

State of Israel Ministry of Strategic Affairs and Public Diplomacy



## THE MONEY TRAIL

## The Millions Given by EU Institutions to NGOs with Ties to Terror and Boycotts against Israel

## An In-Depth Analysis





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### **Executive Summary**

- The Ministry of Strategic Affairs, which holds overall responsibility for leading the State of Israel's activities to counter the delegitimization and boycott campaign against the State, has carried out an in-depth study of EU institutions' funding for Palestinian and European NGOs promotion of Israel delegitimization and boycotts. This is in opposition to HRVP Federica Mogherini who stressed the EU's opposition to boycotts against Israel and its firm rejection of BDS attempts to isolate Israel.<sup>1</sup>
- 2. The study reveals that some of the EU's funding for NGOs promoting boycotts of Israel is transferred directly from the EU, and some of it is transferred indirectly, via third parties which receive EU support.
- 3. The information on which the analysis is based derives from **EU databases and websites** as well as from **the websites of European and Palestinian NGOs.** It should be noted that this analysis does not cover the EU's total assistance to organizations that promote delegitimization, but only to those under review.
- 4. It is important to note that as of May 2018, the EU's financial transparency system, which was analyzed for this report, has yet to be updated to include the financial information for aid given during 2017 (unless such funding was part of a multi-year aid package). It is for this reason that much of the **data listed here is for 2016.** In this context, it should be noted that in some cases, the organizations in question receive funding from the EU within the framework of a grant given to multiple organizations for a specific project. It is therefore not possible to determine the share each organization received. Some of the organizations in question carry out other activities in addition to promoting anti-Israel delegitimization.
- 5. It is the view of the Ministry of Strategic Affairs that funding for boycott-promoting organizations is problematic even when such funding is supposedly designated for activities other than those related to delegitimizing Israel. Such funding **enables these**





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>1</sup> <u>https://eeas.europa.eu/headquarters/headquarters-homepage/5273/high-representativevice-president-federica-mogherini-speaks-prime-minister-israel-benjamin\_en</u>



organizations to channel their other resources towards promoting anti-Israel delegitimization and boycotts.

- 6. The data shows that the EU **directly financed** organizations which promote anti-Israel delegitimization and boycotts to the **approximate sum of more than five million euros** in 2016 (approximately 20 million NIS). In addition to this sum, the funding provided by the EU to third party NGOs, which then transferred funds to boycott-promoting NGOs, should also be taken into account (although lack of data prevents us from determining the full scope of such funds). Furthermore, it is important to note that some of these organizations receive aid from individual European Union countries. Thus, a situation arises in which delegitimization organizations **receive "double funding", from both the EU and the EU member states.**
- 7. This study also raises the concern that European taxpayers' money is being used to support ties with terrorist organizations. For example, the report identifies direct EU funding to the NGO Norwegian People's Aid (NPA). In April 2018, the US authorities fined the NPA following an investigation which found that the NGO had sponsored projects in which the EU-designated terrorist groups Hamas and Palestinian Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP) took part. The study also identifies indirect EU funding to the Palestinian Centre for Human Rights (PCHR) and Al-Haq. Al-Haq and PCHR have multiple links to the PFLP- an entity deemed a terrorist organization by the EU, United States, Canada and Israel.
  - 8. The State of Israel expects the EU to act with full transparency and reveal the scope of its financial aid to organizations that have ties to terror and promote boycotts against Israel. Israel strongly urges the EU to fully implement in practice its declared policy of rejecting boycotts against Israel, and to immediately halt funding to organizations which promote anti-Israel boycotts and delegitimization.









## Direct and Indirect EU Financing to Organizations which Promote Anti-Israel Delegtimization

## **Direct Funding**

Organization Name	HQ	Support Period	Total Aid	Examples of Promoting Anti-Israel Delegitimization
Norwegian People's Aid	Norway	2016	€1,760,000	NPA published in 2016 a report calling on the Norwegian pension fund to withdraw its investments from companies that "assist in the violation of international norms in the Palestinian territories," such as Motorola, HP, and G4S. The report also calls on Norwegian banks and funds to add these companies to their 'black lists.'
Agricultural Development Association (PARC)	Palestinian	2016	At least €1,497,567	PARC takes an active part in the Stop the Wall campaign, which promotes the principles of BDS and calls for the embargo of the Israeli water company Mekorot, the military equipment manufacturer Elbit, and for an arms embargo against Israel.
Trocaire	Ireland	2016	€520,000	Trocaire initiates and promotes petitions calling on the EU to impose economic sanctions against Israel. In November 2017 the organizations was a signatory on a public appeal to support the publication of a punitive database of companies operating in Judea, Samaria and East Jerusalem by the UN High Commissioner for Human Rights.
The Culture and Free Thought Association; The General Union of Palestinian Women	Palestinian	2015-2017	€481,773 (Together with another organization)	In 2016 they were the organizers of an international public appeal for women around the world to adopt the principles of BDS.
Applied Research Institute Jerusalem; Land Research Center	Palestinian	2016	€474,732	In 2013 both NGOs signed a public appeal by the BDS movement to boycott commercial partnerships with Israeli agricultural companies. At the end of 2017 they were also involved in the 'Stop the Wall' Day aimed at Israel's security barrier







Organization Name	HQ	Support Period	Total Aid	Examples of Promoting Anti-Israel Delegitimization
Association				which was deemed a 'separation barrier of
Applied Research Institute Jerusalem; Land Research Center Association	Palestinian	2017 - 2019	€474,732	Israeli apartheid'.
PAX	The Netherlands	2014 - 2016	€456,902 (Together with two other organizations)	The activities of PAX were combined with the international activities of PAX Christi, a Catholic Christian organization that openly supports and promotes BDS. PAX Christi representatives also met with the EU's High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice- President of the Commission, Ms. Federica Mogherini, and demanded that she implement economic measures against Israel.
The Palestinian Non- Governmental Organization Network (PNGO)	Palestinian	2016	€446,482 (Together with another organizations)	PNGO is an umbrella organization that brings together elements of the Palestinian arena which promote BDS and placing sanctions on Israel.
Al Kamandjati	Palestinian	2016	€194,074	Al Kamandjati actively promotes cultural boycotts against Israel.
Servizio Civile Internazionale	Italy	2016	€137,639 (Together with other organizations)	In 2015 the NGO signed an appeal to the UN Secretary-General to boycott the security company G4S as a result of its presence in the 'territories'. Additionally, in December 2017, the organization re- launched its BDS campaign.
Un Ponte Per	Italy	2016	At least €20,000	Un Ponte Per actively promotes BDS in Italy. The group signed an appeal to the UN Secretary-General in 2015 to boycott the security company G4S as a result of its presence in the Israeli 'territories'.
EuroMed Rights	Denmark	2018 (Based on the organization's statement on its website)	Unknown	EuroMed Rights works systematically in trying to suspend the association agreement between Israel and the EU.
War on Want	UK	2018 (Based on the organization's statement on its website)	Unknown	For several years, this organization has been participating in campaigns calling for a boycott of companies operating in Israel.







