

Woman, Life, Freedom

To whom it may concerns,

Mass killing of people who are peacefully protesting especially women and girls

The brutal murder of Mahsa Amini by the so-called "morality police" in Tehran over a month ago, sparked the mass protests - which quickly evolved into a Revolution - against the Islamic Republic Regime, led by young Iranian women and schoolgirls seeking an end to their oppression. This Revolution has seen Iranian and non-Iranians around the world marching in solidarity with Iranian people fighting for their basic Human Rights, standing in the face of oppression.

The response of the Regime to the protests has been horrific, leading to more arrests, tortures, and deaths of hundreds of more innocent lives, including children/students who stood in unity. The Regime blocked popular social media application such as WhatsApp, Instagram, Twitter, YouTube etc to stop spreading the word to the world. There is no free media in Iran and all official ones such as all available air tv and newspapers has been running by Islamic regime. There is a huge censorship in Iran regarding the protests and all the current situations. Hence, people use their own mobile camera and record videos from protests and mass murdering of people by regime in the street. The barbaric regime shoot directly to people who are in the street no matter they are protesting or recording videos or honking their car horn as an protesting act. There are several videos available that shows people have been murdered by shotgun while they were filming in peace. Just to mention a few names : Ghazaleh Chalavi and Shirin Alizadeh.

Their death were particularly shocking because of footage of the protests that they were making on their phone at the time they were conserved and uploaded on social media. Ghazaleh last words were:" Do not be afraid, do not be afraid." Here is the link to the report that Guardian was posted about Ghazaleh:

<https://www.theguardian.com/world/2022/nov/02/parents-of-iranian-woman-killed-during-protests-harassed-by-security-forces>

Shirin's last words were: "I'm afraid they shoot me"

Here is the link to the news related to death of Shirin Alizadeh:

<https://www.france24.com/en/live-news/20221103-shirin-alizadeh-iranian-woman-killed-filming-crackdown>

These people were innocent. They didn't do anything wrong even with regards the unfair rules of Islamic Regime.

There are many similar cases who have been murdered during the last two months. They forced the family of murdered people to do mandatory confession that they committed suicide but in the above specific cases, they couldn't ignore it and the world know about them.

Iranians want to change the barbaric Islamic Regime. They are demanding a revolution to get rid of this terrorist regime. In order to achieve that we need to put pressure on the regime from different aspect. One of the main one that can be very helpful and it's like a catalyst to revolution is the foreign countries global Magnitsky sanction and bans. Therefore, they will

be restricted on financial transactions, travelling and many other social and economical point. People in Iran are protesting in the street, they are on strike and main factories and malls stopped working to put pressure inside. Global actions by powerful countries like USA, Australia, Canada and European countries will have a great impact and make the revolution happen faster.

What do we want from Australian government:

- Impose Magnitsky-style sanctions against the IRI, the Islamic Revolutionary Guard Corps (IRGC), their officials and individuals connected with each.
- Freeze the assets of the IRI and the IRGC and others affiliated with pursuing the terrorist objectives of the IRI's regime by investing on Australian soil.
- Impose travel bans against individuals affiliated with the IRI, the IRGC and the Iranian regime.
- Expel the IRI's ambassador from Australia, along with those who are closely connected with the IRI.
- Formally recognise the IRI as a terrorist nation, and the IRGC as a terrorist organisation.
- Put in place appropriate measures to avoid Australian taxpayers' money is not used to support the brutality of the IRI and its regime.
- To remove IRI from the UN Commission on the Status of Women

Urgency of this issue: Should Australia not be acting urgently on these issues, considering the death toll and the rate of arbitrary detention, and therefore the risk of abuse, violation, torture and death, are constantly rising since 16 September.

Thanks for your time you in advance.