

## Synopsis

On January 08, 2020, Ukraine International Airlines (UIA) Flight PS752 departing from Imam Khomeini International Airport for Kyiv crashed shortly after takeoff.

Under the Islamic Republic of Iran Regulations and as per Annex 13, the accident investigation team was formed, who collected and analyzed data, made conclusions and safety recommendations with the aim of preventing similar accidents.

The accident aircraft was misidentified by the air defense unit in the suburbs of Tehran and, consequently, two missiles were launched toward it. The operation of aircraft had not imposed any error to the air defense unit.

The cause of the accident was the detonation of the missile.

All 176 people on board lost their lives.

The airworthy Boeing 737-800 operated by qualified crew of Ukraine International Airlines was under control of Iranian air traffic control and the takeoff clearance was issued after coordination with military sector.

The air defense forces were on a higher level of alertness at the time of the accident.