

**A STUDY OF THE RESPONSIBILITY  
DOMAIN OF STATES TOWARD  
HUMAN RIGHTS BASED ON  
RULINGS OF THE INTERNATIONAL  
COURT OF JUSTICE AND UNITED  
NATIONS DRAFT ARTICLES ON  
RESPONSIBILITY OF STATES FOR  
INTERNATIONALLY WRONGFUL  
ACTS**

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The international responsibility of States toward human rights is a major concern in today's legal and political arenas. This issue refers to the vital role of States in enforcing human rights and the concerns resulting from illegal intervention in the internal affairs of countries in order to defend such human rights. The present research addresses identifying the responsibility of States toward human rights; clarifying the domain of obligation of each State toward human rights; and specifying the extent by which the global community is entitled to react to States' conduct in order to defend human rights.