

A Letter to the President of Tunisia

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To His Excellency Kaïs Saïed

President of the Republic of Tunisia

Carthage Palace, Tunis

Mr. President,

I am writing this not from the quiet corridors of Carthage, but from the bustling heart of Tunis—from the cafes of Avenue Habib Bourguiba, where the real pulse of this nation beats. I am writing as a citizen who looks at our past with pride and at our future with a mix of anxiety and stubborn hope. Tunisia is a land of depth, a 12-million-strong crossroads of history, but today, we are at a crossroads of destiny.

We are a nation of victors. In the arenas of the world, our athletes have carried the Tunisian flag with a ferocity that defies our size. Look at our champions in swimming and fencing; they are the true ambassadors of our resilience, proving to every young child in Bizerte or Tataouine that talent knows no borders. In medicine, our doctors are our silent heroes. We have pioneered complex surgeries and medical research

that rivals the best in the Mediterranean, often working with infrastructure that is stretched to its limits. When a citizen falls ill, it is the sheer dedication of our medical staff that bridges the gap between despair and recovery.

But, Mr. President, we cannot live on glory alone. Our triumphs in the ring and the operating theater mask the cracks in our foundation. The youth, our greatest asset, are looking toward the horizon, dreaming of migration because they see no path at home. Our education system, once the envy of the region, is failing to provide the skills for the modern digital economy. We are producing graduates who are experts in theory but stranded in a job market that is stagnant and disconnected from global innovation.

Our economy is gasping for air. The cost of living is rising, and the small business owner—the backbone of our markets—is being crushed by bureaucratic red tape and a lack of access to formal finance. We have the potential to be a solar-energy powerhouse, a tech hub for Africa and Europe, yet we remain bogged down in debates that serve the past rather than the future.

We need a government that acts as a catalyst, not a hurdle. We need to overhaul our vocational training so our youth can build the technologies of tomorrow. We need to decentralize our prosperity, ensuring that the farmer in the south feels the same economic heartbeat as the executive in the capital.

Mr. President, Tunisia is not just a place on a map; it is an idea of freedom and excellence. Don't let that idea wither. Give us the tools to build, the freedom to innovate, and a vision that includes all of us. The eyes of history are on you, but the eyes of the future are on the streets of Tunis, waiting for you to lead.

With respect and high expectations,

A Concerned Citizen of Tunisia

Sovereign Performance Audit: Tunisia (June 2026)

Sector

Score

Summary

Political Stability

2.5

High tension; the shift toward centralized executive power has polarized the political landscape.

Economic Development

2.0

Struggling; high inflation, debt, and slow growth are stifling the middle class.

Social Infrastructure

3.5

Strong medical/educational foundations are preserved, though aging infrastructure needs urgent capital.

National Pride (Sports/Culture)

5.0

Exceptional; Tunisia consistently punches above its weight in global sports and research.

Final Verdict: 3.25 / The Resilience Gap.

Tunisia is a paradox: its people are globally competitive in sports, medicine, and intellectual output, yet its domestic economy is stalled. The administration's mandate

is clear, but the approach must shift from political consolidation to aggressive, outward-looking economic reform if the country is to retain its brightest minds.

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