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## Submission sheet

Individuals, groups and organizations wishing to submit information and documentation to the United Nations Independent International Commission of Inquiry on the occupied Palestinian Territory, including East Jerusalem, and Israel (hereafter the "COI") are kindly asked to fill in this sheet with any information they are able to provide, and attach it to their submissions.

It is not a requirement to provide all requested information if not available, though <u>particular</u> <u>attention should be given to filling in the section on consent</u>.

Unless indicated otherwise in the form, the COI will consider all materials received to be usable in its reports, but without attribution as to the source

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Contact of submitting individual/entity	Email(s): <b>yonishmueli58@gmail.com</b> Telephone/WhatsApp/Signal/Other: Web Address: Agree to be contacted by the COI: Yes $\Box$ No $\Box$ <b>Yes</b>
Relationship of submitting entity/individual to the alleged victim/s	
Human rights violation/s or abuses alleged to have occurred	According to the Lod Municipality, these are the synagogues that were damaged by Arab rioters in May 2021:
	<ol> <li>The synagogue on Brenner Street was completely burned down</li> <li>Yeshua Hashem Synagogue on Hechalutz / Alshvili Street - the courtyard was set on fire and trees burned</li> <li>The Dosa Synagogue on Hechalutz Street was set on fire twice, Torah scrolls were evacuated but two side rooms and holy books were burned</li> <li>The Shaarei Aliya synagogue in the Neve Nof neighborhood was broken into and its windows were smashed</li> <li>In the Abir Yaakov Synagogue on Tzahal Street, windows were smashed; the synagogue and beit midrash of the Maoz preparatory school on Exodus St. 2 were partially set on fire and holy books were burned</li> <li>in the Shaarei Shamayim synagogue, windows were smashed.</li> </ol>

Violations of the laws and	
customs of war	
(international	
humanitarian law)	
Date/s of incident/time period	
Place of incident	Village/township/city: Lod
	Province:
Name/s of alleged victim/s	Name:
gender, age	Gender
	Age:
	Father's name:
	Nationality: Israeli (Jewish)
	Profession
	Phone number/email:
	Address:
Identification of those allegedly responsible	Name of alleged perpetrator if known:
	State or non-state entity with which perpetrator is affiliated, if any:
	Israeli Arab Muslims
	Any identifying marks of the perpetrator which indicate their affiliation, such as the colour or pattern of their uniform and uniform's insignia:
Description of the incident(s)/allegations	Detailed description of:
(2000-word limit)	<ul> <li>the incident(s) or alleged violation(s), including dates, specific locations (e.g. street, building) and number and types and name(s) of victim(s)</li> <li>the context in which they took place</li> <li>alleged perpetrators</li> </ul>
	- alleged motive
	Please also include information on the impact of these violations, as well as age and gender-sensitive considerations (e.g. how these violations affected women and men, girls and boys differently).
Description of the State's response, (500-word limit)	Indicate whether the incident was reported to the authorities: Yes □ No□ If yes, which authorities:
	Information on any investigations, judicial processes, decision/judgements and sentences, including reparations, in response to the incident:
Methodology employed in the collection of information	Please provide a description of the methodology employed in the collection of the information shared- primary, secondary sources, means of verification, etc., along with how informed consent was gained from the information provider. If needed, attach a copy of the relevant standard operating procedures followed.

Consent	Please indicate whether you, the person submitting the information, agree to the following use of the information by the COI with or without personally identifiable data:
	INFORMED CONSENT TO USE THE INFORMATION:
	1. Use internally and publicly (e.g. public report, press release), with $\Box$ without $\Box$ personally identifiable data. <b>Agree</b>
	2. Use internally only (within the COI), with $\Box$ without $\Box$ personally identifiable data. Agree
	INFORMED CONSENT TO SHARE THE INFORMATION:
	1. Raise the case with national authorities, courts or accountability mechanisms that respect international standards (including due process) with $\Box$ without $\Box$ personally identifiable data. <b>Agree</b>
	2. Share info with national human rights institutions, with $\Box$ without $\Box$ personally identifiable data. Agree
	3. Refer to national or international organizations (including UN human rights mechanisms and other UN entities) providing victim assistance (e.g. ICRC, medical, legal), with without personally identifiable data. <b>Agree</b>
	5. Share info with international and regional courts – including the International Criminal Court (ICC) -, or accountability mechanisms of other States that respect international standards (including due process) with $\Box$ without $\Box$ personally identifiable data. Agree
	Additional Details on Consent:
	Please indicate if consent to provide this information to the CoI has been received from the alleged victims (any consent given must be provided by the victim or by relatives or legal representatives on their behalf, or by a parent/legal guardian in case of a child) Yes $\Box$ No $\Box$ ; consent provided by:
	If necessary, please explain:
Description of any broader issues not related to specific violations (2000-word limit)	Description should be succinct, highlighting issues of relevance to the mandate of the COI, and include concrete examples whenever possible.

	Please also include information on the impact of these violations, as well as age and gender-sensitive considerations (e.g. how these violations affected women and men, girls and boys differently) as relevant.
Any other human rights NGOs to whom you reported the incident	If appropriate, please provide name and contact information of any other person or organization to whom the incident was reported.
Additional materials (documents, images, videos, etc) relevant to the incident(s)/allegation(s)	Please indicate, if you are aware of, or in possession of, any         additional materials from other sources (including the media and         NGOs) in which the above incident(s)/allegations are cited, that are         deemed relevant/useful. The COI may follow-up at a later date in         order to receive the material(s) indicated.         Date of publication: May 31, 2021         Title: Is it true that synagogues in Lod were not burned, but only a         building of the preparatory school?         Source (author/organisation): Gloves         Web link;         https://www.globes.co.il/news/article.aspx?did=1001372670         Type of material: 1 Document □(total doc); Image □(total images);         Video □(total videos); Other (please specify)