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Eslami: Iran Will Not Succumb to Arbitrary Political Pressures



Muhammad Eslami, head of the Atomic Energy Organization of Iran (AEOI)

TEHRAN - Head of the Atomic Energy Organization of Iran (AEOI) Muhammad Eslami says the recent remarks by the head of the UN atomic agency about the Islamic Republic's nuclear facilities are void of technical and legal validity, while also chiming in with Zionist psychological operations against Tehran.

Eslami made the comments in a televised interview on Tuesday, addressing remarks made by Rafael Grossi, director general of the International Atomic Energy Agency (IAEA).

"Mr. Grossi's remarks lack technical and legal aspect," the Iranian official said, describing the IAEA chief's discourse as totally being the product of "the psychological and political operations that the Zionist regime [of Israel] has been performing" against the Islamic Republic.

He said by passing the remarks, Grossi had clearly shown "his true character," and proven to be among those that have been waging psyops against Iran for long.

Eslami was referring to Grossi's interview with i24NEWS, an Israeli TV channel, in which the latter had said the Israeli regime could not "destroy" Iran's nuclear facilities

with "a single surgical strike. "Disrupting the facilities would require overwhelming and devastating force," the IAEA chief had also said.

The Iranian nuclear chief said Grossi had issued the remarks, despite lacking all jurisdiction to comment on such issues. Eslami noted that the international law and precautions that concerned such matters essentially robbed the IAEA director general of any entitlement to intervene in affairs of such nature.

Grossi had also said, "Iran doesn't have a nuclear weapon at this moment," but claimed that "it has the material" to make one, echoing the Israeli regime and its Western allies' unfounded allegations about, what the accusing sides have described as, Iran's so-called "diversion" towards obtaining nuclear arms or its intention to develop one.

The campaign has, most recently, manifested itself in the form of the IAEA Board of Governors issuing yet another anti-Iranian resolution amid Western and Israeli pressure.

The campaign rages on, while the Islamic Republic is the most-vetted member of the IAEA, with the agency having found no evidence in support of the alleged "diversion."

Tehran, itself, has also categorically ruled out the prospect of either pursuing, obtaining, or maintaining nuclear arms in line with moral and religious guidelines.

Grossi had, however, additionally, alleged that the Islamic Republic harbored a "determination" to develop such weapons, adding that likely Israeli military aggression against the country could "potentially have an amalgamating effect, solidifying Iran's determination."

He had also pointed to the Israeli regime's repeated threats to use military aggression against Iran's nuclear facilities, alleging that the threats meant that "the Iranian thing has incredible potential to become catastrophic."

Eslami, however, denounced Grossi for resorting to "expressing concern for Israel," a regime that, unlike Iran, was a possessor of nuclear arms, and a non-member of the IAEA's Safeguards Agreement that would not brook any oversight of its nuclear sites.

Adding to his comments, the Iranian official regretted that the IAEA chief's remarks indicated that "international organizations

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President Pezeshkian: Hostile Attempts to Stymie Iran's Progress Doomed to Fail

TEHRAN - President Masoud Pezeshkian assured the Iranian nation that the enemies' push to obstruct the country's progress in various fields will get nowhere.

During a visit to Iran Health Exhibition 2025 in Tehran on Tuesday, Pezeshkian said the Iranian nation's determination will defeat the objectives of the foreign parties that have imposed sanctions against the country.

"Where there's a will, the way to development will be paved," he stated.

Denouncing the enemies' attempts to prevent Iran's progress, the president said, "The measures taken by the U.S. and some European countries to stop the trend of Iran's development will go nowhere. The Iranian nation, specifically those moving ahead by reliance on the domestic capabilities, will definitely remain steadfast in the road to progress."

Highlighting Iran's valuable achievements in the nuclear industry and other scientific and industrial sectors, the president said the

enemies are under a delusion that they can hamper Iran's growth.

In a meeting with the Iranian cabinet in August 2024, Leader of the Islamic Revolution Ayatollah Seyed Ali Khamenei emphasized to the Iranian president and his administration the importance of not relying on Iran's enemies or waiting for their approval.

The Leader also described the opportunity to serve the people and striving for the country's progress as a profound divine blessing.

Judiciary Pursues Mahdieh Esfandiari's Release From French Jail

TEHRAN - Spokesperson for the Judiciary Asghar Jahangir said on Tuesday that the High Council for Human Rights of the judicial system is actively monitoring the situation of Iranian citizen Mahdieh Esfandiari, who is detained in France.

