

Statement by

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My delegation would like to align itself with the Statement delivered on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement as well as the Statement delivered by the distinguished representative of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela on behalf of the Group of Friends in Defense of the Charter of the United Nations.

We commend the convening of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations in accordance with General Assembly resolution 78/111 which was held from 20 to 28 February 2024 in New York and take note with appreciation of the report thereof contained in document A/79/33. We would like to thank the Secretariat for preparing the report on the Repertory of Practice of United Nations Organs and Repertoire of the Practice of the Security Council as contained in document A/79/188. We

peoples of the region and gross violations of the fundamental principles of international law, in particular, the prohibition of threat and use of force against territorial integrity of States.

During the past year, the Israeli regime has committed heinous crimes against civilians in Gaza in flagrant violation of principles of international law as enshrined in the UN Charter. Depriving Palestinians of their inalienable right to self-determination, committing genocide, war crimes and crimes against humanity leading to the death and displacement of thousands of civilians including women and children , with pure impunity , seriously undermines the integrity of the UN Charter and calls into question the accountability regime established thereby.

We further condemn the deliberate attacks of Israeli regime against the United Nations in Palestine which has claimed lives of more than two hundred of UN staff. We express serious concerns and reject the attempts by Israeli regime aiming to undermine the United Nations, the Charter and the principal organs of the United Nations including through directing affront to the Charter which was conducted on 10 May 2024 by the representative of Israeli regime in the General Assembly shredding the UN Charter and its affront against the Secretary-General of the United Nations which was registered by Israel, , on 2 October 2024 calling him so-called

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Madam Chair,

On 26 October 2024 the Israeli regime conducted a series of airstrikes against multiple locations in Iran resulting, among others, in the martyrdom of four Iranian military officers, who sacrificed their lives to defend the Iranian people and the sovereignty of the Islamic Republic of Iran. This reprehensible attack constitutes a flagrant violation of the Charter of the United Nations, the fundamental principles of international law including the prohibition of threat or use of force against the territorial integrity of States and grossly violates the sovereignty and territorial integrity of the Islamic Republic of Iran.

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violation of human rights of the targeted population. The UN Security Council Sanctions could only be introduced as a last resort where all peaceful measures have been exhausted or proven to be inadequate. The UN Security Council Sanctions should not be imposed based on politicized objectives and decisions, rather, they need to be employed with objectivity and in full compliance with preemptory norms of international law and fundamental principles of international law. These sanctions should not aim to penalize populations or persons. UN sanctions imposed pursuant to arbitrary and politically motivated determinations of the notion of threat to the peace and

