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**HUMAN RIGHTS SITUATION IN PALESTINE AND OTHER
OCCUPIED ARAB TERRITORIES**

**Cuba, Pakistan (on behalf of the Organization of the Islamic Conference),
Yemen* (on behalf of the Arab Group): draft resolution**

**10/... Follow-up to Council resolution S-9/1 on the grave violations
of human rights in the Occupied Palestinian Territory,
particularly due to the recent Israeli military attacks against
the occupied Gaza Strip**

The Human Rights Council,

Recalling its resolution S-9/1 of 12 January 2009,

Recalling also its decision to dispatch an urgent, independent international fact-finding mission, to be appointed by the President of the Council, to investigate all violations of international human rights law and international humanitarian law by the occupying Power, Israel, against the Palestinian people throughout the Occupied Palestinian Territory, particularly in the occupied Gaza Strip, due to the latest aggression, and that it called upon Israel not to obstruct the process of investigation and to fully cooperate with the mission,

* Non-member State of the Human Rights Council

Expressing with regret that resolution S-9/1 has not been fully implemented to date,

1. *Requests* the President of the Council to continue his tireless efforts to appoint the independent international fact-finding mission;
2. *Calls upon* the occupying Power, Israel, to abide by its obligations under international law, international humanitarian law and international human rights law;
3. *Demands* that the occupying Power, Israel, fully cooperate with all relevant special procedures mandate-holders in the discharge of their mandates;
4. *Also demands* that the occupying Power, Israel, facilitate and provide unhindered access to the members of the independent international fact-finding mission;
5. *Decides* to remain seized of the matter.
