

## The ball that saved the lives of soldiers in Gaza

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“The IDF revealed yesterday new combat instruments that were used during “Cast Lead””.

“The instruments were presented by the land forces, the most interesting of these were the new robots used during combat in built areas. One of these is the EyeBall, a camera which is installed inside a ball that can be thrown by the fighters into houses to find out if the houses are booby trapped or if terrorists are hiding inside. The camera, which is remote controlled, transmits to the fighters images of the occurrences within the building. Sources within the land forces have commented that the camera was very helpful to the soldiers and reduced the threat to their lives. The camera identified booby trapped houses; these houses were bombed from afar without having infantry forces enter them...”

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