Hind Rajab Foundation urges the Netherlands to arrest two Israelis accused of war crimes in Gaza

The Belgium-based Hind Rajab Foundation (HRF) is stepping up its efforts to hold those responsible for war crimes to account. The organisation is named in memory of six-year-old Palestinian girl Hind Rajab, who was killed when Israeli forces fired more than 300 rounds at the car she was in.



Hind's death sparked international outrage after distressing audio recordings revealed she had been trapped inside the vehicle with the bodies of her relatives for hours. Hind was pleading for help before being killed alongside two paramedics who came to her rescue. Her case has since become a symbol of the brutality faced by Palestinian civilians in Gaza.

Since its formation last year, the HRF has filed dozens of legal complaints in over 10 countries, holding both low and high-ranking Israeli forces accountable for war crimes committed.

Now, HRF has submitted a criminal complaint to the Netherland authorities, calling for the arrest of two Israeli men they accuse of committing war crimes in Gaza. The same men were previously in Belgium attending the Tomorrowland festival. They were questioned by Belgian police following a complaint filed by HRF, but were later released.



The Belgian public prosecutor's office has stated that no further information will be released at this time.
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