

Command Headquarters of the Armed Forces

In this confidential document, the chairman of the Command Headquarters of the Armed Forces, on the order of the Supreme Leader, instructs 9 ministries and executive command centers to “acquire a comprehensive and complete report of all the activities” of the activities of the Bahá’í community. It is emphasized that this effort should be implemented in complete confidentiality.



[Translation from Persian]

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Subject: Identification of individuals of the misguided Sects of Bahatism and Babism

Enclosure: Salamati Rahbar [Health of the Supreme Leader]

With salutations and praise to Muhammad and his descendants (S) [May the Blessing of God be Upon Him and His Descendants], while we express our deepest sympathy on the occasion of the martyrdom of the Lord of believers in divine unity and the Commander of the faithful (MPUH) [May Peace be Upon Him], and wishing for the acceptance of [our] obligations and worships, further to the reports received concerning secret activities and meetings of the misguided sects of Bahatism and Babism in Tehran and other cities in the country, and according to the instructions of the Exalted Rank of the Supreme Leader, His Holiness Ayatollah Khamenei (may his exalted shadow be extended), the Command Headquarters of the Armed Forces has been given the mission to acquire a comprehensive and complete report of all the activities of these sects (including political, economic, social and cultural) for the purpose of identifying all the individuals of these misguided sects. Therefore, we request that you convey to relevant authorities, in a highly confidential manner, to collect any and all information about the above-mentioned activities of these individuals and report it to this Command Headquarters.

This [either this information, or the reports to be received] will be submitted for the blessed consideration of the Exalted Rank of the Supreme Leader, the Commander in Chief of the Armed Forces (may his exalted shadow be extended).

Signed: Chairman of the Command Headquarters of the Armed Forces

Basij Major General. Dr. Seyyed Hossein Firuzabadi

Recipients:

- The Ministry of Information of the Islamic Republic of Iran
- The Belief-Political [organization] of [the office of] the Commander in Chief
- The Commander of the [Revolutionary] Guard
- The Commander of the Basij Resistance Forces of the [Revolutionary] Guard
- The Commander of the Police Force of the Islamic Republic of Iran
- The Deputy of the Intelligence Branch of the Police Force of the Islamic Republic of Iran
- The Representative of the Jurist Cleric [Ayatollah Khamenei] in the [Revolutionary] Guard
- The Chairman of the Belief-Political Organization of the Police Force of the Islamic Republic of Iran
- The Chief Commander of the Army of the Islamic Republic of Iran

CC:

- The Esteemed Chairman of the Judiciary -His Holiness Ayatollah Shahrudi for information and necessary action.
- The Esteemed Chairman of the Office of the Exalted Rank of the Supreme Leader
- Basij Brigadier General Mehdi Shirazi for information.