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At the Supreme Court in Jerusalem
Sitting as the High Court of Justice

H CJ 9961/03

In the matter of:

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v.

- 1. Government of the State of Israel**
- 2. Prime Minister of the State of Israel – Mr. Ariel Sharon**
- 3. Minister of Defence – Mr. Shaul Mofaz**
- 4. Seam Area Administration, Ministry of Defence**
- 5. Military Commander in Judea and Samaria**

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Request for Expedited Hearing

The Honorable Court is requested to set a date as early as possible for an oral hearing on the petition herein. The grounds for the said request are as follows:

1. This petition involves the legality of the decision that the route of the separation wall (or "separation barrier") will penetrate into the territories that Israel has occupied since June 1967, and that the wall erected by the occupying power will be built on privately owned land and on state lands of territory held under belligerent occupation. The petition also deals with the policy for issuing permits, imposed by the IDF on the seam area between the wall and the Green Line, within which a legal system is being operated that cannot be described in any other term but an Apartheid government that discriminates between Jews and Palestinians.
2. These very questions are now being raised, upon the request of the UN General Assembly, before the International Court of Justice in The Hague. A copy of the referral of the question for the opinion of the International Court of Justice is [attached hereto](#).

