## ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF IRAN

## Statement by the Delegation of the Islamic Republic of Iran at the Twenty-Seventh Session of the Conference of the States Parties

## Mr. Chairperson,

I would like to reiterate the principled position of my delegation to the effect that the Islamic Republic of Iran does not recognize the regime of Israel as a State and its attendance at the Twenty-Seventh Session of the Conference of the States Parties to the Chemical Weapons Convention shall not be construed as the recognition of this regime by my delegation.

I request that this statement be circulated as an official document of this session and posted on the OPCW's public website and Catalyst portal.

Thank You, Mr. Chairperson.