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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 UA IRN 10/2016 dated 28 April 2016, has the honor to submit herewith the reply of the I.R. Iran with regard to Mr. Esmaeil ABDI's case.

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.

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Situation of Mr. Esmaeil ABDI

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 received from the Department of Justice of Tehran Province, Mr. Esmaeil Abdi was charged with assembly and collusion with the intension of committing crime against State Security and propaganda activities against the country. On the basis of Articles 610, 500 and considering Article 134 of the Islamic Penal Code, he was sentence, on 2.2.2016, by Branch 15 of Tehran Court, to five years of imprisonment. The verdict was appealed and the Tehran Court of Appeal upheld the verdict. He is now serving his sentence in Evin prison. "
