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At the weekly Cabinet meeting 18.10.2015

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1. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu made the following remarks:

"In the face of the wave of terrorism, we are taking an aggressive and methodical approach – reinforcements, backing for our forces, deterrent measures and punitive measures. Today we will begin to discuss actions against incitement, including the Islamic Movement, which is among the leading inciters, and its sources of finance.

Israel cannot accept the French draft resolution at the United Nations Security Council. It doesn't mention Palestinian incitement; it doesn't mention Palestinian terrorism; and it calls for the internationalization of the Temple Mount.

Well, we've seen across the Middle East – in Palmyra, in Iraq, throughout Iraq and elsewhere how the militant Muslims blast each other's mosques to the sky. We've just seen it in a Jewish holy site, Joseph's Tomb. Only Israel, Israel alone, is the guarantor of the holy sites on the Temple Mount.

The reason the status quo has been violated is not because we changed it. We didn't change anything. The orders of prayer, the visiting rights have not changed for the last 15 years. The only thing that's changed are Islamist hoodlums paid by the Islamist Movement in Israel and by Hamas, who are entering the mosque and try to put explosive [unclear] and from there emerge and attack Jewish visitors to the Temple Mount, and Christian visitors. That's the only change in the status quo.

Israel is not the problem on the Temple Mount. Israel is the solution. Israel will protect the holy sites, will guard the status quo. Israel is the only party doing so and will continue to do so – responsibly and seriously."

Prime Minister Netanyahu also addressed the issue of deregulation, or, "actions against excessive government and regulatory bureaucracy." He also wished Israel's university and college students well in the new academic year, which starts today.

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4. The Cabinet discussed – and approved draft amendments to legislation regarding – police authority to conduct searches. [Detailed in depth in the Hebrew announcement]

[5.-7. ...]

8. Public Security Minister Gilad Erdan, Israel Police Acting Inspector General Ben-Tzion Sau and Jerusalem Mayor Nir Barkat briefed ministers on the situation in Jerusalem in light of the steps being taken following the recent wave of terrorism.

Prime Minister Netanyahu briefed ministers on the steps that have been taken following recent Security Cabinet decisions and his own instructions following the wave of terror.

And these are the steps:

On the security level

- Reinforcing police forces in Jerusalem (over 2000 police officers and call up of reserves of 16 Border Police companies) and extensive activity in the depth of the neighborhoods.
- Amplifying and adjusting the open fire regulation.
- Authorizing the police to implement encirclement/closure in East Jerusalem, according to an operational assessment.
- Central effort to calm the tension on Temple Mount, including by outlawing the Mourabitoun/Mourabitat, a calculated dilution policy, administrative detentions and removal of inciters as needed, emphasizing lack of change in the status quo on Temple Mount and currently banning visits by Knesset members and cabinet ministers to Temple Mount.
- Reinforcing security of public transportation in Jerusalem with some 300 security guards (initially by soldiers).
- Formulate a plan for massive and permanent expansion of police troops in Jerusalem and in general.
- Conduct a project for improving the security situation in Jerusalem (unified [call?] center, deploying detection and collection methods, protecting problem areas.
- Reinforcing the police with IDF troops to secure the city-centers.
- Reinforcing military troops in the Judea and Samaria Area and along main routes (such as Highway 443 and Highway 6)
- IDF operational response to gaps in the “seam line” for detection and prevention of infiltration of illegal aliens.
- Maintaining Israeli sovereignty opposite the Gaza Strip (around the fence), with effort to minimize casualties and avoid escalation.
- Armouring transportation in the Judea and Samaria Area (bulletproofing – public transportation, armouring from stones – private vehicles) and increasing the lighting on routes and junctions.
- Promoting the building of bypass roads in the Judea and Samaria Area (a-Nabi Samwil, Huwarah, al-'Arrub, West Binyamin/Beit Aryeh).
- Expanding grant of permits to carry firearms to civilians.
- Suspending return of the bodies of terrorist to their families until the situation is quieted.
- “Capital” aid – extra salary for security forces serving in routine security [assignments] in Jerusalem.

On the legal level:

- Expediting process of approval and execution of demolition of terrorists' homes.

- Setting minimum penalties for stone- and Molotov-cocktail throwers (undergoing legislation).
- Imposing fines on juvenile assailants and their parents, in addition to other punishment (undergoing legislation).
- Revoking residency of assailants (with all attendant repercussions in the area of national insurance).
- Confiscation of property and cancellation of benefits to assailants (including PA salaries).
- Revoking citizenship of assailants – the Attorney General has already decided on the matter of the assailant in Tel Aviv during [Operation] “Pillar of Defense”. Three more cases are pending decision (the Daesh recruit and the assailants from Umm al-Fahm and Nazareth).
- Examining abolition of family unification.
- Examining the revocation of residency and citizenship status of assailants’ families.
- Increasing integrated civilian enforcement in East Jerusalem neighborhoods

Additional steps on the agenda

- Outlawing the northern branch of the Islamic Movement.
- Broad campaign against incitement on social network services and the media.
- Examining an amendment to the Youth Law concerning security offences (approval of actual incarceration of juvenile assailants under age 14).
- Effort to complete the security fence.
- Aid to Jerusalem on the economic-civilian level.
- Examining establishing a court for security issues.