Jahangir said that the Judiciary supports Iranian nationals worldwide, and whenever an Iranian faces legal issues in other countries, authorities from bodies such as the Foreign Ministry and the High Council for Human Rights will work to facilitate their release.

Regarding France's arbitrary detention of Mahdieh Esfandiari, who is an Iranian citizen and a supporter of Palestinian rights, he said that the judicial system prioritized this issue immediately and that Iran's consulate staff members in France had met with the Iranian national on at least three occasions.

According to the spokesperson, the Paris Prosecutor's Office announced that Esfandiari is being prosecuted on charges of terrorism and crimes related to social media activity, despite the fact that she had published a post in support of the oppressed Palestinian

nation on her Telegram channel.

He further said that Esfandiari's detention represents a blatant violation of freedom of expression and personal security, as emphasized by the Universal Declaration of Human Rights and the International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights.

Esfandiari, a graduate of the University of Lyon and a translator who has been living in France since 2018, disappeared in March 2025. Following diplomatic efforts, the Iranian government later confirmed that she was in police custody.

The Holy Qur'an



Say: Who gives you sustenance from the heaven and the earth? Or Who controls the hearing and the sight? And Who brings forth the living from the dead, and brings forth the dead from the living? And Who regulates the affairs? Then they will say: Allah. Say then: Will you not then guard (against evil)?

The Holy Qur'an (10.31)

PRAYER TIMINGS

Noon (Zohr)	12:04
Evening (Maghreb)	19:41
Dawn (Fajr) "Tomorrow"	04:48
Sunrise "Tomorrow"	02:52

Defense Minister: Iran Has 'Intelligence Superiority' Over Israel

TEHRAN - Defense Minister Brigadier General Aziz Nasirzadeh says the acquisition of top-secret documents from Israel demonstrates Iran's "intelligence superiority" over the occupying regime.

Nasirzadeh said on Tuesday that the unprecedented operation by Iranian intelligence forces in obtaining sensitive information from the Zionist regime once again showcased the Islamic Republic's infiltration capabilities and intelligence superiority in the complex security landscape of the region and beyond.

"This brilliant victory... not only shattered the fabricated myth of Mossad but also dismantled the pretentious façade of the sinister Zionist regime's security structure, delivering yet another strong blow to its hollow hegemony," he added.

The defense minister emphasized that the intelligence operation, through which a massive trove of sensitive Israeli documents was transferred to Iran, was part of the crushing blows delivered to Israel by the Resistance Front and heralds the regime's "premature" collapse.

Trump Gives Violent Turn to Peaceful Protests

By: Kayhan Int'l Staff Writer

The peaceful protests in Los Angeles against the unlawful measures of the federal regime have turned violent with attacks on government properties mainly because of the provocative policy of President Donald Trump in ordering the National Guard and Marines or the regular soldiers to try to crush the public and silence their legitimate demands.

The growing number of protestors now include Christian priests angry at the inhuman attitude of the Republican regime.

Vehicles, especially police and National Guard cars, lie smashed in the streets as bonfires blaze across downtown Los Angeles for the past three days.

About 700 Marines from the Marine Corps base in Twentynine Palms, California, are to support the roughly 300 National Guard members already in the city against the protestors with high-handed tactics that may include live round of ammunitions.

Trump had earlier ordered the deployment of 2,000 troops in a move California Governor Gavin Newsom criticized as inflammatory.

A civil war seems to be brewing in the US as the federal regime in Washington and the local government of California go at each other's throats.

Newsom and California Attorney General Rob Bonta sued Trump and his Secretary of War Pete Hegseth over the activation of the state's National Guard, asking a court to declare the order unlawful.

Protests erupted after Immigration Customs Enforcement officers carried out raids last Friday in three locations across Los Angeles, where dozens of people arbitrarily arrested.

Newsom called the raids "chaotic federal sweeps" that aimed to fill an "arbitrary arrest quota."

The protests in Los Angeles are firm proof of the failure of the Trump regime in running the country and respecting the rights of American citizens, as well as the inhuman measures against the so-called immigrants.

Trump, who is anarchic by nature, cannot be trusted. This evident by his wayward international policies as well, especially the indirect talks held so far with Iran for removal of the US sanctions, which unfortunately have increased after each round of talks.

Moreover, Trump is in open alliance with the wanted terrorist Benjamin Netanyahu of the illegal Zionist entity, with whom he admits he has held talks on Iran's civilian nuclear project.

This clearly means the insincere US president is trying to trap Iran instead of resolving the problems he himself has created.

The same is the story inside the US. The Los Angeles protests provoked by the policies of Trump are likely to spread to other American cities, and result in unnecessary loss of life because of his miscalculations.