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## **POSITION PAPER**

### **Opposing Upcoming 2007 Israel/Palestinian Summit**

**Where We Stand: Some factors for your consideration**  
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- There must be no talk of a Palestinian state - no money, no land, no release of terrorist prisoners as good-will gestures, in exchange for “future commitments”.

History proves that "promises of peace" without action by the Palestinian Authority are meaningless. Experiences in Gaza and Judea and Samaria demonstrate that land vacated by Israel becomes a stronghold for Hamas, Hezbollah, Fatah, Al Qaeda, and other international terrorists.

- There has never been a time in history when there was a country known as “Palestine.” There was a geographic area of land known as Palestine that was predominately populated by Jews, and those Jews were known as Palestinians.
- The land that was set aside as Israel in the British Mandate included all of Jordan together with all of Israel as they are today. Prime Minister Churchill gave away 78% of the territory creating Transjordan (later named Jordan). Therefore, Israel now retains, including Judea and Samaria, only 22% of the original land mandated as the Jewish state. Now they want to further divide the 22%.
- The current population of Jordan is 70% Palestinian; therefore, it is an existing Palestinian state. At the upcoming Summit, a second Palestinian state will be under discussion. A 23<sup>rd</sup> Arab state would undoubtedly become an international terrorist base against the civilized world - just as Gaza has become.
- It is important to know that Jordan is the only Arab country that will accept Palestinians as citizens. Not only do 22 Arab countries deny them citizenship, but 300,000 Palestinians were expelled from Kuwait after they sided with Iraq against the US and Saudi Arabia during the Gulf War. It is important also to remember that the Palestinians supported and celebrated the Al Qaeda attack on the US on 9-11. Their reactions demonstrate that not only do the Palestinians hate Israel, but they also hate the United States.

- The recent precedent of Israeli unilateral withdrawal from Gaza has resulted in chaos instead of a stable government. The volatile situation in the newly created international terrorist center in Gaza must be resolved. The mass infusion of terrorist groups with daily bombings of Israel foretells a similar outcome if Israel abandons 95% of Judea and Samaria.
- The PA must prove capable of self-government over a period of time longer than a few weeks or months. There must be no pressure by the world community, including the United States, to create a 23rd Muslim (Arab) country sworn to annihilate Israel. There can be no discussion of a second Palestinian state. Instead, the following conditions must be met:
  1. The PA must formally reject radical Islamist terrorism (jihad) committed against innocent civilians as a political and religious tool.
  2. The PA must formally acknowledge and accept Israel's right to exist. The 1964 PLO Charter calling for Israel's destruction is still in place and must once and for all be formally revoked.

## **Conclusion:**

Because of the above listed reservations regarding the wisdom of creating a potential terrorist enclave that can upset the balance of the entire Middle East, we urge all parties concerned to make certain that the above considerations and assurances are in place. There must be open discussion and debate within a democratic process in arriving at a solution. In addition, the Benny Elon Plan has great merit and deserves consideration as a viable alternative solution.

We make this request in fairness to and on behalf of the world Jewish community and hundreds of thousands of Christians, all of whom have strong religious, historical and financial ties, claims and attachment to the state of Israel.

Decisions currently under consideration are long term in nature, and this Israeli government is of short duration; therefore, steps must be taken to thoroughly and openly examine all alternatives. The decision will be both massive in scope and irreversible, and will affect not only the present, but all future generations.

Respectfully submitted,

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