

Shin Bet coronavirus surveillance déjà vu? - analysis

With the number of infections now back up from under 2,000 to nearly 5,000 and the infection trend spiking, Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is reportedly slamming his fist on the table.

By Yonah Jeremy Bob / June 22, 2020

[...]

As part of a video conference hosted by **the Institute for National Security Studies** and the Israel Democracy Institute, Yamina MK and former justice minister Ayelet Shaked showed that Netanyahu has backing also from within at least part of the opposition.

[...]

INSS senior associate and IDF Col. (ret.) **Pnina Sharvit-Baruch** said what was most critical in any discussion or regulation of the issue was specific oversight and a broad effort to protect the resilience of Israeli democracy.

She noted several benchmarks that she said should be followed to ensure that COVID-19-related changes to the law or general atmosphere were kept in check.

...

For full article:

<https://www.jpost.com/israel-news/analysis-shin-bet-corona-surveillance-de-ja-vu-632396>