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President Barack Obama The White House 1600 Pennyslvania Avenue NW Washington, DC 20500

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Dear President Obama:

In light of the recent plot by Iranian officials to assassinate Saudi Arabian ambassador Adel al-Jubeir and attack both the Israeli and Saudi Embassies, as well as the recent revelations about Iran's nuclear capabilities from the IAEA, we write today to reaffirm the need for every relevant branch of the United States Government to immediately and swiftly begin the work required to cripple Iran's Central Bank, Bank Markazi Jomhouri Islami Iran, and collapse the value of the Iranian currency.

The plot by senior members of the Quds force – an essential part of the Iranian government's campaign against Israel and the West – is a shameful violation of the norms of international diplomacy, the laws of the United States, and the sovereignty of both Israel and Saudi Arabia.

The revelation that senior elements of the Iranian government would orchestrate such a plot reaffirms the need for the United States Government to do everything in its power to weaken and delegitimize the Tehran regime's grip on power.

We urge you and your Cabinet not to underestimate Iranian nuclear ambitions or the significance of the Iranian government actively pursuing acts of terrorism and the provocation for war with Israel and Saudi Arabia on U.S. soil.

Thank you for your prompt and proportional response to these actions of the Iranian government.

Sincerely.

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