

An Roinn Gnóthaí Eachtracha agus Trádála Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade

Our Ref: FOI/Req/18/294

Date: 18/12/2018

Dear Requester,

I refer to the request which you have made under the Freedom of Information Act 2014 for access to records held by this Department, as follows:

"The names of Civil Society Organisations located in Israel and Palestine in receipt of €100,000 or less from Irish Aid, in 2017. This information was publicly available in Irish Aid's Annual report in 2015 and 2016 but was not published in 2017."

I refer also to the acknowledgement of your request which was sent to you on 26 November 2018.

I have made a decision to grant your request and am releasing the names of organisations in receipt of €100,000 or less from Irish Aid in 2017 as below. I am including the level of funding to each organisation.

Organisation Name	2017 Funding
Addameer	€75,000
Al Haq	€80,000
Armaa Jerusalem Community Foundation	€4,000
BADIL	€4,000
BIMKOM	€85,000
COMET-ME	€75,000
Cooperation for Community Development Association, Salfit	€4,000
Geneva Initiative	€50,000
GISHA	€90,000
Holy Family Hospital, Bethlehem	€4,000
Israel Palestine Creative Regional Initiatives (IPCRI)	€37,838
Jerusalem Legal Aid & Human Rights Centre (JLAC)	€75,000
Miftah	€70,000

Palestinian Centre for Human Rights (PCHR)	€80,000
Yesh Din	€90,000
Women Wage Peace	€20,000
YMCA Gaza	€4,000

Right of Appeal

Should you wish to appeal this decision, you may do so in writing to the Freedom of Information Unit, Department of Foreign Affairs and Trade, 76-78 Harcourt Street, Dublin 2 or by email to <u>foi@dfa.ie</u>. A fee applies for an appeal for access to non-personal information; the level of this fee has been set at €30. For methods of payment, please contact FOI Unit at foi@dfa.ie, or 01-4082857.

You should make your appeal within 4 weeks (20 working days) from the date of this notification. However, the making of a late appeal may be permitted in appropriate circumstances. The appeal will involve a complete reconsideration of the matter by a more senior member of the staff of this Department.

Yours sincerely

Tim Reilly

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