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Viewpoint

Unprecedented Vengeance Portends Israel's End

By: Kayhan International

The illegal Zionist entity while continuing its now tenmonth long genocide in Gaza, is hurtling fast towards its doom as is evident by its blasphemous rendition of 'The Last Supper' during the opening ceremony of the 2024 Paris Olympics in order to ridicule the fundamental beliefs of Christianity World.

In the midst of the uproar throughout Christendom for using Jewish drag queens, transgender and queer characters and resorting to hyper-sexualisation in a bid to mock Jesus (peace upon him), it carried out a cowardly act of terrorism by assassinating an honoured Islamic-political guest in Tehran for the swearing-in ceremony of the new Iranian president.

The latest victim of Israel's cross border terrorism that violated the Islamic Republic of Iran's sovereignty was respected Hamas Leader, Ismail Haniyeh, even while Christians worldwide have called "full blown satanic" the parody of Italian painter Leonardo da Vinci's famous painting through Leslie Barbara Butch a French disc jockey and Jewish lesbian activist.

It is an irony that the illegitimate entity which openly blasphemes Prophet Jesus and his mother, the Virgin Mary (peace upon them), is supported in its crimes against humanity, including the ongoing holocaust in Gaza and the target-killing of Haniyeh, by the supposedly Christian West, especially the US.

To think that Washington did not coordinate with Tel Aviv in the dastardly murder of a prominent Palestinian leader while on an official visit to Iran, is naïve.

Both the Americans and the Zionists were eager to end the life of Ismail Haniyeh after having killed his three sons and four grandchildren in an air strike on Gaza on April 10.

They thus deliberately chose his presence in Tehran to carry out their devilish in order to provoke the Islamic Republic into a hasty reaction at the undetected and unexpected violation of its sovereignty.

Iran, however, has several aces up its sleeve. It will decisively carry out swift vengeance not seen before.

As the Leader of the Islamic Revolution, who met Haniyeh a day before, has made it clear: "The criminal and terrorist Zionist entity martyred our dear guest in our homeland and left us bereaved, but it also set the ground for a harsh punishment for itself."

Ayatollah Seyyed Ali Khamenei added: "He (Haniyeh) was not afraid of embracing martyrdom in the way of God and saving God's servants, but we consider it our duty to avenge his blood in this bitter and horrific incident that came to pass in the Islamic Republic's territory."

Those slain in the way of God are never dead and are alive with provision from the Lord Most High, as the Holy Qur'an says, which means the physical death of usurper Israel is at hand, and with it the wiping out of Zionism worldwide.

Kayham Leader Calls for Implementation of Iran-Iraq Agreements



Leader of the Islamic Revolution Ayatollah Seyyed Ali Khamenei talks with Iraqi Prime Minister Muhammad Shia' al-Sudani in Tehran on July 30, 2024.

TEHRAN -- Leader of the Islamic Revolution Ayatollah Seyyed Ali Khamenei has stressed the need to pursue the implementation of bilateral agreements signed between Iran and Iraq during the administration of late President Ebrahim Raisi.

In a meeting with Prime Minister Muhammad Shia' al-Sudani of Iraq here, the Leader pointed to the memorandums and documents signed between the two countries during the previous Iranian admin-

The Leader also expressed his satisfaction with the Iraqi government's measures in tackling the problems in Iraq, appreciating the existing coordination and cooperation among the Iraqi political fac-

Ayatollah Khamenei thanked the Iraqi government and nation for their hospitality toward Iranian pilgrims, hailing Baghdad's measures to ensure the security of pilgrims during Arba'een, an annual event which marks the 40th day after the martyrdom anniversary of Imam Hussein (AS), the third Shia Imam.

Sudani, for his part, expressed hope that the agreements reached between Iran and Iraq be implemented in the new administration, as he congratulated the election of Masoud Pezeshkian as the ninth president of Iran.

He also appreciated Iran's stances on the crimes committed by the Israeli regime in the Gaza Strip,

saying "The Zionist regime has crossed all international and humanitarian red lines" and that the Iraqi government is in constant contact with countries that share a same stance against the occupying regime's crimes.

The Iraqi prime minister said the grand annual procession of Arba'een in Iraq is an opportunity to take a stance against the crimes of Israel and to acquaint Muslims, particularly the youth, with the principles and teachings of Imam Hussein (AS)'s uprising against

Sudani and his delegation were in Tehran to attend the swearing-in ceremony of the new Iranian presi-

Iran Strongly Condemns Israeli Attack on Southern Beirut

TEHRAN -- Iran has strongly condemned an Israeli strike near Beirut, calling it a blatant violation of Lebanon's sovereignty.

An Israeli attack on a residential building in the south of the Lebanese capital, Beirut, left at least three people martyred and over 70

According to the Lebanese media, the attack on the Al-Dahiyeh area of Beirut destroyed two floors of the building. The casualties included two children.

