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Invitation to press conference Amnesty International launches report on Palestinian refugees in Lebanon

Amnesty International is holding a press conference to launch its new report *Exiled and Suffering: Palestinian refugees in Lebanon*. The report looks at the situation of the many thousands of Palestinian refugees, many of whom have been born and raised in Lebanon, and yet who remain subject to various restrictions which deny them access to their full range of human rights.

When: 11:00 am Wednesday 17 October 2007

Where: Press Syndicate, Rawche, near the Qatari embassy

Who: Ahmad Karaoud, Head of Amnesty International's Regional office for the Middle East and North Africa in Beirut Neil Sammonds, Researcher specialising on Lebanon at the International Secretariat of Amnesty International in London

Sherif el-Sayed Ali, Head of the Refugee and Migrants' Rights team at the International Secretariat of Amnesty International in London

Amnesty International speakers will be available for interviews in Arabic, French and English.

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