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52 Targets

Much is stirring and rolling since the recent escalation of tensions between the United States and the <u>Regime</u> in Iran. The events will take their course as they may, but it is important for all parties involved to be clearly understood so counterproductive misunderstandings are avoided.

The statement regarding taking countermeasures in response to future Iranian actions, and targeting 52 Iranian sites, is one that needs to be explained, amended or revised to prevent the alienation and loss of the majority of Iranians, the Nationalists, , who are the United States' natural allies in this struggle.

The statement is rather ambiguous. A mention of "Cultural Sites" has been taken out of context to mean Historical sites in some cases. The regime sympathizers who by default couldn't care less about Iran and Iranian History are already mourning the death of Iran and its history on social media, all in line with Regime's propaganda machine. In some other instances, regardless of which term was being used, the targeting of either Cultural or Historical sites is being presented as a Crime against Humanity, etc.

If adequate assurances for the concerns of the legitimate allies could not be extended, perhaps it was not necessary at all to mention the nature of the targets.

Now that the cat is out of the box, perhaps a loud and broadly circulated statement about the preservation of that which is an Iranian contribution to the" Iranian" culture as well as the whole of humanity would eliminate this unnecessary conversation.

Another way to reverse this tide would be to condense the meaning of the term Cultural so it applies to anything that stems from four decades of IRI's occupation. A period during which any and all possible Anti-Cultural measure against all things Iranian were implemented.

Furthermore, if it becomes necessary to target any physical sites for that purpose, perhaps beginning with the tomb of the mad scientist who by designing, creating and testing the pathogen on himself became the Patient-Zero of Khomeinist pandemic might be a good place to start!

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