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**The Kurdish Moment in the Middle East**

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Writing in the aftermath of the terrorist attack in West Bank town of Kfar Kana, which left five Palestinians dead, one of the questions on the minds of many is whether the actions of KPI, a Kurdish militant group, which claimed responsibility for the attack, will affect the peace process. The group has previously attacked Israeli soldiers and civilians, and its leaders have called for the establishment of an independent Kurdish state in the West Bank.

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