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Subject: URGENT: Oppose Bill 168

Dear Standing Committee on justice policy

I am writing as it is of great concern that Bill 168 seeks an intention to criminalize the community freedom of speech and expression by redefining the definition of anti semitism by impeding speech of palestinian human rights against any or all parties oppresing them. Seeking to punish Canadians for advocating peace and equality of the palestian people and land goes against the values we uphold as Canadians which is peace and equality for all. Speaking against any country or group committing a violent act or oppression is within our right as canadians to exercise our freedom of speech and should not be taken away. I trust that our Canadian committee of justice you will not seek to divide or oppress speech of any ethnic group or race and therefore oppose bill 168 which seeks to control freedom of speech and advocacy for our palestinian community at home and abroad.