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Non-Aligned Movement
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Mr. President,

- 1. I have the honor to deliver this statement on behalf of the Non-Aligned Movement (NAM). The full text of the statement will be available on the Extranet
- 2. For many years, the Non-Aligned Movement has maintained a firm position of solidarity with the Palestinian people and their just cause, and the condemnation of massive, flagrant, and systematic violations of human rights and international humanitarian law committed by Israel.
- 3. NAM condemns in the strongest terms the acts of aggression and collective punishment by Israel, the occupying Power, against the Palestinian people, in grave breach of international law, and human rights law, including, the killing and injury of tens of thousands of Palestinian civilians, including many children and women.
- 4. NAM also demands an end to this illegal aggression and siege and demands an immediate ceasefire and humanitarian aid at scale, to meet the dramatic needs of the population, as well as an immediate halt to the forced displacement of Palestinian civilians, including any attempts by Israel to expel or deport them from their homeland, and a halt to all other illegal Israeli policies and practices.
- 5. The Movement calls for the sustained provision of political, economic, and humanitarian support to assist the Palestinian people and support their efforts to realize their inalienable rights
- 6. In conclusion, NAM extends its full support to the Government of the State of Palestine in its ongoing efforts to put an end to the occupation of the land of the State of Palestine and realize the legitimate rights of the Palestinian people.

Thank you.

