezuelan plane are on their way to Iran.

An appeals court ruled on September 13 that 11 Venezuelans and one Iranian traveling on board the plane held at Ezeiza

airport can depart. Authorities had called on the judge to conclude investigation

into the remaining seven crew

within 10 days.

One of the Iranians previously prevented from leaving was pilot Gholamreza Ghasemi who had to land his Boeing 747 cargo plane in Argentina on June 8 from Mexico with a shipment of auto parts after unsuccessfully attempting to enter Uruguay. Both Venezuela and Iran,

which signed a 20-year cooperation accord in June, are under draconian US sanctions. Washington says the sale of

the plane to Emtrasur, a subsidiary of Venezuelan state carrier Conviasa, in October 2021 violated US sanctions.

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And most of them do not follow (anything) but conjecture; surely conjecture will not avail aught against the truth; surely Allah is cognizant of what they do.

The Holy Qur'an (10.36) 

#### PRAYER TIMINGS

Noon (Zohr)

Evening(Maghreb) 17:42

06:14 Dawn(Fajr)" Tomorrow"

Sunrise "Tomorrow" 04:51

## **Iran Blasts** EU's Borrell for **Calling Outside** World a 'Jungle'

TEHRAN - Iran has slammed the racist "garden and jungle" metaphor used by European Union's foreign policy chief Josep Borrell to differentiate between the West and other parts of the world, saying an era of multipolarity is "imminent".

"The garden/jungle metaphor arises from an utterly unacceptable colonial mentality which gives the West a right to invade & occupy," Foreign Ministry spokesman Nasser Kan'ani said in a post on his Twitter account on Tuesday.

"That era has long gone. Multipolarity is on the doorstep," he added.

The Iranian spokesperson urged the 27-nation EU to adopt the realities or it "will continue to decline and fade."

In a controversial speech addressing the opening ceremony of the European Diplomatic Academy in Bruges, Belgium, on Thursday, Borrell referred to Europe as a "garden" and the rest of the world as a "jungle" that could "invade the garden."

Borrell then continued his racist remarks by warning that the jungle "could invade the garden" and that "the gardeners" have to go to the jungle "to protect" the garden.

The senior EU official's remarks sparked criticism from across the world, with Canada's United Nations Ambassador Bob Rae calling it a "terrible analogy."

Russian Foreign Ministry spokeswoman, Maria Zakharova, staunchly condemned the comments, asserting that the "garden" of Europe was built by looting the "jungle" of the rest of the world during the colonial regime.

"To continue this analogy, the European gardener is in a vegetative state. On a serious note, Europe built that 'garden' through the barbaric plundering of the 'jungle'. Borrell could not have phrased it any better: the world's most prosperous system, created in Europe, nurtured by roots in colonies which they ruthlessly oppressed," she penned.

The United Arab Emirates on Monday summoned the acting head of the mission at the EU delegation to the UAE, asking for an explanation of Borrell's racist comments.

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