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In the Name of the Most High Viewpoint

The Only Just Solution for Palestine

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Peace in Palestine, for both the indigenous people and for those who call themselves Israelis, will prevail only when all the Zionists, whether those born in this usurped land or whose parents and grandparents had come from other parts of the world over the past century, return to their ancestral lands.

This is the most logical solution for ending the unabated 15-month holocaust in Gaza and the genocide of Palestinians of the past eight decades by the non-Semitic illegal east European occupants of this land.

In such a case, the current catastrophe will definitely end, the Levant will at last become free of unending crises, and there will be no sleepless nights for the so-called Israelis, no rushes to bomb shelters in near stampede state as nerve-shattering sirens rent the air, and no fears of death and destruction raining down from skies.

If not, the Axis of Resistance has no other choice but to mobilize all its resources to speed up efforts for liberating Palestine through military means, even if there are setbacks in some battles of the war that will continue until ultimate victory, no matter if the cowardly enemy massacres people and destroys towns and cities.

The US ought to understand that it cannot continue to prop up the illegal Zionist by pouring hundreds of billions of dollars of the most sophisticated weapons and cash in a bid to prevent the astronomical inflation (as a result of war) destroying the life of the Israelis and forcing the Zionists to flee Occupied Palestine.

The number of US citizens questioning the idiocy of their regime in aiding and abetting Zionist crimes against Palestinians, courtesy of the hard-earned money of the American taxpayers, is rapidly increasing.

They demand the end of the occupation of Palestine, which they say should attain its natural borders, stretching from the banks of the River Jordan to the shores of the Mediterranean Sea.

It is the just solution and the UN ought to punish the Zionist war criminals and accept the rational Proposal of the Leader of the Islamic Revolution for a referendum to determine one single country called Palestine under one single government.

Ayatollah Seyyed Ali Khamenei whose granting of the 25-year lease of life of Israel is nearing its end, firmly maintains that in addition to the River-to-the-Sea east-west borders of Palestine, the north-south frontier stretches from the border of Lebanon to Egypt's Sinai Peninsula.

This is indeed a humanitarian gesture for ending the unnecessary bloodshed, encouraging the reverse migration of the terrified Zionists, and helping the US to preserve its dignity, save the life of its soldiers, and keep its armaments intact from definite destruction.

IRGC Chief: Resistance Front at Height of Power



Gen. Salami addresses a ceremony to commemorate Gen. Soleimani in Kerman on Monday.

TEHRAN -- The chief commander of Iran's Islamic Revolution Guards Corps (IRGC) said on Monday the regional resistance front is at its ultimate status of strength.

"Today, the resistance front is at the height of its power, but the enemies have turned into objects of hatred and are apprehensive and this story is going to continue," Major General Hussein Salami said during a ceremony in the southeastern Iranian city of Kerman.

Gen. Salami hailed Lebanon's Hezbollah resistance movement for "imposing its will on Israel," referring to myriads of retaliatory operation staged by the group that forced Tel Aviv into accept-

ing the terms of a truce deal with Beirut that was struck to end the regime's escalated deadly aggression against the country.

"The fact that Hezbollah stays on its course, despite those heavy dangers, is down to the struggles of Sayyed Hassan Nasrallah and Hashem Safieddine, who managed to plant the roots of Jihad within the Lebanese youths' beliefs."

The enemies, he said, are killing innocent Muslims out of frustration, but they are no match for the Muslim world's dedicated youths and are approaching demise as time goes by.

Salami, who was attending a ceremony held for paying tribute to

the Islamic Republic's former top anti-terror commander General Qassem Soleimani, commended the martyr for his unstinting sacrifices for the regional Muslim nations.

General Soleimani made history for many pending decades, he said, asserting that the martyr, who was assassinated in a United States drone strike against Baghdad in 2020, spared no endeavor to establish peace and security across the region.

"At certain junctures, when the enemies were after destroying Muslims, Martyr Soleimani entered the field and foiled all conspiracies," he said.

Pezeshkian, Putin to Sign Updated Document This Month

TEHRAN -- The presidents of Iran and Russia will sign a comprehensive agreement for long-term cooperation in Moscow in mid-January, Iranian Foreign Ministry spokesman Esmail Baghaei said here Monday.

Speaking to reporters at his weekly press conference, Baghaei said the agreement has different aspects.

"An important part of the agreement includes trade, economy, energy and the environment sectors as well as issues pertaining to defense and security matters," he said.

He noted that Iran and Russia had

approved the document in early summer and were waiting for the right time to sign the deal by the two countries' presidents.

Pointing to bilateral negotiations about the agreement at different times in the past, Baghaei stressed the need to update the previous document to further strengthen Tehran-Moscow relations.

