

From the attempted delivery of humanitarian aid to the Gaza Strip to the call for Israel to join the nuclear non-proliferation treaty, the number of things officials have warned against on the grounds of "hindering peace talks" has been staggering. This did not appear to expend to Israeli Foreign Minister Avigdor Lieberman's office, however, as he delivered a speech at the United Nations calling for the mass expulsion of Arabs from Israel.

"A final agreement between Israel and the Palestinians has to be based on a program of exchange of territory and populations," Lieberman told the General Assembly. Once a vigorous opponent of the peace talks, Lieberman has since changed his position to one of making the entire peace process an excuse for expelling large portions of Israel's Arab population abroad, one of his political party's core principles.

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