VIRTUAL EVENT: Annual observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

Agenda, 10 December 2020, 11:00 hrs

1. **Opening** of Annual observance of the International Day of Solidarity with the Palestinian People

2. **Opening Remarks** and Statement by the Chair on behalf of the Committee on the Exercise of the Inalienable Rights of the Palestinian People delivered by **H.E. Ms. Khojesta Fana Ebrahimkhel**, Permanent Representative of the Islamic Republic of Afghanistan to the United Nations (Vienna)

3. **Message** from the Secretary-General of the United Nations **Mr. Antonio Guterres** delivered by **Ms. Ghada Waly**, Director-General of the United Nations Office at Vienna

4. **Address by the Host Country** delivered by **Mr. Gerold Vollmer**, Director of the Middle East and North Africa Department of the Ministry for European and International Affairs of Austria

5. **Statements by the Groups:**

   - **League of Arab States (statement of the Secretary-General of LAS, Mr. Ahmed Aboul Gheit)** delivered by **H.E. Mr. Mohamed Samir Koubaa**, Head of the Permanent Observer Office of the League of Arab States to the United Nations (Vienna)
   - **Arab Ambassadors' Council in Vienna** delivered by **H.E. Ms. Leena Al Hadid**, Permanent Representative of The Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan to the United Nations (Vienna)
   - **Non-Aligned Movement** delivered by **H.E. Mr. Galib Israfilov**, Permanent Representative of the Republic of Azerbaijan to the United Nations (Vienna)
   - **African Group** delivered by **H.E. Mohamed Mezghani**, Ambassador of the Republic of Tunisia

6. **Video statement** by a representative of an **NGO** delivered by Mr. Hans Koechler, President of the International Progress Organization

7. **Statement** from **H.E. Mr. Mahmoud Abbas,** President of the State of Palestine delivered by **H.E. Mr. Salahaldin Abdalshafi**, Permanent Observer of the State of Palestine to the United Nations (Vienna)

8. 2020 Solidarity Day **Virtual Exhibit Video**: "The Writing is on the Wall: Annexation Past and Present"

   End of event