

Amnesty Israel rejects parent group's genocide allegations

The Tel Aviv-based affiliate did say there were "suspicions of ethnic cleansing and crimes against humanity" by the Jewish state.

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The Israeli branch of Amnesty International on Thursday publicly rejected the claim by the group's international headquarters that the Jewish state is perpetrating genocide against Palestinians.

"Amnesty Israel does not accept the main findings of the report by Amnesty International Global Movement which accuses Israel of genocide," the Israel branch wrote in a statement.

The Israeli branch also said that there was "no dispute" among its members that "Israel's actions in Gaza, carried out in response to the Hamas-led massacre against civilians in Israel on October 7, 2023, establish suspicions of widespread violations of international law and may amount to crimes against humanity and ethnic cleansing."

[...]

Israel went to war on Hamas in Gaza after thousands of its terrorists invaded Israel on Oct. 7, 2023, murdering some 1,200 people and abducting another 255, according to **Tel Aviv University's Institute for National Security Studies**. Israel has killed about 17,000 terrorists in Gaza since Oct. 7, 2023, according to the INSS. The IDF killed another approximately 1,000 terrorists inside Israel at the time of the Hamas-led invasion.

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