



PARLIAMENTARY BRIEFING: THE FUTURE OF ISRAELI SETTLEMENTS IN PALESTINE

PROSPERPalestine invites you to attend our first Parliamentary briefing to discuss our new campaign to support the Palestinian economy and highlight the effects of illegal Israeli settlements in the Occupied Territories.

The list of speakers includes:

PROFESSOR MANUEL HASSASSIAN

Palestinian Ambassador to the United Kingdom

SEPH BROWN

UK Director, **PROSPER**Palestine

CHRIS DOYLE

Director, The Council for Arab British Understanding
(CAABU)

RICHARD BURDEN, MP

Chair, The Britain-Palestine All-Party Parliamentary Group

Date | Monday, April 4th

Time | 7pm - 8:30pm

Venue | Committee Room 5, Houses of Parliament

ALL WELCOME! please RSVP to seph@prosperpalestine.org

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“Continued settlements run contrary to peace.
– **WILLIAM HAGUE**
March 18, 2011 ”

“Settlements in the West Bank are the biggest obstacle to the Middle East peace process.”
– **CARL BILDT**, Swedish FM
March 1, 2011 ”

“If settlements construction continues, all the talk about a Palestinian State becomes meaningless.”
– **AMRE MOUSSA**, Arab League Chief
October 7, 2010 ”

“The EU position on settlements is clear: They are illegal under international law and an obstacle to peace. Recent settlement-related developments, including in east Jerusalem, contradict efforts by the international community for successful negotiations”
– **CATHERINE ASHTON**
December, 9, 2010 ”

“I am appalled at acts of destruction of olive trees and farmlands, desecration of mosques and violence against civilians. Israel states its condemnation of attacks, which I welcome, but its record in imposing the rule of law on settlers is lamentable.”
– **ROBERT SERRY**
U.N. special coordinator for the Middle East peace process
October 26, 2010 ”

“I have been struck by the complacency with which the entirely-avoidable predicament of Palestinians affected by the wall and settlements is treated by Israeli authorities with whom I have discussed these issues”
– **NAVI PILLAY**, UN human rights chief
February 11, 2011 ”