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STATEMENT BY THE PRESIDENT OF THE SECURITY COUNCIL

The following statement was issued by the President of the Security Council after consultations of the Council held on 26 January 1984:

"Concern has been expressed to the President of the Security Council in documents S/16249, S/16255 and S/16261, regarding legislation at present under consideration by the Israeli Knesset.

"The Council notes the subsequent letter on this matter from the Permanent Representative of Israel to the United Nations contained in document S/16269 dated 11 January 1984.

"In this connection, the Security Council recalls its previous resolutions stressing the applicability of the Geneva Convention Relative to the Protection of Civilian Persons in Time of War, of 12 August 1949, and urges that no steps be taken which could lead to further aggravation of tension in the area."
