**Law of the Martyrs' Rights of the Crime of
Martyr Pilot Majid AL-Tamimi Air Base
No. (12) Of 2019**

قانون حقوق شهداء جريمة قاعدة الشهيد الطيار ماجد التميمي الجوية

In the name of people
Presidency of Republic

Resolution no. (12)

Based on what the parliament have decided in accordance with the provisions of the Item (First) of Article (61) and the Item (Third) of Article (73) of the constitution, the president decided on 5/ 8/ 2019 to issue the following law:

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Article 1

Victims of the Air Base Crime that took place in Salah AL-Din Province in June of 2014,and perpetrated by Isis terrorist gangs shall be considered martyrs, whether those whose remains were found or the missing persons who have not yet found their remains, including the martyrs who harboured the martyrs and the survivors of this crime.

Article 2

The Air Base's martyrs shall enjoy all the rights granted to the martyrs stipulated in the Military Service and Retirement Law (amended) No. (3) of 2010, just as their peers in the Ministry of Defence, as well as the rights and privileges stipulated in the Law of

Laws

Compensation for Victims of War operations, Military Mistakes and Terrorist Operations No. (20) of 2009 (amended), and their families have the right to choose between receiving salary and retirement rights stipulated in the two laws above.

Article 3

The prepared lists of names of martyrs shall be approved by the Ministry of Defence to apply the provisions of this law.

Article 4

First: The Ministry of Health and the relevant authorities shall complete the procedures for opening the mass graves of the martyrs, matching the genetic mark (DNA) and handing over the remains to their families within a period not exceeding (one year) from the date this law comes into force.

Second: The Ministry of Health and the relevant authorities shall seek the assistance of international organizations specialized in matching the (DNA) to speed up the identification of the identities of the martyrs.

Third: The Ministry of Finance shall allocate funds for the purpose stipulated in the Item (First) of this Article.

Article 5

The perpetrators of the Air Base Crime shall not be included in any general or special amnesty, and crimes shall not fall under the statute of limitations for juveniles from them, and the judicial authorities shall follow up the perpetrators, participants, contributors or instigators of the commission and those who cover up criminals and conceal information related to this crime and legal penalties shall be imposed against them and the adequate protection shall be provided for witnesses.

Article 6

First: The Ministry of Culture, the Municipality of Baghdad, all governorates and other concerned authorities shall take the necessary measures to morally commemorate the martyrs of the Air Base, and condemn the crime by erecting memorials and naming schools and streets after their names and other actions that perpetuate the incident.

Second: Salah al-Din Province, in coordination with the Ministry of Culture and the concerned authorities, shall erect an appropriate memorial for the martyrs who were martyred in the Air Base Crime, including their names, date of birth, and their provinces as well as commemorating the anniversary annually with all activities that show the heinousness of the crime.

Article 7

First: This crime shall be deemed a genocide crime or an against-humanity crime after it is proven before the competent courts.

Second: The Federal Ministry of Foreign Affairs, the Martyr Foundation, the High Commission for Human Rights and other institutions shall publicize this crime before the international community and institutions concerned with human rights and seeking to take a decision by international organizations and institutions to condemn the crime and consider it a crime of genocide or an against-humanity crime.

Article 8

The relevant authorities shall take care the families of the martyrs by providing them with financial and moral support, particularly the federal ministries of Finance and Housing and Construction, Municipalities and Public Works and the provinces by distributing plots of land to them in accordance with the law on Compensation for those affected by war operations, military mistakes and terrorist operations (amended) No. (20) of 2009 within a period not

exceeding (90) days from the date of this law comes into force in good housing locations within the municipal boundaries of the administrative units.

Article 9

The fact that the families of the martyrs obtain their rights stipulated in this law and the laws in force shall not deprive them of other rights to claim any other rights in accordance with the provisions of criminal responsibility or the provisions of other laws.

Article 10

The provisions of Law on Commemorating the Martyrs of the War Against ISIS Terrorist Gangs, Accelerating the Completion of Their Transactions and Intensive Care for the Wounded No. (81) of 2017 shall apply to those covered by the provisions of this Law.

Article 11

The Martyrs Foundation shall materially and morally honour the people or their families who sheltered at Air Base's affiliates of students and military personnel and protected them from the terrorist gangs of ISIS during the period in which the crime occurred and in proportion to the national and humanitarian positions of these people.

Article 12

The Ministries of Education and Higher Education and Scientific Research shall include the Air Base crime in the school curricula.

Article 13

The Martyrs Foundation shall issue instructions to facilitate the implementation of this law.

Article 14

This law will be effective once it is published in the Official Gazette.

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President of the Republic