## **Indirect Funding**

Organization Name	HQ	Third party supported by the EU	Support Period	Examples of Promoting Anti- Israel Delegitimization
		Trocaire	2017 (Based on annual report)	PCHR regularly calls on the
		Christian Aid	2017 (Based on annual report)	international community to impose 'sanctions on Israeli
Palestinian Centre for	Palestinian	Dan Church Aid	2017 (Based on annual report)	settlements and incriminate those who trade with them'. The
Human Rights (PCHR)		Oxfam Novib	2017 (Based on annual report)	organization actively promotes the suspension of the association
		EuroMed Rights	2018 (Based on a third party statement on the organization's website)	agreement between Israel and the EU.
Al-Haq	Palestinian	EuroMed Rights	2018 (Based on a third party statement on the organization's website)	Al-Haq is a prominent organizations in the context of Israel delegtimization and boycotts. In March 2017 a group of French organizations together with Al-Haq published a report entitled 'The Dangerous Relations of French Banks with Israeli Colonization'.
Al-Mezan	-Mezan Palestinian EuroMed Rights 2018 (Based on a third party statement on the organization's website)		This organization is a member of the Palestinian Human Rights Organizations Council (PHROC), which expressed its support for BDS (February 2016).	
		We Effect	2018 (Based on the organization's website)	
Agricultural		Diakonia	2018 (Based on the organization's website)	
Development Association (PARC)		Christian Aid	2018 (Based on the organization's website)	As mentioned above.
(17110)	(FARC)		2018 (Based on the organization's website)	
		ActionAid International	2018 (Based on the organization's website)	







# **Chapter One:**

# **Direct Funding**





#### **The Money Trail**



1. Norwegian People's Aid (NPA) is known to have links with terrorist organizations. In April 2018, American authorities announced that the NPA, which received US funding over the years, was fined \$2 million following an investigation which discovered the organization transferred money between 2012 and 2016 for projects in which Hamas and the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine partook in— both officially recognized as terrorists groups by the EU, US, Israel, and others. Furthermore, the group was found to have provided services to Iran's energy sector between 2001 and 2008.<sup>2</sup>

Below is a screenshot from the US Department of Justice ruling:



Furthermore, Norwegian People's Aid published in 2016 a report that called on the Norwegian pension fund to withdraw its investments from companies that help it to "violate international norms in the Palestinian territories" such as Motorola, HP, and G4S. The report also calls on Norwegian banks and funds to put these companies on their 'black lists' and thereby stifle investments dealing these businesses<sup>3</sup>.





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>2</sup> <u>https://www.justice.gov/usao-sdny/pr/manhattan-us-attorney-announces-settlement-norwegian-not-profit-resolving-claims-it</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>3</sup> <u>https://www.npaid.org/News/News-archive/2016/Dangerous-Liaisons-II-Norwegian-ties-to-the-Israeli-Occupation</u>

The NPA states that EU is among its contributors.

Below is a screenshot from the Norwegian People's Aid website:<sup>4</sup>

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THE DUTCH MINISTRY OF FOREIGN AFFAIRS	GOVERNMENT OF JAPAN	THE EUROPEAN COMMISSION
DFID III	coop	TAGFORBURDET
DEPARTMENT FOR INTERNATIONAL DEVELOPMENT (UK)	COOP	FAGFORBUNDET
Statoil	<b>WUNOPS</b>	

According to the NPA's annual report for 2016, it was during this period that it received funding from the EU amounting to 17,043,000 Norwegian kroner (approx.  $\notin$ 1.76 million).<sup>5</sup>

## NOTES as of 31.12.16

(In all tables the figures are included in whole thousands; in the rest of the text, whole figures are included)

The following donors have contributed to projects		2016
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Norwegian Directorate for Children, Youth and Family Affairs, distribution committee, youth work	-	644
Norwegian Agency for Development Cooperation	23 503	165 023
Norwegian Ministry of Foreign Affairs	127 976	262 043
Norwegian Directorate of Immigration Refugee Reception Centre	461	3 000
Other Norwegian governmental agencies	161	14 720
Total Norwegian	152 101	445 430
USAID	1 010	38 170
US Department of State	90 606	163 638
EU	42 730	17 043
Japan	7 437	1 775

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>5</sup> <u>https://www.npaid.org/About-us/Publications-and-Profile/Annual-report-and-accounts</u>; Pages 29, 31 10 / 40





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>4</sup> <u>https://www.npaid.org/Our-Work/Humanitarian-Disarmament/Donors</u>



2. The Palestinian Agricultural Development Association (PARC) took an active part in the Stop the Wall campaign,<sup>6</sup> which promotes the principles of the BDS and calls for the embargo of Mekorot, Elbit, and on military equipment trade with Israel.<sup>7</sup> In its annual report for 2015, PARC boasted of signing a petition in the context of BDS<sup>8</sup>, and even mentions boycotting products stemming from Judea and Samaria as one of its outstanding achievements for that vear<sup>9</sup>.

The group received at least €1.49 million in EU funding during 2016. It should be noted that the organization received at least part of three additional grants from the EU, which were delivered to projects consisting of multiple NGOs, but the exact amount cannot determined.

Below is a screenshot from the official PARC website:<sup>10</sup>

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and 2 other recipients				
2016 WUJOOD - STRENGTHENING THE RESILIENCE OF VULNERABLE PALESTINIAN COMMUNITIES IN EAST JERUSALEM	2,500,000 € Q			
AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION* Cocupied Territories - Palestine				
and 4 other recipients				
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AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION*				
and 2 other recipients				
2016 GREENING THE PALESTINIAN ECONOMY	1,497,567 € Q			
AGRICULTURAL DEVELOPMENT ASSOCIATION	1,497,567 €			

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>6</sup> <u>https://www.stopthewall.org/200</u>5/04/27/introduction

www.stopthewall.org/about-us

https://www.pal-arc.org/uploads/publications/Annualreport2015en.pdf; Page 41

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>9</sup><u>https://www.pal-arc.org/uploads/publications/Annualreport2015en.pdf</u>; Page 38 <sup>10</sup><u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>

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3. In 2017 the Irish organization **Trocaire** stated on its website that it does not call for boycotts of the State of Israel<sup>11</sup>, but in reality, it does. The NGO has initiated and promoted multiple petitions calling on the EU to take economic measures against Israel.<sup>12</sup> In January 2018 it supported legislation in Ireland calling for boycotts against products from Israel's Judea and Samaria regions.<sup>13</sup> Furthermore, in November 2017 Trocaire signed with 50 other organizations, including Badil, Al-Haq, Addameer and PCHR, a public appeal to support the publication of a database "black list" on 'settlement-related' business activity by the United Nations High Commissioner for Human Rights<sup>14</sup>.

