

PALESTINE'S LEGAL SCENE

Surveying the most important publications and activities related to Palestine throughout the week, from local and international sources.

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This weekly report reviews the legal dynamics of the Palestine question, and everything related to international law and Palestine. The report includes an account of the most important publications, activities and conferences related to Palestine at the local, regional, international levels. The report further covers decisions, decrees, and judicial orders affecting the Palestinian cause, whether made at the official, academic or public levels. The report aims to be a reference for monitoring, documenting and archiving the latest human rights developments related to Palestine, and to present them to individuals, researchers, study centers, and official, academic and legal institutions concerned.

Judicial decrees, decisions, positions, and orders issued by Israeli official bodies:

- The HCJ received a petition demanding that the Israeli army **be required to obtain a judicial warrant before entering and searching Palestinians' residences** (March 22, 2020). click [here](#)
- The HCJ received a joint letter from several institutions demanding **that Palestinian prisoners be allowed to communicate with their families** - whether by a phone call or visit - after canceling visits following the Corona pandemic. (March 26, 2020). click [here](#)
- the Israeli Supreme Court received an urgent petition against emergency regulations enacted in the shadow of the coronavirus crisis **preventing lawyers and family members from meeting with prisoners being held in Israeli detention** (March 26, 2020).
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Judicial decrees, decisions, positions, and orders issued by Arab, European and international bodies:

- The British Home Office released a detailed official report on the **situation of freedom of movement, security and human rights in the Palestinian Territories**. (March 2020). click [here](#)

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- Nickolay Mladenov, UN Special Coordinator for the Middle East Peace Process, **has praised the coordination between the Israeli and Palestine authorities in reacting to the COVID-19 pandemic.** (March 28, 2020).click [here](#)

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- The Council of Palestinian Human Rights Organizations has sent a letter to the International Committee of the Red Cross calling for the **rescue of Palestinian prisoners under Coronavirus** (March 23, 2020). click [here](#)

Academic research and studies (Arab and foreign):

- Professor Steven Zipperstein has published a book entitled: “**Law and the Arab–Israeli Conflict: The Trials of Palestine**”. (March 2020).click [here](#)