

Nazer — Iran's AI-Assisted App and Drone Network for Hijab-Law Enforcement

AI in the Public Sector · Good practice · Iran

Quality score: 20/100

Evidence strength: Descriptive / self-reported

Summary

Iran built the Nazer app for the public to report women's hijab 'violations' by vehicle plate, paired it with roadway cameras, drones and university facial recognition, and in March 2025 a UN Fact-Finding Mission called the resulting enforcement a gross human-rights violation.

Key dimensions

Dimension	Score
Evidence of impact / measured public value	1/3
Transparency, fairness & accountability	0/3
Transferability / demonstrated replication	1/3
Scalability beyond pilot	1/3
Governance, capability & sustainability	0/3

Evaluated by C-NAPSE

Data sources

[C-NAPSE web research](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

[Islamic Republic of Iran Law Enforcement Command \(FARAJA\) / Ministry of Interior](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

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[Forbes — Iran ramps up tech targeting women and girls](#) — accessed 2026-07-30

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