Trocaire received direct funding from the EU totaling  $\underbrace{\in 520,000}$ .

The following is a screenshot from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>15</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>11</sup> <u>https://www.trocaire.org/news/what-does-trocaire-do-in-israel-and-palestine</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>12</sup> https://www.trocaire.org/getinvolved/endtheoccupation

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>13</sup> https://www.trocaire.org/news/ban-trade-with-israeli-settlements

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>14</sup> https://www.amnesty.org/download/Documents/MDE1575212017ENGLISH.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>15</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>



4. The General Union of Palestinian Women and The Culture and Free Thought Association were active participants in a 2016 international public petition for women around the world to implement the principles of boycotting the State of Israel<sup>16</sup>.

The groups received funding from the EU during 2015-2017. An official EU document reviewing the projects it supported, which were meant to 'promote peace', shows that the two organizations, along with another, received €481,773 in funding between 2015 and 2017.17

Advancing the UN WOMEN Implementation of UNSCR 1325 in Palestine	The Culture 01/01/2015 602,217 and Free 81/12/2017 481,773 Thought Association The General Union of Palestinian Women	The project contributes to the development of an enabling environment for women's leadership and participation in conflict resolution, state-building and peace processes in Palestine on the basis of UNSCR 1325.
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>16</sup> <u>https://bdsmovement.net/news/palestinian-women%E2%80%99s-call-worldwide-women%E2%80%99s-</u> endorsement-bds <sup>17</sup> http://eeas.europa.eu/archives/delegations/israel/documents/projects/20160216\_eupi-

eupfp programme at a glance 2016 en.pdf; Page 7



5. The Palestinian Land Research Center Association and Applied Research Institute Jerusalem signed a public declaration (2013) by the BDS movement calling for boycotting commercial cooperation with Israeli agricultural companies.<sup>18</sup> In late 2017 they were involved in International Stop the Wall Day, which was directed against the "Separation Wall of Israeli Apartheid".<sup>19</sup>

The two groups are receiving funding from the EU, and are expected to continue to do so until at least 2019. An official EU document reviewing the projects it supports meant to 'promote peace', shows that the two organizations, will receive  $\notin$ 474,732 through 2017-2019.<sup>20</sup>

Advocating for a Sustainable and Viable Resolution of Israeli- Palestinian Conflict		Cand Research center (LRC, IL)	01/01/2017 31/12/2019	593,415 <u>474,732</u>	The action monitors Israeli activities in Palestine and their social, economic and environmental impact. It continues to provide updates on key indicators related to Israeli activities, including expansion in existing Israeli settlements, outposts, the separation barrier, and the physical changes they induce on the Palestinian landscape. In addition, it will highlight the adverse impacts of the conflict, and contrast with the socioeconomic benefits to Israelis and Palestinians of a peaceful and just solution of the conflict.
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It should be noted that the organizations received financial assistance from the EU in 2016 as well. The following is a screenshot from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>21</sup>

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APPLIED RESEARCH INSTITUTE JERUSALEM ASSOCIATION*ARI	Cccupied Territories - Palestine	

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>18</sup> https://bdsmovement.net/news/palestinian-agricultural-organizations-and-civil-society-networks-call-endinginternational-0

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>19</sup> https://www.stopthewall.org/2017/06/19/november-9-global-day-action-world-without-walls

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>20</sup> https://eeas.europa.eu/sites/eeas/files/20170228\_eupi\_programme\_at\_a\_glance\_2017\_0.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>21</sup> http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm



6. IKV PAX Christi merged with PAX Christi, and is now known simply as PAX.<sup>22</sup> PAX Christi is a Catholic Christian organization that openly supports and promotes the BDS campaign<sup>23</sup>. PAX Christi representatives also met with the EU's High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy and Vice-President of the Commission, Federica Mogherini, and urged her to take economic measures against Israel<sup>24</sup>.

IKV PAX Christi received funding from the EU in 2016, and during 2014-2016, received funding with two other organizations as part of a project supported by the EU, amounting to  $\notin$ 456,902. It is not clear how much of this sum reached the organization in question.

The following is screenshot from an EU document reviewing projects related to 'promoting peace'.<sup>25</sup>

Building sustainable peace though API: regional civil society initiative (PS)	Negev Institute for 0. Strategies of Peace 07 and Development (IL) IKV Pax Christi (NL) United Religions Initiative (JO)	1/01/2016 456,902	The project works to advance the API at three levels by: 1. facilitating the creation of a dedicated cadre of policy/decision-makers in Palestine, Israel, and the Middle East committed to the API; 2. strengthening the regional civil society network for the support of Middle East peace and security; 3. creating new cadres of youth and marginalized groups for the support of the API in Israel and in the region.
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>22</sup> <u>https://www.paxforpeace.nl/about-us/pax</u>

 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>23</sup> http://www.paxchristi.net/news/israel-palestine-call-new-israeli-palestinian-peace-process-moment-renewedcommitment/6433#sthash.GzcufNbO.4Xrk38Ec.dpbs
 <sup>24</sup> http://www.paxchristi.net/news/pax-christi-international-meets-eu-high-representatives-office-raise-voice-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>24</sup> http://www.paxchristi.net/news/pax-christi-international-meets-eu-high-representatives-office-raise-voice-palestinians/6656#sthash.vKJvki4J.dpbs

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>25</sup> http://eeas.europa.eu/archives/delegations/israel/documents/projects/20160216\_eupieupfp\_programme\_at\_a\_glance\_2016\_en.pdf; page' 9



7. The Palestinian Non-Governmental Organization Network (PNGO) is an umbrella organization that brings together elements in the Palestinian arena which promote BDS.<sup>26</sup> For example, PNGO signed a public appeal to the EU's High Representative of the Union for Foreign Affairs and Security Policy, calling for a military trade embargo on Israel and a suspension of the association agreement between Israel and the EU<sup>27</sup>.

PNGO received direct funding from the EU in 2016. This was in the framework of a joint project with other organizations. Therefore, there is no way to determine which part of the  $\notin$ 446,482 grant reached PNGO.

