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Our ref: RF JEW001/009

Your ref:

Date: 3rd May 2017

QEII Centre
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Westminster
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Dear Sirs

OUR CLIENT: JEWISH HUMAN RIGHTS WATCH
RE: PALESTINE EXPO 2017: GENERATION PALESTINE

We act for Jewish Human Rights Watch – JHRW – and write in relation to the above proposed event due to take place at your premises on the 8th & 9th July 2017.

Whilst our client has no difficulty with legitimate protest, it is most concerned that you are allowing a group with terrorist links to operate an event on your premises.

You may not be aware that in 2016 the group which is hosting this event - Friends of Al-Aqsa - have had their bank accounts closed by The Co-Operative Bank. Our client is aware that the Palestine Solidarity Campaign Limited who are also advertising the event has clear links to the Terrorist group Hamas.

JHRW is most concerned that an event from two organisations that support Jew Hate across the UK and are looking for 'sponsorship' opportunities ranging from £5,000-£20,000 has no right of audience anywhere in the UK especially not near the scene of the recent Westminster Terrorism attack.

JHRW is concerned that this event is clearly in breach of the Equality Act in that it seeks to discriminate against a protected group, Israelis by seeking destruction of their country. Further, the recurring anti-Semitic themes promoted by the above groups is deliberately intended to intimidate and discriminate against Jews.

Our client is certain that this event is a front for Jew hate and that the main groups (Friends of Alaqsa & Palestine Solidarity Campaign) are organisations promoting Boycott, Divestment and Sanctions in relation to Israel, a known anti-Semitic movement.

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There are clear references to the event debating they very existence of the Jewish state. Our client is aware that these organisations have not been honest with the Queen Elizabeth II centre and that the driving force at the heart of these groups is to spread hate against Jews.

We look forward to hearing from you as a matter of urgency

Yours faithfully

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