R1 A9: Resolution for a just and permanent ceasefire in Gaza and lasting peace in the Middle East

Proposers Executive Committee

Motion text

Insert from line 54 to 55:

and halting humanitarian aid as leverage tools, which is a war crime, as defined in the Geneva Conventions.
We are outraged at the Israeli government’s plan to expand the occupation to annex Gaza and ethnically displace Palestinians once again. Senior members of the government, including the Israeli finance minister Bezalel Smotrich, have threatened to destroy Gaza entirely in a scorched earth tactic and to implement forced deportations of Palestinians living in Gaza. Statements such as these by senior Israeli ministers, echoed by the entire cabinet, show the Israeli government's intent to commit a crime against humanity, as defined in the Rome Statute. The Israeli government has proven repeatedly that it does not respect international law and is directly complicit in war crimes against Palestinians. The Israeli government keeps maintaining the lie that it is acting to save hostages, while the families of hostages denounce the proposed further escalation of the invasion of Gaza. The USA and the Israeli government’s proposal for an international law-breaking mechanism to control humanitarian aid would give another tool for the Israeli government to blackmail, control, and oppress Palestinians, who are already suffering from the Israeli-caused famine and humanitarian crisis.

Reason
We are updating our resolution based on the recent updates in the region.