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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 UA IRN 13/2017 dated 13 April 2017, has the honor to submit herewith the reply of I.R. Iran with regard to Mr. Karan Vafadari and Mrs. Afarin Nayssari's cases.

The Permanent Mission of the Islamic republic of Iran to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva 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.



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**Situation of Mr. Karan Vafadari  
and Mrs. Afarin Niyasari**

The following information has been provided by the High Council for Human Rights of the Judiciary of the Islamic Republic of Iran:

"According to the information provided by the General Justice Department of Tehran Province, Mr. Karan Vafadari was charged with assembly and collusion against state national security, enrolment and introducing of individuals for espionage, production and sale of 2800 liters of alcoholic beverages, holding of illegal smuggled commodities (518 bottles of imported alcoholic beverages). Mrs. Afarin Niyasari (wife of Mr. Vafadari) was charged with assembly and collusion against state national security, enrolment and introducing of individuals for espionage (in cooperation with her husband), participation in activities leading to corruption through holding night parties and sale of art pieces which offends public moralities. Bills of indictment were issued by the Revolutionary court. They are both in detention in Evin Prison and they enjoy the right of meeting and access to telephone. "

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