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**Identical letters dated 21 December 2015 from the Permanent
Representative of Lebanon to the United Nations addressed to the
Secretary-General and the President of the Security Council**

On instructions from my Government, I transmit to you herewith a statistical summary of Israeli violations of Security Council resolution 1701 (2006) committed in the month of November 2015 (see annex).

I should be grateful if you would have the present letter and its annex circulated as a document of the seventieth session of the General Assembly, under agenda item 37, and of the Security Council.

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Permanent Representative



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Land violations

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Nature of violation</i>
2 November 2015	1300	Inside occupied Palestinian territory, at point B90 opposite Sahl al-Khiyam, an Israeli enemy patrol comprising a white Toyota vehicle, a winch and a construction vehicle arrived. Some 10 personnel disembarked and installed a three-metre pole on which a camera was mounted. The patrol pointed the camera towards Lebanese territory and then left in the direction of occupied territory.
5 November 2015	1040	On the outskirts of the town of Marun al-Ra's near point B51, an Israeli enemy patrol abducted the civilian Ali al-Asi when he approached the technical fence and took him into occupied territory. He was released that same day at 1855 hours.
7 November 2015	1500	Seven Israeli enemy soldiers climbed over the fence opposite the Lebanese Army Kafr Killa position and photographed that position before leaving in the direction of occupied territory at 1525 hours.
	1810	In the occupied town of Ghajar, an Israeli enemy patrol comprising two Hummer vehicles and a Land Rover vehicle arrived at the emplacement opposite the Wazzani spring and directed a searchlight towards Lebanese territory around the spring.
	2120	From inside occupied Palestinian territory opposite Labbunah, the Israeli enemy directed a searchlight at its Jall al-Alam position some 200 metres into Lebanese territory. The Israeli enemy turned off the searchlight on 8 November at 1130 hours.
11 November 2015	1045	From inside occupied Palestinian territory, opposite the Lebanese Army Udaysah checkpoint, an Israeli enemy patrol comprising two Hummer vehicles and a Defender vehicle arrived. Some 10 soldiers disembarked, one of whom pointed a 12.7 mm machine gun mounted on one of the vehicles at the checkpoint. The hostile patrol left in the direction of occupied territory at 1115 hours.
17 November 2015	1900	From inside occupied Palestinian territory, the Israeli enemy directed a searchlight at its Labbunah-Jall al-Alam position towards Lebanese territory.
21 November 2015	1830 2130	From inside occupied Palestinian territory, the Israeli enemy directed a searchlight at its Labbunah-Jall al-Alam position towards Lebanese territory.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Nature of violation</i>
25 November 2015	1700	From inside occupied Palestinian territory, the Israeli enemy directed a searchlight at its Tall al-Rahib position towards Lebanese territory opposite the town of Ayta al-Sha‘b.
27 November 2015	1300	On the outskirts of the town of Shab‘a, opposite observation point OP3 manned by the Indian contingent of the United Nations Interim Force in Lebanon, an Israeli enemy foot patrol attempted to abduct the livestock herder Yusuf Zahra. The attempt was unsuccessful, and the herder returned in the direction of the town of Shab‘a with his livestock.

Sea violations

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Nature of violation</i>
4 November 2015	1715	Off Ra’s al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011) of 1 October 2011, proceeding some 330 metres into Lebanese territorial waters over a three-minute period before leaving in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters.
	1724	Off Ra’s al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011), proceeding some 240 metres into Lebanese territorial waters over a one-minute period before leaving in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters.
	1725 1840	From inside occupied Palestinian waters, an Israeli military launch directed a searchlight towards Lebanese territorial waters for two periods of 30 seconds and one minute, respectively.
	1800	Off Ra’s al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011), proceeding some 370 metres into Lebanese territorial waters over a four-minute period before leaving in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters.
8 November 2015	0250 0325	From inside occupied Palestinian waters, an Israeli military launch directed a searchlight towards Lebanese territorial waters for two periods of 15 seconds each.
	9 November 2015	0800

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Nature of violation</i>
12 November 2015	0410	Opposite Ra's al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011), proceeding some 90 metres into Lebanese territorial waters over a 50-minute period, during which it released an explosive charge and used a megaphone and a siren to warn off a Lebanese fishing vessel that was within Lebanese territorial waters, before leaving in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters.
15 November 2015	1515	Off Ra's al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011), proceeding some 40 metres into Lebanese territorial waters over a one-minute period before leaving in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters.
	2040	From occupied Palestinian territory at its position opposite Ra's al-Naqurah, the Israeli enemy directed a searchlight towards Lebanese territorial waters for a period of 30 seconds.
19 November 2015	1335	Off Ra's al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011), proceeding some 185 metres into Lebanese territorial waters over a five-minute period, during which it released a diver at the location of what is known as the "third buoy", before leaving in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters.
24 November 2015	0001	From inside occupied Palestinian territorial waters opposite Ra's al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch directed a searchlight towards Lebanese territorial waters for a period of 30 seconds.
	0001 0015	From inside occupied Palestinian territory at its position opposite Ra's al-Naqurah, the Israeli enemy directed a searchlight towards Lebanese territorial waters for three periods of 30 seconds each.
25 November 2015	0735	Opposite Ra's al-Naqurah 500 metres from the Lebanese coast, two Israeli enemy military launches violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011) as follows: The first launch proceeded some 165 metres into Lebanese territorial waters, where it released two divers who installed a small red buoy in place of the original second buoy, which was moved approximately 15 metres to the south. The second launch proceeded some 95 metres into Lebanese territorial waters. The two hostile launches left Lebanese territorial waters in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters at 0920 hours.
27 November 2015	1509	Opposite Ra's al-Naqurah, an Israeli enemy military launch violated the southern maritime boundary established by Decree No. 6433 (2011), proceeding some 110 metres into Lebanese territorial waters over a two-minute period before leaving in the direction of occupied Palestinian territorial waters.

