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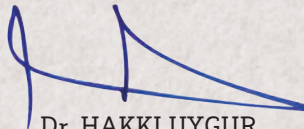
To Mr./Ms. \_\_\_\_\_

Dear subscriber, we are here with the last issue of IRAMONIT in 2020. This sixth issue, like the previous ones, demonstrates our comprehensive analyses on different topics regarding Iran and the region. I would like to state that we have improved our work in accordance with the feedbacks and demands we received from government agencies, the private sector and foreign representative offices. I have no doubt that we will succeed even more in the new year with your support and encouragement.

The December issue, which we have enriched with chronology and infographics, contains nine articles covering the following topics: **Prominent issues in Iran's foreign policy, The future of Iran-Saudi Arabia relations in the Biden era, The EU'S Iranian policy change, The assassination of Fakhrizadeh and its reflections on the Iranian security bureaucracy, Iran's new law on accelerating its nuclear program and options of Rouhani's government, online education and games of chance in Iran, The stance of the Persian-language media outlets based abroad towards Turkey, and Iran's image in the Arab public opinion.**

This month's special file sheds light on "child labor" which has become a chronic problem in Iran. This problem, which started to attract attention in the country at the beginning of the 20th century, has turned into a social problem over time and became an unresolvable but rather gradually intensifying issue for Iran along with the long-standing economic crisis and administrative problems. This additional report, which examines the reasons that push children to work and the difficulties they face in this process, reveals the child labor in Iran with its legal, social, cultural, and economic dimensions.

I hope that the December issue of IRAMONIT will come in useful for you and your institution, and I extend my best wishes to you for a healthy, peaceful and prosperous New Year 2021.



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Acting President

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## SPECIAL FILE



### A CHRONIC SOCIAL CHALLENGE IN IRAN: CHILD LABOUR



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