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Date: May 6, 2015 In your response please note: 8742

By fax: 02-9703082

To: Lieut. Col. Raim Falah Head of Efrayim DCO Civil Administration

Dear Sir,

Re: <u>Objection against a ban on travel abroad via Allenby</u> Bridge Border Crossing Mr. Mara'bah, ID.

1. Mr. Mara'bah, whose personal details appear in the subject line, asks that the foreign travel ban via Allenby Bridge Border Crossing imposed on him be removed unconditionally. Mr. Mara'bah is a football player with the Palestinian national football team. He wishes to travel to Jordan and continue from there to Malaysia in order to take part in a football match in the world cup qualifying tournament on June 16, 2015.

List of names of team members enclosed – marked A.

Notice of the game issued by the Palestinian Football Association – **marked B**.

- 2. On December 19, 2014, when Mr. Mara'bah tried to cross the Allenby Bridge together with the rest of the team, on route to a game in the Maldives, the Israeli authorities denied him passage.
- 3. In order to prevent the denial of Mr. Mara'bah's right to freedom of movement and in order to prevent an impingement on his right to freedom of occupation, I request that you lift the foreign travel ban imposed on him unconditionally and allow him to travel to Jordan.
- As noted, Mr. Mara'bah must travel to a match to be held on June 16, 2015. He must therefore exit to Jordan on June 13, 2015. Given the above, I request your urgent, detailed and pertinent answer to our request, earlier than the eight week deadline for responding to an objection.

Sincerely, Shira Livne Client advocacy coordinator



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