

[PROVISIONAL TRANSLATION FROM PERSIAN]

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[Emblem]

Islamic Republic of Iran

Ministry of National Defence

From: ABVB-AJII¹ (Cooperation Unit)

To: Dismissed Major Shapour Asgarpour

Subject: Reply to [your] petition dated 9/2/1360 [29 April 1981]

(phone-----)

No: 701-03-12

Date: 20/3/1360 [10 June 1981]

Attachment-----

You have been dismissed from employment in the army due to being a follower of the Baha'i sect. If you have any objections, you can contact the Imam's Committee, situated in the [office of the] Joint Chiefs of Staff, or you can prepare a detailed petition and mail it to the mentioned Committee at [the office of the] Joint Chiefs of Staff, near the crossing of Ghasr [Street].

Director of Pension and Insurance Office of the Armed Forces, JII,

Colonel of the Army Staff Arab-Shahin

[Signature]

[Address]

[At the bottom of page] *“Year 59, or the year of repair and maintenance, the year of intense crusade against the economy of imperialism”*

¹ [Acronym: Pension and Insurance Office of the Armed Forces of the Islamic Republic of Iran]