The following is a screenshot from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>28</sup>

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		Geographical Location						
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<	2	THE PALESTINIAN NON-GOVERNMENTAL ORG NETWORK*	SANIZATION		N/A	NGO		
		WEST BANK RAWALLAN I VAWALLAN		00972	Cccupied Territories - Palestine	Private company		

<sup>26</sup> <u>http://www.pngo.net/?s=bds</u>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>27</sup> http://www.eccpalestine.org/wp-content/uploads/2014/09/Palestinian-letter-Ashton-18-Sep-2014.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>28</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>



8. In 2006, the Palestinian organization Al Kamandjati promoted cultural boycotts of Israel. Recently, the organization signed an appeal aimed at the American comedian Chris Rock, calling on him to cancel his performance in Israel.<sup>29</sup>Additionally, in 2017 the NGO called for boycotting a conference organized by the Israel Philharmonic Orchestra on music education.<sup>30</sup>

The group received €194,074 in European Union monetary assistance.

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		Palestine		

The following is from the official EU transparency website:<sup>31</sup>





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>29</sup> https://bdsmovement.net/news/letter-world-renowned-comedian-chris-rock-palestinian-performing-artscommunity <sup>30</sup> <u>https://bdsmovement.net/news/boycott-israel-philharmonic-orchestras-conference-music-education</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>31</sup> http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm

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9. In 2015 the Italian organization Servizio Civile Internazionale signed an appeal to the Secretary-General of the United Nations, calling for the boycott of G4S due to its extensive activities in Israel.<sup>32</sup> Additionally, following President Trump's declaration of Jerusalem as Israel's capital in December 2017, the organization re-launched its commitment to the BDS campaign.<sup>33</sup>

Servizio Civile Internazionale received direct funding from the EU in 2016, together with 23 other organizations. Therefore, we are unable to determine which part of the total funding of  $\underbrace{\in 137,639}$  was utilized by Servizio Civile Internazionale in particular.

The following is a screenshot from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>34</sup>

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<sup>32</sup> <u>http://www.addameer.org/printpdf/2011</u>
<sup>33</sup> <u>https://sci-italia.it/category/palestina/</u>

- <sup>34</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>

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10. Un Ponte Per actively promotes BDS in the Italian arena.<sup>35</sup> This organization also signed an appeal to the Secretary-General of the United Nations in 2015, focusing on the boycott of the company G4S due to its extensive activities in Israel<sup>36</sup>.

Furthermore, in June 2016, the Italian organization Un Ponte Per received more than €20,000 from the EU in the framework of four different projects. Regarding two of them, the exact amount obtained by Un Ponte Per remains unclear.

The following is a screenshot from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>37</sup>

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Summary Country Responsible Service Program Recipients	Details - 4 results	<b>⊥</b> Export
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2016 MESOPOTAMIAN YOUTH FOR DEMOCRATIC GOVERNANCE, SOCIAL C	OHESION AND RECONCILIATION IN IRAQ	733,839€ Q
UN PONTE PERASSOCIAZIONE*	Italy	
and 4 other recipients		
2016 MESOPOTAMIAN YOUTH FOR DEMOCRATIC GOVERNANCE, SOCIAL C	COHESION AND RECONCILIATION IN IRAQ	460,473 € Q
UN PONTE PERASSOCIAZIONE*	Italy	
and 4 other recipients		
2016 SUPPORT FOR REFUGEES INTEGRATION : THE SOUND ROUTES. NOT	TES FOR GETTING CLOSER	137,306 € Q
UN PONTE PERASSOCIAZIONE*	Italy	14,515€
and 5 other recipients		
BOLOGNA IN MUSICA	Italy	14,815 €
BRAUEREI WISSMANNSTRASSE EV - WERKSTATT DER KULTUREN	🥅 Germany	19,115€
DE VERGUNNING	Belgium	20,411 €
MARMADUKE SOCIEDAD LIMITADA SCUOLA POPOLARE DI MUSICA IVAN ILLICH	Spain Italy	43,508 €
		24,942 €
2016 SUPPORT FOR REFUGEES INTEGRATION : THE SOUND ROUTES. NOT	ES FOR GETTING GLUSER	58,252 € Q
UN PONTE PERASSOCIAZIONE*	Italy	6,158 €

- <sup>37</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>35</sup> <u>https://www.unponteper.it/it/campaigns/boicottaggio-disinvestimento-e-sanzioni-bds/</u> <u>http://www.addameer.org/printpdf/2011</u>



11. EuroMed Rights, whose headquarters are in Denmark, have declared that they receive funding from the EU. The group is actively engaged in trying to suspend the association agreement between Israel and the EU.<sup>38</sup>

Below is a screenshot from the EuroMed Rights website<sup>39</sup>:

OUR DONORS	
In 2013, EuroMed Rights Executive Committee adopted a fundrai: general principles; ensuring the network's independence; minimis guaranteeing our financial sustainability.	
With those principles in mind, EuroMed Rights fundraising strateg	y intends to:
<ul> <li>Maintain good relations with current donors and expand co</li> <li>Ensure new project funding for the 2014-2016 activity plan,</li> <li>Increase EuroMed Rights reserve funds;</li> <li>Explore and identify new sources of income;</li> <li>Better apply fundraising and donor relations principles at al</li> </ul>	and beyond;
EuroMed Rights would like to acknowledge and thanks the followi	ng donors for their financial support:
Danish-Arab Partnership Programme	Sida
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>38</sup> <u>https://www.euromedrights.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/05/50-years-of-occupation-4-pager.pdf</u> <u>http://www.euromedrights.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/02/EuroMed-Rights-position-on-EU-Israel-</u> Association-Council.pdf <sup>39</sup> <u>https://euromedrights.org/about-us/how-we-work/</u>



12. War on Want (WoW) declares that the European Union is one of its donors.

For several years, the organization has been participating in campaigns calling for a boycott of companies operating in Israel. WoW is conducting a campaign against HSBC because of its ties with companies that trade military equipment with Israel.<sup>40</sup> The organization also promotes "Israeli Apartheid Week" held on campuses across Britain.41

Listed here is a screenshot from the official website of War on Want:<sup>42</sup>

URGENT ACTIONS	WHAT WE DO	WHAT YOU CAN DO	NEWS AND EVENTS	DONATE D
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AK & MM F	anton Trust			members, affiliates, donors and volunteers.
Alistair Ber	kley Charitable Tr	ust		
Arts Counc	il England			
Barham Ch	aritable Trust			
Barry Amie	l & Norman Melbu	ırn Trust		DONATE
Battersea &	Wandsworth Tra	des Union Council		Your support today will help us
CB & HH T	aylor 1984 Trust			challenge the root causes of global poverty and oppression.
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 <sup>&</sup>lt;sup>40</sup> www.waronwant.org/hsbc
 <sup>41</sup> <u>https://www.waronwant.org/media/israeli-apartheid-week-demonstrates-students%E2%80%99-commitment-</u> intersectional-struggle <sup>42</sup> https://waronwant.org/funders



## **Chapter Two:**

## **Indirect Funding**







#### **Overview**

The term 'indirect funding' refers to the funding that organizations which promote delegitimization receive from third parties who enjoy the support of the EU. In this way, EU funding is trickling into organizations that promote the delegitimization of Israel. Below are examples of indirect financing in two stages:

- **Stage B**: Third Party An organization promoting delegitimization

#### 1. Indirect funding for the Palestinian Centre for Human Rights (PCHR)

The Palestinian Centre for Human Rights is a Palestinian organization which called for the arrest of senior Israeli officials in England, the Netherlands, Switzerland, Spain, and New Zealand, for "war crimes" relating to their roles in IDF operations.<sup>43</sup> The organization called on the international community to impose "sanctions on Israeli settlements and incriminate those who trade with them" and sever the association agreements between Israel and the EU.<sup>44</sup>

PCHR has links to the terrorist organization the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP). In February 2014, the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine organized a ceremony in Gaza in honor of Raji Sourani, the founder and director of PCHR.<sup>45</sup> The event was to honor Sourani for winning the "Alternative Nobel Prize". At the event Sourani declared that he was "in the ranks of the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine," and received a plaque from the Political Bureau of the PFLP.<sup>46</sup>





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>43</sup> <u>http://pchrgaza.org/files/Reports/English/pdf\_spec/PCHR-UJ-BOOK.pdf</u>
<sup>44</sup> <u>http://pchrgaza.org/en/?p=3952</u>

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>45</sup> http://pchrgaza.org/en/?page\_id=7571

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>46</sup> http://pchrgaza.org/ar/?p=10061



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Pictured: Surani receiving a plaque from the Political Bureau of the terrorist group PFLP (August 2014).

#### PCHR receives indirect EU funding via five organizations:

1.1 EU ----> Trocaire ----> PCHR

Stage A: In 2016 the Irish organization Trocaire received direct funding from the EU totaling €520,000.

The following is from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>47</sup>

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<sup>47</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>

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Stage B: PCHR declares in its annual reports from 2017 that Trocaire is one of its donors.48

»	Bertha Foundation	»	Mun of Barcelona & NOVA
»	Catalan Agency & NOVA	»	OCHA -New York
»	Christian Aid	»	OHCHR
»	Dan Church Aid	»	Other Donors Amal coalitation
»	EC (Via Oxfam NOVIB )	»	Spanish Cooperation AECID
»	Foundation Open society	×	Trocaire
»	Grassroots International	»	UN Women
»	HR/IHL /Secretariat	»	UNDP
»	Iris O'Brien Foundation	»	Consulate General of France
»	Kvinna Till Kvinna	»	CFLI

Christian Aid ---> PCHR 1.2 EU-

Stage A: The British organization Christian Aid received in 2016 a number of large grants for various projects. The following is from the official EU transparency website:49

CHRISTIAN AID       III United Kingdom       657 €         CHRISTIAN AID IRELAND       III Ireland       1,157 €        and 63 other recipients       IIII Ireland       1,157 €         2016       EARLY RECOVERY SUPPORT TO TROPICAL STORM ROANU AFFECTED PEOPLE IN CHITTAGONG, COX'S BAZAR       1,199,999 €         2016       EARLY RECOVERY SUPPORT TO TROPICAL STORM ROANU AFFECTED PEOPLE IN CHITTAGONG, COX'S BAZAR       1,199,999 €         2016       PROTÉGER LES DROITS DE LA POPULATION MIGRANTE HAÏTIENNE ET DOMINICAINE APATRIDE EN HAÏTI ET EN       1,000,000 €         2016       PROTÉGER LES DROITS DE LA POPULATION MIGRANTE HAÏTIENNE ET DOMINICAINE APATRIDE EN HAÏTI ET EN       1,000,000 €         2016       GROWING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT(GEOP)       700,000 €         2016       GROWING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR SUSTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT(GEOP)       700,000 €         2016       EARLY RECOVERY SUPPORT TO TROPICAL STORM ROANU AFFECTED PEOPLE IN CHITTAGONG, COX'S BAZAR       400,000 €			
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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>48</sup> <u>http://pchrgaza.org/ar/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/annual-arabic-2017.pdf</u>; Page 4
<sup>49</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>



#### Stage B: PCHR declares in its 2017 report that Christian Aid is one of its donors.<sup>50</sup>

	التمويــل					
سايا حقوق الإنسان والديمقر اطية والعدالة الاجتماعية ومن	يتلقى المركز تمويله من عدد من المنظمات والمؤسسات الدولية غير الحكومية المهتمة بقض بعض الحكومات الصديقة للشعب الفلسطيني، وتشمل:					
» Bertha Foundation	» Mun of Barcelona & NOVA					
» Catalan Agency & NOVA	» OCHA -New York					
Christian Aid	» OHCHR					
» Dan Church Aid	» Other Donors Amal coalitation					
» EC (Via Oxfam NOVIB )	» Spanish Cooperation AECID					
» Foundation Open society	» Trocaire					
» Grassroots International	» UN Women					
» HR/IHL /Secretariat	» UNDP					
» Iris O'Brien Foundation	» Consulate General of France					
» Kvinna Till Kvinna	» CFLI					
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Dan Church Aid -----> 1.3 EU ----> PCHR

Stage A: The Danish organization Dan Church Aid received a variety of grants from the EU in 2016, one of which is earmarked for the Palestinian issue, in the amount of <mark>€1,495,378</mark>.

However, Dan Church Aid had another partner in this project, so we cannot determine how much of the €1,495,378 was allocated to the project, which was eventually transferred to Dan Church Aid.

The following is from the official EU transparency website:<sup>51</sup>

	Subject of grant or contract	PROMOTING C	HANGE AND YOUTH L	EADERSHIP IN EAST JERUSAL	EM			
	Total amount	1,495,378 €						
	Year	2016						
	Responsible department of the Commission	Directorate-Gene	eral for Neighbourhood a	and Enlargement Negotiations				
	Reference (Budget)	SCR.CTR.35989	93.01.1 ( BGUE )					
	Budget line and number		Support to the peace process and financial assistance to Palestine and to the United Nations Relie and Works Agency for Palestine Refugees (UNRWA) ( 22.04.01.04 )					
	Action Type	European Neigh	bourhood Instrument (El	NI)				
	Funding Type	Grants						
	Expense Type	Operational						
	Action Location	East Jerusalem						
	Geographical Location							
"	Name of the beneficiary		VAT Number	Amount	NFPO/NGO			
	Address/Locality		Postal Code	Country	Category			
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1		RCHAID DCA	DK36980214 1165	Denmark	NGO Private company			
1	(Coordinator)							

<sup>50</sup> <u>http://pchrgaza.org/ar/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/annual-arabic-2017.pdf</u> Page 4
<sup>51</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>







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Stage B: PCHR declares in its 2017 report that Dan Church Aid is one of its donors.<sup>52</sup>

