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ARAB TERRITORIES, INCLUDING PALESTINE**

**Note verbale dated 16 December 2002 from the Permanent Representative
of Israel to the United Nations Office at Geneva addressed to the
secretariat of the Commission on Human Rights**

The Permanent Mission of Israel to the United Nations Office and other International Organizations in Geneva presents its compliments to the secretariat of the Commission on Human Rights and has the honour to enclose herewith Israel's response * to the report and addendum of Mr. John Dugard, Special Rapporteur of the Commission on Human Rights dealing with the West Bank and Gaza, to the United Nations General Assembly, contained in documents [A/57/366](#) and [Add.1](#).

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