



Secretariat

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INFORMATION CIRCULAR N° 29

Subject: International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian people

1. In accordance with General Assembly resolution 32/40B of 2 December 1977, a special meeting at the Palais des Nations on 24 November 2008, at 4.00 p.m. in Conference Room XVIII (entrance Door 40) will mark the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People.
2. A provisional programme is attached for your information.
3. Subject to the exigencies of service, supervisors are invited to release staff members from their duties in order to allow them to attend this ceremony.

(Signed) Sergei **Ordzhonikidze**
Director-General

INTERNATIONAL DAY OF SOLIDARITY WITH THE PALESTINIAN PEOPLE

2008

Special Meeting at the United Nations Office at Geneva

PROVISIONAL PROGRAMME

**The special meeting is organized in observance
of General Assembly resolution 32/40 B
of 2 December 1977**

Place: Palais des Nations, Conference Room XVIII (entrance Door 40)

Opening: 4.00 p.m., Monday, 24 November 2008

- Order of Speakers:**
1. Introduction by **Mr. Sergei Ordzhonikidze**
Under-Secretary-General,
Director-General, United Nations Office at Geneva
 2. Statement for the Day being made in New York by
Mr. Ban Ki-moon, Secretary-General of the United Nations,
read out by the Director-General
 3. Representative of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of
the Palestinian People
 4. Representative of the Special Committee to Investigate Israeli Practices
Affecting the Human Rights of the Palestinian People and Other Arabs of
the Occupied Territories
 5. Representative of the League of Arab States
 6. Representative of the Organization of the Islamic Conference
 7. Representative of the Non-Aligned Movement
 8. Representative of the African Union
 9. Representative of the Non-Governmental Organizations
accredited to the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable
Rights of the Palestinian People
 10. Permanent Observer of Palestine

Messages: Announcement of messages or statements for the Day received from
Heads of State or Government

Closure
of the meeting: 5.30 p.m