Hezbollah said Wednesday that senior military commander Fuad Shukr was inside the building in Beirut's southern suburbs hit by Is- ing the oppressed Palestinians and victims of the aggression and his rael the previous day and that he had standing against the aggression of solidarity with the Lebanese govbeen martyred in the terrorist attack.

"The great jihadist commander brother Fuad Shukr (Hajj Mohsen) was present" in the building targeted by "the Zionist enemy", Hezbollah said in a statement.

Foreign Ministry spokesman Nasser Kana'ni said Iran considered the attack by the Israeli regime "a clear violation of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Lebanon and a flagrant violation of international laws and regulations and the United Nations Charter."

The spokesman said the criminal act certainly cannot stop "the proud resistance of Lebanon from continuing the honorable path of supportthe Israeli apartheid regime."

He emphasized the legitimate right of the Lebanese government, army and resistance to take action in response to the Israeli aggressive ac-

Kana'ni blamed the regime of Israel and the U.S. government for escalating tensions and crisis in the

He also called on the international community as well as the United Nations Security Council to take action against the Israeli regime's threats against Lebanon's security and regional peace and stability.

The spokesman expressed his condolences to the families of the ernment and nation.

Envoy Rejects Western Claims About Iran's Role in Ukraine War

UNITED NATIONS (Dispatches) -- Iran's UN envoy has rejected allegations leveled by several Western countries that accuse Tehran of military involvement in the Ukraine war.

Amir Saeed Iravani, in a letter to the UN Security Council, said Iran has maintained its policy of impartiality since the outbreak of the war between Russia and

Ukraine in 2022. "I wish to categorically reject the baseless allegations made against my country in statements delivered by the representatives of the United States, the United Kingdom, and France in the UN Security Council open briefing

held on 25 July 2024 under the agenda item "Threats to international peace and security" focusing on the supply of Western weapons to Ukraine," he wrote.

"The desperate attempt by the representative of France in this meeting to falsely associate their claims with UN Security Council Resolution 2231 (2015) is both misleading and completely unfounded," he stated.

"As we have reiterated numerous times, Resolution 2231 has nothing to do with the Ukrainian conflict," he stated.

The ambassador also denounced "an unwarranted reference made to the Islamic Republic of Iran by the representative of Switzerland in this meeting was provoking and irresponsible."

"I also reject unequivocally

the identical allegations by the United States, the United Kingdom, and France, in the UN Security Council open briefings held on 14 and 18 June 2024 under agenda items 'Threats to international peace and security' and 'Maintenance of peace and security of Ukraine," he said.

"We regard these allegations as nothing but attempts to advance the narrow and shortsighted political agendas of these three permanent members of the Council, as their records in the Council testify this," he said.

Iravani also blasted the U.S., UK and France for sending billions of dollars in military aid to Ukraine which has helped to prolong (Continued on Page 7)

Qur'an 🚆 Say: Nothing will afflict us save what Allah has

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The Holy Qur'an (9.51)

ordained for us; He is our Patron; and on Allah let

the believers rely.

Noon (Zohr)

Evening(Maghreb) 19:28

05:13 Dawn(Fajr)" Tomorrow"

Sunrise "Tomorrow" 03:36

Egyptian, Iranian FMs Discuss Expansion of Bilateral Ties

TEHRAN -- Interim Foreign Minister Ali Bagheri Kani has stressed the need to expand Iran-Egypt ties, saying cooperation between Tehran and Cairo is necessary to deal with regional challenges and threats.

Bagheri Kani made the remarks in a meeting with Egypt's Foreign Minister Badr Ahmed Mohamed Abdel Ati, who was in Tehran to attend the swearing-in ceremony of new Iranian President Masoud Pezeshkian.

The senior Iranian official emphasized the importance of consultation and collaboration among major Islamic countries, particularly Iran and Egypt to address the challenges and threats amid the current sensitive regional situation, as the Israeli regime continues it crimes against Palestinians in the besieged Gaza Strip.

Bagheri Kani said Iran is aware of "Egypt's serious will and valuable efforts to follow the process of developing relations between the two countries."

He said the promotion of friendly relations with Egypt is in line with Iran's neighborhood policy and its consolidation, emphasizing that this policy will not change with the change of governments.

Bagheri Kani also expressed gratitude for the presence of two Egyptian foreign ministers in Tehran over the past two months to participate in two different events, namely the funeral ceremony of late Iranian President Ebrahim Raisi and Foreign Minister Hussein Amir-Abdollahian as well as inauguration of President Pezeshkian.

He also welcomed and appreciated Abdel Ati's visit to Tehran and wished him success in his new position as Egypt's Minister of Foreign Affairs.

Abdel Ati, for his part, described his current trip to Tehran as a sign of Egypt's special efforts and determination to pursue the promotion and deepening of relations between Cairo and Tehran in line with the interests of the two countries and

He said cooperation between Iran and Egypt can play an effective role in consolidating stability and security and preventing the escalation of tension in the region, especially in the current sensitive situation, amid the atrocities of the Israeli regime against the oppressed Palestinian people in Gaza and threats of the spread of war in the region.