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TESTIMONY FOR THE ICC

I the undersigned Archbishop Theodosios Hanna

wishes to testify before the International Criminal Court the deep attachment of the Palestinians to sovereignty over East Jerusalem.

This conviction is rooted in the conscience of every Palestinian. Despite military occupation, colonization and its abuses, this attachment to land and history unites all Palestinians, and time does not change it.

The fact that an international court can rule on this matter is a great opportunity for all the inhabitants of Jerusalem, and as Palestinians, we agree to cooperate with the International Criminal Court.

I thank the French lawyer Maître Gilles DEVERS for transmitting this message to the Court.

In Jerusalem the

Archbishop Theodosios Hanna



Archbishop of Sevestia of the Greek Orthodox Patriarchate

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TESTIMONY TO THE INTERNATIONAL CRIMINAL COURT

I, Dr. Ahmed Mubarak Al-Khalidi, Ph.D. in Public Law, Political Systems and Constitutional Law from Cairo University, Cairo (Egypt), Professor of constitutional law at al Najah University, *Deputy Chairman*, Minister of Justice of the Palestinian National Authority in March 2006, Deputy Chair of the Constitution Committee and head of the Drafting Committee, testifies for the following:

1 / Having directed the drafting of the constitution of the State of Palestine, I emphasize that if there were disputes between us, which is normal in a democratic State, there was always be consensus to affirm that nobody could challenge Palestinian sovereignty over the West Bank, Gaza and East Jerusalem. The constitutional project was drafted in this sense, marking the deep unity of the Palestinian people.

2 / The deliberating assembly of the Palestinian people, regularly elected, has never been able to exercise its functions, because of the military occupation, but the Palestinian people will always and in all circumstances assert sovereignty over the Palestinian territories occupied by the Israeli army

3 / Our request is simple: a Palestinian State, sovereign equal to any other, in compliance with its international obligations

We trust the magistrates of the ICC to exercise their functions with independence and impartiality

Jerusalem, the 15 March 2020



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CONSTITUTION OF THE STATE OF PALESTINE

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