

# Conference on Disarmament

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## **Note Verbale dated 18 September 2020 from the Permanent Mission of Israel addressed to the Secretariat of the Conference on Disarmament and transmitting the Statement delivered by the delegation of Israel at the 1543<sup>rd</sup> Plenary meeting of the Conference on Disarmament on 13 August 2020**

The Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations Office and other international organization based in Geneva presents its compliments to the United Nations Office for Disarmament, in its capacity as Secretariat of the Conference on Disarmament, and has the honor to request that the attached statement delivered by the delegation of Israel during the plenary session of the Conference on Disarmament on 13 August 2020 be registered and circulated as official documents of the 2020 session of the Conference on Disarmament.

The Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations office and other International Organizations in Geneva avails itself of this opportunity to renew to the United Nations Office for Disarmament the assurances of its highest consideration.



**Statement by Minister Counsellor Michal Maayan**

Thank you, Mr. President,

At the outset, allow me to congratulate you, Mr. President, on assuming your duties as the president of the Conference on Disarmament. I would also like to extend Israel's gratitude to the outgoing presidents and to assure you of my delegations' cooperation in the conduct of your duties.

Mr. President,

We demand that The Islamic Republic of Iran, a country that violates international agreements, undermines the stability of the Middle East, encourages non-compliance and responsible for the proliferation of arms in our region, refers to us by our official name, the State of Israel.

I thank you.

  

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