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Letter dated 14 April 1972 from the Permanent Representative of Jordan  
to the United Nations addressed to the Secretary-General

Upon instructions from my Government, I have the honour to bring to Your Excellency's attention new Israeli measures of forcible expulsion of Arab inhabitants from the occupied territories.

Fourteen persons from different towns and villages of the occupied West Bank of Jordan and from Gaza were expelled through Wadi Araba, south of the Dead Sea, and have recently arrived in the East Bank.

The names of the expellees and their age and place of origin are as follows:

<u>NAME</u>	<u>TOWN OR VILLAGES</u>	<u>AGE</u>	<u>PROFESSION</u>
Azmi Hamdi Hassounah	Ramallah	22	Student
Mahmoud Muharib Olayyan	Gaza	16	Student
Yahya Ismail Ma'eem	Jaffa	24	Student
Mahmoud M. Mustafa	Gaza	17	Student
Hussein I. Faleh	Nablus	22	Tailor
Omar B. Abdullah	Nablus	21	Student
Mansour A. Adullatif	Ramallah	20	Student
Amer Hassan Khalil	Gaza	18	Student
Issa Ali Hassan	Ramallah	21	Electrician
Zakareyya A. Hussein	Gaza	22	Worker
Mohammad S. Ibrahim	Gaza	37	Worker
Mohammad A. Abdulrazak	Gaza	24	Worker
Salem H. Abu-Dalal	Gaza	17	Worker
Salah-Uddin Musa	Jerusalem	28	Student

The successive deportations of the indigenous population and the injection of alien elements to settle on absentee property continue. These deportations are in direct violation of article 49 of the Geneva Convention of 12 August 1949.

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It should, therefore, be emphasized that effective measures in accordance with the United Nations Charter are required to stop such policies.

May I request Your Excellency to bring this matter to the attention of the Commission on Human Rights and the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices Affecting the Human Rights of the Population of the Occupied Territories.

I have the honour to request that this letter be circulated as an official document of the General Assembly and the Security Council.

(Signed) Abdul Hamid SHARAF  
Ambassador  
Permanent Representative

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