

## Communiqué

The President of the Bolivarian Republic of Venezuela, Nicolas Maduro Moros, on behalf of the Bolivarian People and Government expresses his sincerest words of solidarity to the brotherly State of Palestine and its heroic People, on the occasion of the 70<sup>th</sup> Anniversary of the Nakba, the "catastrophe" inflicted on the brotherly Palestinian People by the Israeli occupation, commemorated on May 15<sup>th</sup>.

The Bolivarian Government of Venezuela pays its deepest respects to this ominous day, and reaffirms once more its unrestricted support to the right of the Palestinian People to return to their lands; we are confident that such return shall consolidate in the near future.

The Bolivarian People, historically committed to the just cause of the Palestinian People, avails itself of this opportunity to express its faithful and firm commitment to the noble and heroic fight of the Palestinian People.

Caracas, May 16th, 2018