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de la République Islamique d'Iran  
auprès des Nations Unies  
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*In the name of God, the Compassionate, the Merciful*

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The Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Iran to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, and with reference to the communication number: AL IRN 19/2015 dated 16 October 2015, on the situation of Mr. Samad Zahabi, has the honor to submit herewith the replies of I.R. Iran.

The Permanent Mission of the Islamic Republic of Iran avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the Office of the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights, the assurances of its highest consideration.

Geneva, 13 November 2015



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The following information has been provided by the "High Council for Human Rights of the Judiciary of the I.R. of Iran":

**"Mr Samad Zahabi Karam Basti,** was arrested and prosecuted on charge of deliberate murder.

After exhausting due process and hearings, examining the mental health of the convict, he had been sentenced to death penalty (Qisas) for the charge committed. The issued verdict was appealed by the defendant. Hence the Appeal Court reviewed the case and reaffirmed the verdict.

It should be noted as the blood ownners refrained from remittal, the sentence was carried out.