»	Bertha Foundation	»	Mun of Barcelona & NOVA
»	Catalan Agency & NOVA	»	OCHA -New York
»	Christian Aid	»	OHCHR
Ś	Dan Church Aid	»	Other Donors Amal coalitation
»	EC (Via Oxfam NOVIB )	»	Spanish Cooperation AECID
»	Foundation Open society	»	Trocaire
»	Grassroots International	»	UN Women
»	HR/IHL /Secretariat	»	UNDP
»	Iris O'Brien Foundation	»	Consulate General of France
»	Kvinna Till Kvinna	»	CFLI

#### 1.4 EU ----> Oxfam Novib -----> PCHR

**Stage A**: Oxfam Novib declared in its 2017 report that its activities are supported by the EU Commission (EC) through Oxfam Novib:<sup>53</sup>

»	Bertha Foundation	»	Mun of Barcelona & NOVA
»	Catalan Agency & NOVA	<b>»</b>	OCHA -New York
»	Christian Aid	<b>»</b>	OHCHR
»	Dan Church Aid	<b>»</b>	Other Donors Amal coalitation
$\sim$	EC (Via Oxfam NOVIB)	»	Spanish Cooperation AECID
»	Foundation Open society	<b>»</b>	Trocaire
»	Grassroots International	>>	UN Women
»	HR/IHL /Secretariat	»	UNDP
»	Iris O'Brien Foundation	»	Consulate General of France
»	Kvinna Till Kvinna	»	CFLI

<sup>52</sup> http://pchrgaza.org/ar/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/annual-arabic-2017.pdf Page 4





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>53</sup> <u>http://pchrgaza.org/ar/wp-content/uploads/2018/04/annual-arabic-2017.pdf Page 4</u>





#### 1.5 EU ----> EuroMed Rights ----> PCHR

Stage A: EuroMed Rights, declares that it receives funding from the EU.

Below is a screenshot from the EuroMed Rights website:<sup>54</sup>

#### OUR DONORS

In 2013, EuroMed Rights Executive Committee adopted a fundraising strategy, articulated around three general principles; ensuring the network's independence; minimising our donor dependence and guaranteeing our financial sustainability.

With those principles in mind, EuroMed Rights fundraising strategy intends to:

- Maintain good relations with current donors and expand core funding;
- Ensure new project funding for the 2014-2016 activity plan, and beyond;
- Increase EuroMed Rights reserve funds;
- Explore and identify new sources of income;
- Better apply fundraising and donor relations principles at all stages of project coordination.

EuroMed Rights would like to acknowledge and thanks the following donors for their financial support:



Stage B: PCHR is a full member of the EuroMed Rights umbrella organization.

The following is from the EuroMed Rights official website:<sup>55</sup>



<sup>54</sup> <u>https://euromedrights.org/about-us/how-we-work/</u>

<sup>55</sup> <u>https://euromedrights.org/members/</u>







#### 2. Indirect financing to the Palestinian organization Al-Hag:

Al-Hag is one of the most prominent organizations in the context of Israel delegtimization and boycotts. In this context, Al-Haq is active in exerting pressure on the UN Human Rights Council to publish a "black list" of companies operating in Judea, Samaria, and East Jerusalem.<sup>56</sup> In addition, Al-Hag has extensive ties with a number of organizations and works to promote boycotts. For example, in March 2017, several French organizations together with Al-Haq published a report entitled "Dangerous Links between French Banks and Insurance Companies and Israeli Colonization." This report includes, among other things, recommendations to the French government regarding the ties of French economic institutions with the Israeli banking system and "the settlements".<sup>57</sup>

Al-Haq has ties to the terrorist organization the Popular Front for the Liberation of **Palestine.** For example, since 2006,<sup>58</sup> Shawan Jabarin, General Director of Al-Haq, was a senior member of the PFLP (at least until 2012),<sup>59</sup> when he was appointed general director. The Israeli judicial system described Jabarin as a sort of Dr. Jekyll and Mr. Hyde: "Some hours he is the director of a human rights organization, and during others he is active in a terrorist organization that carries out murder and attempts murder."<sup>60</sup> Jabarin was tried and convicted in the past for his terrorist activity in the Popular Front for the Liberation of Palestine and served a 13-year sentence. In the 1990s he was placed in administrative detention several times for his role as a senior member of the PFLP leadership in the West Bank.<sup>61</sup>

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>56</sup> http://www.eccpalestine.org/wp-content/uploads/2017/12/MDE1575212017ENGLISH.pdf

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>57</sup> https://www.scribd.com/document/343328630/Les-liaisons-dangereuses-de-banques-franc-aises-avec-lacolonisation-israe-lienne-mars-2017

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>58</sup> http://www.terrorism-info.org.il/he/%D7%A9%D7%A2%D7%95%D7%90%D7%9F-%D7%92%D7%91%D7%A8%D7%99%D7%9F-%D7%A4%D7%A2%D7%99%D7%9C-

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>59</sup> https://www.alwatanvoice.com/arabic/news/2011/12/26/232219.html

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>60</sup> http://www.takdin.co.il/Searchg/

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>61</sup> Various security apparatus archives



#### Al-Haq receives indirect EU funding via EuroMed Rights:

#### EU ----> EuroMed Rights ----> Al-Haq

Stage A: EuroMed Rights, declares that it receives funding from the EU.

Below is a screenshot from the EuroMed Rights website:<sup>62</sup>



Stage B: Al-Haq is a full member of the EuroMed Rights umbrella organization.

The following is a screenshot from the EuroMed Rights official website:<sup>63</sup>



<sup>62</sup> <u>https://euromedrights.org/about-us/how-we-work/</u>

<sup>63</sup> <u>https://euromedrights.org/members/</u>







#### 3. Indirect financing to the Palestinian organization Al-Mezan:

The organization is a member of the Palestinian Council of Human Rights Organizations (PHROC), which declared its support for BDS (February 2016).<sup>64</sup> At the end of 2017, Al-Mezan, together with a number of other organizations, signed a petition for the publication of a "black list" of companies operating in the West Bank and East Jerusalem by the UN Human Rights Council.<sup>65</sup>

#### Al-Mezan receives indirect EU funding via EuroMed Rights:

EU -----> EuroMed Rights ----> Al-Mezan

#### Stage A: EuroMed Rights, declares that it receives funding from the EU.

Below is a screenshot the EuroMed Rights website:<sup>66</sup>



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>64</sup> http://www.alhaq.org/publications/papers/Phroc-BDS-8-2-2016.pdf

http://www.mezan.org/en/post/22147/Joint+NGO+Statement+in+Support+of+the+UN+Human+Rights+Databa se+on+Business+Activities+related+to+Settlements+in+the+Occupied+Palestinian+Territory <sup>66</sup> https://euromedrights.org/about-us/how-we-work/



