
PRO-IRAN MILITIA SAYS WON'T ATTACK US EMBASSY IN IRAQ

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Iraqs Kataib Hezbollah militia pledged not to attack the US Embassy in Iraq on Sunday, on the first anniversary of the killing of top Iranian general Qasem Soleimani in a US drone airstrike.

"We will neither enter the embassy of evil (the US Embassy) nor overthrow this government... there is still time, the groups secretary-general, Abu Hussein al-Hamidawi, said in a statement.

The pledge by the pro-Iran group comes amid heightened tensions between Tehran and Washington on the first anniversary of Soleimanis assassination. The US has vowed to retaliate any attack by pro-Iran groups on US forces or interests in Iraq.

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