Air violations

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Nature of violation</i>
1 November 2015	0630	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Alma al-Sha‘b. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek, Hirmil and the South before leaving at 1730 hours over Rumaysh.
2 November 2015	0730	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa and flying north. It circled over the Western Bekaa, the South and Beirut and its suburbs before leaving at 2150 hours over Rumaysh.
3 November 2015	0950	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Naqurah. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1150 hours over Rumaysh.
6 November 2015	1050	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over the sea off Batrun. They circled over Batrun, Jubayl, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1145 hours over the sea off Naqurah.
7 November 2015	1235	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over the sea off Shikka. They circled over Hirmil, Baalbek, Jubayl and Shikka before leaving at 1355 hours over the sea off Naqurah.
8 November 2015	1400	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over the South, Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1730 hours over Rumaysh.
9 November 2015	1000	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. They circled over all regions of Lebanon before leaving at 1150 hours over Aytarun.
10 November 2015	1025	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over the sea off Tyre. They circled over the South before leaving at 1050 hours over Aytarun.
11 November 2015	1730	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. They circled over all regions of Lebanon before leaving at 1845 hours over the sea west of Naqurah.
12 November 2015	0805	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Alma al-Sha‘b. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek, Hirmil, Beirut, Ba‘abda and Matn before leaving at 1730 hours over Kafr Killa.
	1020	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. They circled over all regions of Lebanon before leaving at 1150 hours over the sea west of Naqurah.
13 November 2015	0800	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1700 hours over Rumaysh.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Nature of violation</i>
	0810	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Naqurah, It circled over the South, Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1400 hours over Kafr Killa.
	1030	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Naqurah. It circled over the South before leaving at 1730 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
14 November 2015	0625	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Alma al-Sha‘b. It circled over the South before leaving at 1310 hours over Naqurah.
	1000	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Naqurah. It circled over Beirut and its suburbs, Jubayl and Shikka before leaving at 1600 hours over Naqurah.
15 November 2015	0700	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Rumaysh. It circled over the South, Riyaq and Baalbek before leaving at 1720 hours over Rumaysh.
	0840	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Naqurah. It circled over Sir al-Dinniyah, Hirmil, Baalbek and Arz before leaving at 1415 hours over Kafr Killa.
17 November 2015	1447	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over the sea off Jubayl. They circled over all regions of Lebanon before leaving at 1550 hours over Rumaysh.
18 November 2015	1210	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Naqurah. It circled over Beirut and its suburbs before leaving at 1715 hours over Naqurah.
19 November 2015	0925	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Beirut and its suburbs and the South before leaving at 1700 hours over Rumaysh.
	0935	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Alma al-Sha‘b. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1600 hours over Rumaysh.
20 November 2015	0540	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Rumaysh. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1625 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
	1000	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over the Western Bekaa and the South before leaving at 1500 hours over Naqurah.
21 November 2015	0645	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1540 hours over Kafr Killa.

<i>Date</i>	<i>Time</i>	<i>Nature of violation</i>
	0910	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1400 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
22 November 2015	0610	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Rumaysh. It circled over Rumaysh before leaving at 1805 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
	2200	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Alma al-Sha‘b. It circled over the South before leaving at 0620 hours on 23 November over Rumaysh.
23 November 2015	0830	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 2025 hours over the sea west of Naqurah.
24 November 2015	0550	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 2205 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
25 November 2015	0615	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Naqurah. It circled over Beirut and its suburbs before leaving at 1700 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
	0900	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Alma al-Sha‘b. It circled over the South and Akkar before leaving at 1920 hours over Kafr Killa.
26 November 2015	0610	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Rumaysh. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 2240 hours over Kafr Killa.
	1030	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. They circled over all regions of Lebanon before leaving at 1235 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
27 November 2015	0615	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek and Hirmil before leaving at 1735 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.
	1230	Two Israeli enemy warplanes violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Alma al-Sha‘b. They circled over all regions of Lebanon before leaving at 1420 hours over Rumaysh.
	1500	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over the Western Bekaa and the South before leaving at 1600 hours over Kafr Killa.
28 November 2015	0730	An Israeli enemy reconnaissance aircraft violated Lebanese airspace, entering over Kafr Killa. It circled over Riyaq, Baalbek, Hirmil and Beirut and its suburbs before leaving at 1600 hours over Alma al-Sha‘b.