**Stage B**: Al-Mezan is a full member of the EuroMed Rights umbrella organization. The following is a screenshot from the EuroMed Rights official website:<sup>67</sup>

CITIZENSHIP (FTCR)
CHIZENSHII (FICK)
GREECE
<ul> <li>GREEK COUNCIL FOR REFUGEES (GCR)</li> </ul>
<ul> <li>GREEK COMMITTEE FOR INTERNATIONAL</li> </ul>
DEMOCRATIC SOCIETY (EEDDA)
IRELAND
<ul> <li>80:20 EDUCATING AND ACTING FOR A</li> </ul>
BETTER WORLD
ISRAEL / OPT
<ul> <li>WOMEN'S CENTRE FOR LEGAL AID AND</li> </ul>
COUNSELING (WCLAC)
• AL-HAO
AL MEZAN CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS
THÉ PUBLIC COMMITTEE AGAINST TORTURE
IN ISRAEL (PCATI)
BTSELEM
<ul> <li>ARAB ASSOCIATION FOR HUMAN RIGHTS</li> </ul>
(HRA)
THE LEGAL CENTER FOR ARAB MINORITY
RIGHTS IN ISRAEL (ADALAH)
<ul> <li>PALESTINIAN CENTER FOR HUMAN RIGHTS</li> </ul>
(PCHR)

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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>67</sup> <u>https://euromedrights.org/members/</u>



#### 4. Indirect funding to the Agricultural Development Association (PARC)

In the first chapter, focused on direct financing, the role of the Agricultural Development Association in promoting delegitimization and boycott were described.

The Agricultural Development Association receives indirect EU funding via five organizations:

Stage A: In 2016 We Effect received funding from the EU in the amount of at least €715,826.

The following is from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>68</sup>

FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY SYSTEM		
European Commission		
pean Commission > Budget > Financial Transparency System (FTS) Q, FTS ③ About 《 FAQ   Contact   Help		
Year 2016		Search
Summary Country Responsible Service Program Recipients Details - 3 results		Ł Expo
2016 NUEVOS RUBROS NUEVAS VIDAS: DESARROLLO ECONÓMICO LOCAL SOSTENIBLE PARA PEQUEÑAS PRODUCTORAS Y PRODUCTORES EN EL CENTRO-NORTE DE NICARAGUA	750,000 €	٩
and 2 other recipients		
CENTRAL DE COOPERATIVAS DE SERVICIOS MULTIPLES PROMOTORA DE DESARROLLO   Nicaragua COOPERATIVO DE LAS SEGOVIAS, RL		
FEDERACION AGROPECUARIA DE COOPERATIVAS DE MUJERES PRODUCTORAS DEL <b>INCA/Agua</b> CAMPO DE NICARAGUA RL		
2016 CONSTRUYENDO CIUDADANÍA Y EMPODERAMIENTO INTEGRAL PARA LA MUJER LENCA Y GARÍFUNA DE HONDURAS	715,826€	٩
WE EFFECT 🔚 Sweden	715,826 €	
2016 WOMEN AND YOUTH POLITICAL REPRESENTATION ENHANCED (WYPRE) IN THE 2019 AND 2020 GOVERNMENT AND GENERAL ELECTIONS RESPECTIVELY IN TANZANIA	600,000€	٩
WE EFFECT Sweden		
and 2 other recipients		
TANZANIA YOUTH COALITION (TYC)		

<sup>68</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>





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> It should be noted that We Effect received two additional grants from the EU in 2016, but these were in the framework of projects in which other organizations participated, so it is impossible to determine the exact share of funds that eventually reached We Effect.

> **Stage B**: Agricultural Development Association currently declares that We Effect is one of its donors.

The following is from the Agricultural Development Association official:<sup>69</sup>



<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>69</sup> <u>http://www.pal-arc.org/sections/view/96</u>









4.2 EU ---- Diakonia ------ Agricultural Development Association

**Stage A:** The Swedish organization Diakonia received  $\pounds 1,347,644$  from the EU in 2014 - 2016. The following is an official EU document regarding projects it supports relating to East Jerusalem:<sup>70</sup>

LIST OF ONGOING PROJECTS – June 2016					
Title	Beneficiary	Partner(s)	End date	EC Contribution	Description
Fostering Socio-Economic Empowerment and Protection of Vulnerable Palestinian Communities in East Jerusalem	Comitato Internazionale Per Lo Sviluppo Dei Popoli Associazione	Burj Al Luq Luq Social Center	31/12/2017	849.850,00	To contribute to strengthen the resilience of Palestinian East Jerusalem residents and preserve the Palestinian character of the city. Foster social and economic empowerment of most neglected communities and vulnerable groups (children, youth, women) in the Old City.
The Alternative City	Palestinian Art Court Al Hoash (R.A.) Association	Jerusalem Economy Development Group	31/12/2016	968.176,00	To enhance the living situation of Jerusalemites and preserve the Arab Palestinian identity of Jerusalem through urban, commercial and community development of the area around Al- Zahra Street, one of the main streets in the compercial centre of the city, via comprehensive and integrated socio-economic, artistic and cultural interventions.
People with Disabilities in East Jerusalem enjoy Improved Living conditions - Phase II	Diakonia I	The Jerusalem Princess Basma Center for Disabled Children (JCDC) Society of St. Yves Catholic Centre for Human Rights	31/12/2017	1.347.644,00	promote and contribute to increased realization of the rights and entitlements of adults and children with disabilities from East Jerusalem.

In addition, Diakonia received a number of additional grants from the EU, one of which in the amount of €300,000 (as for others, it is impossible to indicate the exact amount that reached Diakonia because these were multi-participant projects).

The following is from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>71</sup>

FINANCIAL TRANSPARENCY SYSTEM		
European Commission > Budget > Financial Transparency System (FTS)		
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Year 2016     v     Any Country     v     DIAKONIA		Search
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2016 EXPERIENCIAS DE PRODUCCIÓN SUSTENTABLE EN UN MARCO DE ADAPTACIÓN AL CAMBIO CLIMÁTICO EN COMUNIDADES ALTO ANDINAS.	650,000 €	٩
DIAKONIA I*		
and 4 other recipients		
2016 ALIANZA POR EL CUMPLIMIENTO LOCAL DE LEYES AMBIENTALES.	500,000 €	٩
DIAKONIA I* 🔤 Sweden		
and 5 other recipients		
2016 DEFENDIENDO DERECHOS Y LIBERTADES PARA VOS Y PARA TU VOZ	300,000 €	٩
DIAKONIA I*	300,000 €	
2016 CAPACIDADES, PROTECCIÓN Y LEGITIMIDAD PARA DEFENSORES Y DEFENSORAS DE DDHH EN EL PERÚ	296,132 €	٩
DIAKONIA I* 🔚 Sweden		
and 3 other recipients		

<sup>70</sup> http://www.eeas.europa.eu/archives/delegations/westbank/documents/projects/20160517\_ejp9webpage final en.pdf; עמי 2

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Stage B: Agricultural Development Association currently declares that Diakonia is one of its donors.

