In a blazing Sept. 25th article, The Guardian laid down a challenge for the UN, as world leaders gathered in New York for the 76th session of the United Nations General Assembly.

“Through its relentless annexation, and expansion of its absolute control over all of Palestine, Israel blatantly denies the inalienable right of the Palestinian people to existence and sovereignty in their own homeland.”

“The Palestinian people – whether under occupation in Gaza and the West Bank, including Jerusalem, inside Israel or living as refugees and forced exiles – has waited for decades for the UN to implement the tens of resolutions it has adopted in support of Palestinian rights.” Holocaust survivor, Dr. Gabor Maté, declares “what Israel has been doing since 1948 is ‘the longest ethnic cleansing operation in the 20th and 21st centuries,” The Guardian went on to say that the UN General Assembly “played a critical role in defeating apartheid in South Africa, which it regarded as a threat to international security and a flagrant violation of the UN charter and the right to self-determination of peoples under colonial and foreign domination. It called on all states to sever military, economic, cultural and diplomatic relations with South Africa and established a special UN committee and centre to help eradicate apartheid. It is high time for the UN to do the same with Israel.”

“UN member states can begin by imposing a two-way military-security embargo on Israel and prohibiting all trade with complicit companies that are listed in the UN database of businesses implicated in Israel’s illegal settlement enterprise...The UN general assembly can truly express the world’s conscience and demonstrate its relevance in the global pursuit of freedom, justice and equality for all.”

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