

Palestinian/US Demands Upon Israel

With this action we are asking your permission to add the name of your organization to a letter thanking the Members of Congress who recently signed powerful letters to Secretary Clinton supporting Israel.

The U.S. Administration continues to pressure Israel to accommodate Palestinian demands upon Israel including:

1. Cease **all construction** in Jerusalem.
2. Cease **expansion of existing homes** in so-called "settlements" like Ariel, Maaleh Adumim, Efrat, Gush Zion, legally the home of Jews for centuries.
3. Release of **still more Palestinian terrorists from Israeli jails**
4. Accommodation of **millions of Palestinian "refugees right of return"** into Israel proper.
5. **Written commitment** that Israel will take to "allow" meaningful peace negotiations.
6. An easing of the Gaza blockade (**there is none** - Israel shipped in 750,000 tons of humanitarian supplies last year alone).
7. **Further reductions in the number of Israeli checkpoints** in the West Bank needed to protect against terrorist attacks.
8. **A two-year deadline to peace negotiations**
9. **Renew peace talks with a Syria actively engaged in rearming Hezbollah!**

Israel is facing increasing danger to its existence should the Administration succeed in forcing Israel to submit to these demands, which for Israel are self-destructive.

This confrontation with America has created a crisis in the US-Israel relationship.