Below is a screenshot from the Agricultural Development Association official website:<sup>72</sup>

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ActionAid Internacional	Arab Fund for Economic and social Development	Arab Group for Protection of Nature (APN)	Assembly of Cooperation for Peace (ACPP)
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Australian Department of Foreign Affairs -DFAT	Care International	Christian Aid	Danish Palestinian Friendship Association (DPFA)
Diakonie 😭 Katastrophenhilfe	Brot für die Welt	European Commission	E CONTRACTOR DE LA CONT
Diakonie Katastrophenhilfo	EED - Bread for the World - Protestant Development Service (Protestant agency	European Commission	European Commission Humanitarian Office (ECHO)

#### 4.3 EU ---> Christian Aid --> Agricultural Development Association

Stage A: The British Christian Aid received in 2016 a number of grants for various projects, one of which for example was in the amount of €700,000.

The following is from the official EU Financial Transparency System website:<sup>73</sup>

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ar 201	6 × Any Country	- GB858580087	Search
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	Subject of grant or contract	GROWING ECONOMIC OPPORTUNITIES FOR S	USTAINABLE DEVELOPMENT(GEOP)
	Total amount	700,000 €	
	Year esponsible department of the Commission	2016 Directorate-General for International Cooperation a	
FO	Reference (Budget)	SCR.CTR.379741.01.1 ( BGUE )	nd Development
	Budget line and number	Civil society in development ( 21.02.08.01 )	
	Action Type	Development Cooperation Instrument	
	Funding Type	Granta	
	Expense Type	Operational	
	Action Location	Ghana: Ellembelle District; Ayawaso East and Able	kuma South
		Ghana: Ellembelle District; Ayawaso East and Able	kuma South
	Action Location Geographical Location		
*	Action Location Geographical Location Name of the beneficiary	VAT Number Amou	nt NEPO/NGO
14	Action Location Geographical Location		nt NEPO/NGO
*	Action Location Geographical Location Name of the beneficiary	VAT Number Amou	nt NFPO/NGO ry Category

<sup>71</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u> <sup>72</sup> <u>http://www.pal-arc.org/sections/view/96</u>

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**Stage B: Agricultural Development Association** declares that Christian Aid is one of its donors.

The following is from the Agricultural Development Association official website:<sup>74</sup>



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<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>74</sup> <u>http://www.pal-arc.org/sections/view/96</u>





#### 4.4 EU ---> Care ----> International Agricultural Development Association

Stage A: The Swiss Organization Care International declares that the EU is one of its

donors.

Below is a screenshot from the official website of Care International:<sup>75</sup>

growth. We believe that poverty and social injustice can best be addressed throu partnerships with a range of actors from government, civil society, private secto	
Our Donors	
Our work would not be possible without the support of those who partner with u individuals, corporations, trusts, foundations, governments, institutions and com	
Multilateral funding partners	
• European Union (EU) through the European Commission Humanitarian Offi	ce (ECHO)
and Directorate General for Development and Co-operation (DG DEVCO).	
<ul> <li>Food and Agriculture Organization (FAB)</li> <li>International Labour Organisation (ILO)</li> </ul>	
International Fund for Agricultural Development (IFAD)	
Inited Nations Children's Fund (UNICEF)	
United Nations Development Fund for Women (UNIFEM)	
United Nations Development Programme (UNDP)	
United Nations Population Fund (UNFPA)	
United Nations Human Settlements Programme (UN-HABITAT)	
United Nations High Commissioner for Refugees (UNHCR)	
Steering Committee for Humanitarian Response (SCHR)	
The World Bank (WB)	
World Health Organization (WHO)	

From the EU's transparency records it showed that in 2016, Care International received grants from the European Union in large amounts and for various projects:<sup>76</sup>

2016	WHOLE OF SYRIA CONSORTIUM		15,000,000 €
CA	RE INTERNATIONAL UK LBG*CIUK	United Kingdom	
an	d 8 other recipients		
	SUPPORT TO EARLY RECOVERY AND SOCIO-ECONOMIC STABILITY OF THOUSAND	HE DROUGHT AFFECTED POPULATION	11,000,000 €
CA	RE INTERNATIONAL UK LBG*CIUK	United Kingdom	11,000,000 €
2016	URGENT BASIC HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE FOR SYRIAN REFUGEES IN	SOUTHERN TURKEY	4,600,000 €
CA	RE INTERNATIONAL UK LBG*CIUK	United Kingdom	4,600,000 €
2016	HUMANITARIAN ASSISTANCE TO INTERNALLY DISPLACED PERSONS IN P	AKISTAN	1,200,000€
CA	RE INTERNATIONAL UK LBG*CIUK	United Kingdom	1,200,000€
	APPUI À 3 COMMUNES DANS LE TRANSFERT DE COMPÉTENCES POUR L ÈS À L'EAU POTABLE INTÉGRANT LES NOTIONS DE QUALITÉ DE LEAU, DH		800,000€
MU	TUELLE DES ANCIENS EMPLOYES DE CARE-INTERNATIONAL-BERTOUA	Cameroon	
an	d 4 other recipients		
2016	PAPUA NEW GUINEA - HIGHLANDS DROUGHT RESILIENCE PROJECT		652,484 €
CA	RE INTERNATIONAL UK LBG*CIUK	📲 United Kingdom	652,484 €
2016	Training expenses DG SANTE 2016		265,482€
STI	CHTING INTERNATIONAL FOUNDATIONFOR INTEGRATED CARE*IFIC	Netherlands	2,530 €
- 20	d 25 other recipients		

<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>75</sup> <u>https://www.care-international.org/who-we-are/partners</u>





**Stage B: Agricultural Development Association** declares that Care International is one of its donors.

The following screenshot is from the Agricultural Development Association official website:<sup>77</sup>



#### 4.5 EU ----> Action Aid ----> Agricultural Development Association

**Stage A**: ActionAid International declares that EU is among the contributors to the organization. The screenshot below is from the ActionAid International's website:<sup>78</sup>



<sup>76</sup> <u>http://ec.europa.eu/budget/fts/index\_en.htm</u>

- 77 <u>http://www.pal-arc.org/sections/view/96</u>
- <sup>78</sup> http://www.actionaid.org/who-we-are/our-funding-partners

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Stage B: Agricultural Development Association declares that Action Aid is one of its donors.



The following is from the Agricultural Development Association official:<sup>79</sup>





<sup>&</sup>lt;sup>79</sup> <u>http://www.pal-arc.org/sections/view/96</u>