Following the Swedish Migration Agency (SMA) decision in early 2026 to temporarily suspend decisions on the rejection of applications for international protection submitted by Iranian and Lebanese applicants due to the security situation in both countries, two new COI reports assessing the security and human rights conditions in Iran and in Lebanon were published.

The SMA concluded that both reports provide a comprehensive and up-to-date country of origin information to enable the SMA to resume the assessment of these cases.

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