UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

UNITED STATES OF AMERICA :

INDICTMENT

SAADAH MASOUD,

- v. -

Defendant.

## COUNT ONE

(Hate Crime Act)

The Grand Jury charges:

On or about April 20, 2022, in the Southern District of New York, SAADAH MASOUD, the defendant, did willfully cause bodily injury to a victim ("Victim-1") because of Victim-1's actual and perceived religion, and Victim-1's actual and perceived national origin, to wit, MASOUD repeatedly punched Victim-1 in the head and face, and dragged Victim-1 across a sidewalk, while Victim-1 was wearing an Israeli flag, causing bodily injury to Victim-1.

> (Title 18, United States Code, Section 249(a)(1)(A))

United States Attorney

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DAMIAN WILLIAMS

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bur, and Foreperson.

Filed Indictment Case assigned to Judge Cote.

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Stewart D. Arien U. S. M. J.