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Subject: Israel's illegal attacks on Lebanon and consequences for violating the UN Charter

Nearly 700 000 people, including 200 000 children, have been displaced since Israel launched its latest illegal attacks on Lebanon. Eighty-three children have been killed following Israel's latest escalation.

Israel has attacked peacekeepers from the UN Interim Force in Lebanon (UNIFIL), seriously injuring two from Ghana. Israel had previously attacked and endangered UNIFIL personnel on a number of occasions.

Israel's attacks on Lebanon represent a serious breach of the UN Charter and of the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Lebanon. The Vice-President of the Commission / High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy (VP/HR), together with the President of the Commission and the President of the Council, released a statement underscoring the need to respect the sovereignty and territorial integrity of Lebanon[1]. However, they have yet to propose any measures to hold to account the country currently violating that sovereignty and territorial integrity.

Therefore, will the VP/HR:

1. Propose a package of sanctions against the Israeli Government in the light of their flagrant violations of the UN Charter?

2. Refer Israel's actions in Lebanon to the International Court of Justice and the Israeli Government and military leadership to the International Criminal Court for breaches of international law?

3. Propose the full suspension of the EU-Israel Association Agreement given that Israel is clearly breaching Article 2 of that agreement?

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[1] https://ec.europa.eu/commission/presscorner/api/files/document/print/es/statement_26_579/STATEMENT_26_579_EN.pdf.

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