

IDF Rebuts Human Rights Watch Report on Israeli 'War Crimes'

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Human Rights Watch has become, under the malign leadership of Kenneth Roth, almost comically one-sided in its endless, and almost always baseless, charges against the state of Israel. For HRW, Israel is a “colonial settler” state, a state that practices “apartheid,” a state that routinely commits “war crimes.” Recently – on July 27 – HRW released its report on the 11-day war in Gaza. While admitting that Hamas, too, may have been guilty of “war crimes,” the report focused most of its attention on Israel. A report on HRW’s charges, and the IDF response, is here: “IDF Says Human Rights Watch Report ‘Recycled Disproven Claims’ to Allege Israeli War Crimes During Hamas Conflict,” by Sharon Wrobel, [Jihad Watch](#).