

OCTOBER 7 ATROCITIES: SURVIVORS SEEKING JUSTICE

In the aftermath of the harrowing events on October 7, the Jerusalem Institute of Justice stands at the forefront of a critical campaign—seeking justice for the victims and holding the perpetrators of that day's heinous acts accountable.

On that fateful day, the international community witnessed egregious violations of human rights, including war crimes, crimes against humanity, and acts of genocide. Our mission extends beyond advocacy; we're committed to legal action. We are meticulously preparing a case for the International Criminal Court (ICC) to demand justice for the victims of these unspeakable crimes.

KEY OBJECTIVES



Provide a platform for the voices of survivors to be heard at the ICC



Hold Hamas' perpetrators accountable



Ensure the atrocities of October 7 are never repeated

CRIMES COMMITTED BY HAMAS AND OTHER PALESTINIAN ARMED GROUPS ON AND FROM OCTOBER 7



WAR CRIMES

- Taking hostages
- Murder
- Rape and other acts of sexual violence
- Torture
- Cruel treatment
- Committing outrages upon personal dignity
- Deliberately targeting attacks against civilians



CRIMES AGAINST HUMANITY

- Extermination
- Enforced disappearances
- Murder
- Rape and other acts of sexual violence
- Torture
- Other inhumane acts



GENOCIDE

The following acts committed with intent to destroy, in whole or in part the Israeli people and the Jewish people

- Killing members of the group
- Causing serious bodily or mental harm to members of the group

“ THIS PROCEDURE FILLS ME WITH PRIDE AS A SURVIVOR BECAUSE I FEEL THAT WE ARE GIVEN THE VOICE THAT THE WORLD IS TRYING TO SILENCE. IT IS THE WAY WE HAVE TO SHOUT TO THE WORLD WHAT HAPPENED, WHAT THE TERRORISTS OF HAMAS DID, WHICH IS SOMETHING THAT IS UNIMAGINABLE IN ANY HUMAN CONSCIENCE. THIS WAS THE HOLOCAUST THAT HAPPENED IN THE FULL 21ST CENTURY UNDER THE EYES OF THE WHOLE WORLD, UNDER THE EYES OF ALL HUMAN BEINGS.

Guido Kohan, Survivor of the October 7 Massacre



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