

In the Name of the Lord of Wisdom and Life

Statement of the Baraye Azadi Group

In condemnation of the Islamic Republic for issuing death sentences
against Toomaj Salehi and Reza Rasaei



The Islamic Republic of Iran has issued a death sentence against Toomaj Salehi. Similarly, the government has also issued a death sentence against Reza Rasaei. These two individuals, along with many other Iranians, are at risk of execution. Many others are imprisoned and subjected to torture in the Iranian regime's prisons.

The crime of these individuals and Iranians like Toomaj Salehi and Reza Rasaei, who have been executed by the Islamic Republic in recent years, ultimately boils down to one thing: dissent and opposition to the dictatorship of the Islamic Republic.

Yes, you read that right! According to the clerical regime, the crime of these individuals is solely dissent. Dissent against a barbaric government ruling based on laws from 1400 years ago. A government that has managed to deceive the

global community over all these years, with fake news and its lobbies in Europe and America, all funded by the wealth of the Iranian people.

This wealth, instead of being spent on the welfare and development of Iranians, is used to suppress the Iranian people, create crises, engage in espionage and terrorist operations in other countries, and disrupt global order.

The Islamic Republic is currently the main supporter of Putin's government in the war against Ukraine, contributing to prolonging the conflict. It is the main supporter of the Houthi terrorist group in Yemen, threatening global trade in the Red Sea. It is also the main supporter of the terrorist group Hamas. These are just parts of the destructive actions of this regime.

The Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC), as the primary arm of the clerical government and Ali Khamenei (the Supreme Leader of the Islamic Republic), plays a key role in all these inhumane activities. But surprisingly, Mr. Josep Borrell (EU High Representative for Foreign Affairs) has prevented the designation of this group as terrorist in the past year and a half. What other crimes must the IRGC commit to be recognized as a terrorist organization?

On April 25, 2024, after the European Parliament approved a resolution to list the IRGC as a terrorist organization and intensify sanctions against the Islamic regime, the same resolution was rejected in the German parliament. In fact, for years, the situation has been like this: European governments condemn the actions of the Islamic Republic but at the same time are engaged in trade and negotiations with this regime, taking no effective action against it.

But now, after 45 years, the time has come for European governments to take a united and decisive action against the clerical regime. Are European governments still unaware of the threat this regime poses to global peace? Are they unaware of the extensive spying activities of the regime throughout Europe? Are they unaware of the regime's threats to European citizens? Have European governments forgotten about the bombing incident in Belgium in 2018, where a diplomat from the Islamic Republic embassy in Vienna (Assadollah Assadi) was the main criminal?

We declare to the European governments that the Islamic Republic is rapidly declining because this is the primary demand of the Iranian people. The downfall of the clerical regime and the achievement of genuine democracy. Therefore, instead of dealing with this criminal government, invest in a real future from now on. The future of Iran lies with the Iranian people, not the Islamic Republic!

Iran will soon be free!

Long live Iran and Iranians,

the Baraye Azadi Group,

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