## Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations

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The Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations presents its compliments to the Office of Legal Affairs to the United Nations and, with reference to the

made consistent and considerable efforts in the implementation of the above-mentioned Declaration in combatting terrorism and violent extremism which could be summarized into two facets spanning the internal and external fields. In the internal field, with the aim of updating and improving the efficiency in current laws and provisions, the Government of the Islamic Republic of Iran has approved an Amendment to the Countering Financing of Terrorism Act, taking into account the relevant international standards and practices. This amendment provides

of any legal instrument. In a similar vein, Iran according to bilateral security agreements has intensive security cooperation with most of its 15 neighboring countries.

While reaping the benefits of maintaining efficient legal frameworks, the efforts of the

. In this connection, the Islamic Republic of Iran, in line with its obligations under international law and relevant resolutions of the United Nations,



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with its international obligations and strongly condemns terrorism in all its forms and manifestations.

In light of the above, the Islamic Republic of Iran categorically rejects all of the unfounded and unsubstantiated allegations that have been made by Bahrain in its Letter No. 2007392E dated 9 June 2020 and calls upon the latter to implement its international obligations, including International Human Rights, through respect for the rule of law and due process in order to meet the legitimate demands of the Bahraini people. It is also imperative to preserve the non-politicized nature of discussions in the Sixth Committee and desist from the inclusion of baseless allegations which are contrary to the objectives of this agenda item in the United Nations.

The Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of Legal Affairs to the United Nations the assurances of its highest consideration.

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