Iran and Russia, as two close and strategic allies, have over the past years deepened their relations in various fields, despite being under heavy Western sanctions.

In 2001, Tehran and Moscow signed a long-term cooperation deal, officially known as the Treaty

of the Foundation of Mutual Relations and the Principles of Cooperation. It was initially set for 10 years but was extended up until 2026.

Now, the two capitals are making final arrangements for the comprehensive partnership pact, which may determine their bilateral ties in all fields for the next 20 years.

The spokesperson also said Iraqi Prime Minister Muhammad Shia' al-Sudani will visit Tehran Wednesday at the invitation of President Masoud Pezeshkian in line with diplomatic interactions between the two countries.

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PM Sudani: Gen. Soleimani Stood by Iraq During Worst Times

BAGHDAD (Dispatches) -- The prime minister of Iraq has commended Iran's late top anti-terror commander Lieutenant General Qassem Soleimani, saying he stood by the Arab country during its most challenging times.

Muhammed Shia' al-Sudani made the remarks during a speech at a ceremony marking the fifth anniversary of the U.S. assassination of General Soleimani and his Iraqi companion Abu Mahdi al-Muhandis here Sunday.

Sudani said the ceremony serves as a "significant opportunity" to honor the legacy of the two remarkable figures, stressing that General Soleimani and al-Muhandis played an important role in leading the fight against the Daesh terrorist group.

He further noted that General Soleimani and al-Muhandis

stood on all fronts to defend Iraq during critical times, inspired by the fatwa of the supreme religious authority that saved the Arab country and the region.

Sudani further said Iraq is fully prepared and ready to deter any aggression, regardless of its source, with all security forces capable of safeguarding the nation's security.

"The government has prioritized fortifying and supporting the PMU, similar to other security forces," he said, stressing that the PMU played a crucial role in establishing security and peace, paving the way for Baghdad to launch service and development projects, as well as essential administrative and economic reforms.

"This occasion reminds us of the importance of preserving the

foundations of the state that were built through the sacrifices of our martyrs. We reaffirm the strength of our state and remain steadfast in our commitment to building it and serving our great people, undeterred by any attempts to weaken our resolve," Sudani said.

General Soleimani, commander of the Quds Force of Iran's Islamic Revolution Guards Corps (IRGC), and Abu Mahdi al-Muhandis, the second-in-command of Iraq's Popular Mobilization Units (PMU), and their companions were assassinated in a U.S. drone strike authorized by then president Donald Trump near Baghdad airport on January 3, 2020.

Both commanders were highly revered across West Asia because of their key role in fighting Daesh in Iraq and Syria.

The Holy Qur'an

O ye who believe! what is the matter with you, that, when ye are asked to go forth in the cause of Allah, ye cling heavily to the earth? Do ye prefer the life of this world to the Hereafter? But little is the comfort of this life, as compared with the Hereafter.

The Holy Qur'an (9:38)

PRAYER TIMINGS

Noon (Zohr)	12:11
Evening (Maghreb)	17:27
Dawn (Fajr) "Tomorrow"	07:15
Sunrise "Tomorrow"	05:45

Iran Launches Two Months of Anti-Terror Operations

TEHRAN -- A senior military commander says Iran will stage a massive anti-terror campaign across its skies, lands and waters for the next two months to combat terrorist groups.

The operation "will be held on the basis of a scheduled timeline, starting today and continuing for the next two months," Brigadier General Ali Shadmani, deputy coordinator of Khatam al-Anbiya Central Headquarters, said on Sunday.

The commander emphasized that state-of-the-art technologies, equipment and methods will be used in the operations, which are aimed at maintaining and enhancing the preparedness of the armed forces.

Units from the army's ground force in the country's east and west and the Islamic Revolution Guards Corps (IRGC) in west, southwest, and south as well as tens of thousands of Basij forces in provincial guard units will participate in the operations across different provinces.

The IRGC ground force on Saturday launched the large-scale and specialized anti-terror campaign, codenamed Payambar-e-A'azam (Great Prophet) 19, in Iran's western province of Kermanshah, to raise its combat preparedness and get further ready to confront potential security threats against the country.

Various specialized divisions and units of the IRGC ground force, particularly from the Mirza Kuchak Khan Brigades, are participating in the military exercises.

Iranian military forces hold routine exercises according to a detailed schedule in various parts of the country in order to test their weaponry and equipment, and evaluate their combat preparedness.

The country's officials have repeatedly underscored that the country will not hesitate to strengthen its military capabilities, including its missile power, which are entirely meant for defense, and that Iran's defense capabilities will never be subject to negotiations.