

**Tell U.S. Representative for NYC Jerrold Nadler:**

# A GHETTO IS A GHETTO

- **Rep. Nadler** and his NYC colleagues, **Major Owens** and **Charles Rangel**, have co-sponsored **House Concurrent Resolution 311**, which proposes the "**resettlement**" of **Palestinian refugees** within the current Occupied Territories or to neighboring Arab countries. HCR 311 would strip Palestinian refugees of their right to return under international law and attacks the ongoing work of the United Nations Refugee Works Agency while **failing to demand any Israeli withdrawal from the Occupied Territories or a dismantling of the Israeli apartheid wall.**
- **Nadler** also co-sponsored HCR 371, which **supports Israel's construction of the apartheid wall** and condemns the use of international law - through the International Court of Justice – to determine its legality. **HCR 371 travesties international justice and must be stopped!**

*On April 17, 1943 on the first day of the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising, in an exclusive resort on the island of Bermuda, British and American delegates began a 12-day conference to consider what their countries could do to help the Jews of Europe. Their conclusion—that there was little to be done.*

*Yet at that moment the people of the ghetto were resisting and held off the Nazi occupying army and delayed the 'liquidation' of the ghetto and its remaining population for weeks.*

*While the Warsaw Ghetto Uprising did not bring down the walls around the ghetto, it has remained a symbol of resistance to oppression and occupation.*

*This year, the Israeli government has erected a wall deep inside the West Bank – cement, barbed wire, machine-gun towers, checkpoints – cutting farmers from their fields and orchards, students from their schools, families from relatives.*

*And this year, as Palestinians – joined by Israelis and Internationals, including many New York Jews– protest and resist the wall tearing through their land, NY legislators are promoting resolutions that encourage the creation of a new ghetto and the trampling of international law.*

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