

## **AFZ CHECKLIST**

Becoming an Apartheid Free Zone (AFZ) is an exciting challenge. This checklist can help you identify the possibilities your space has to concretely end any existing complicity once it has become an AFZ.

When you are considering becoming an AFZ, it's a good time to look at possible relations of complicity as well as opportunities to create a space, where no one is discriminated against and racism and oppression have no place.

We recommend you look into:

- The supply of products and services that you sell, buy or use;
- The flow of money;
- The existing partnerships,
- The intersectionality.

## **SUPPLY**

While there is no comprehensive database of all the companies involved in Israeli violations of Palestinian human rights, the following are important resources:

- The UN database;
- The list of companies and brands currently a focus of BDS campaigns;
- The DBIO list of financial institutions and companies involved in Israel's illegal settlements enterprise;
- The AFSC's investment screen;
- The Who Profits database.



# SUPPLY any of these

Do you have any of these companies in your supply chain?

If yes, do you have a viable alternative to

these companies' products/services?
Yes:

- How quickly would you be able to cut your ties with these complicit companies?
- Make this decision public!

#### No:

- Can you do without it? If so Make this decision public.
- Is this product/service essential? If so –
   Please consult with the BNC to see if you can still qualify as an AFZ.



Is your entire supply chain clear and transparent? Are you able to trace all products/services that are part of your supply chain?

- If not, are you ready and able to try to trace them?
- If yes, how quickly can you do so?
- Make this decision public!

Do you already own durable goods from a company complicit in Israeli apartheid?

Use them to publicize your support for Palestinian rights by covering the logo with a campaign sticker until the product life span ends and you substitute them with an alternative.

### **MONEY**

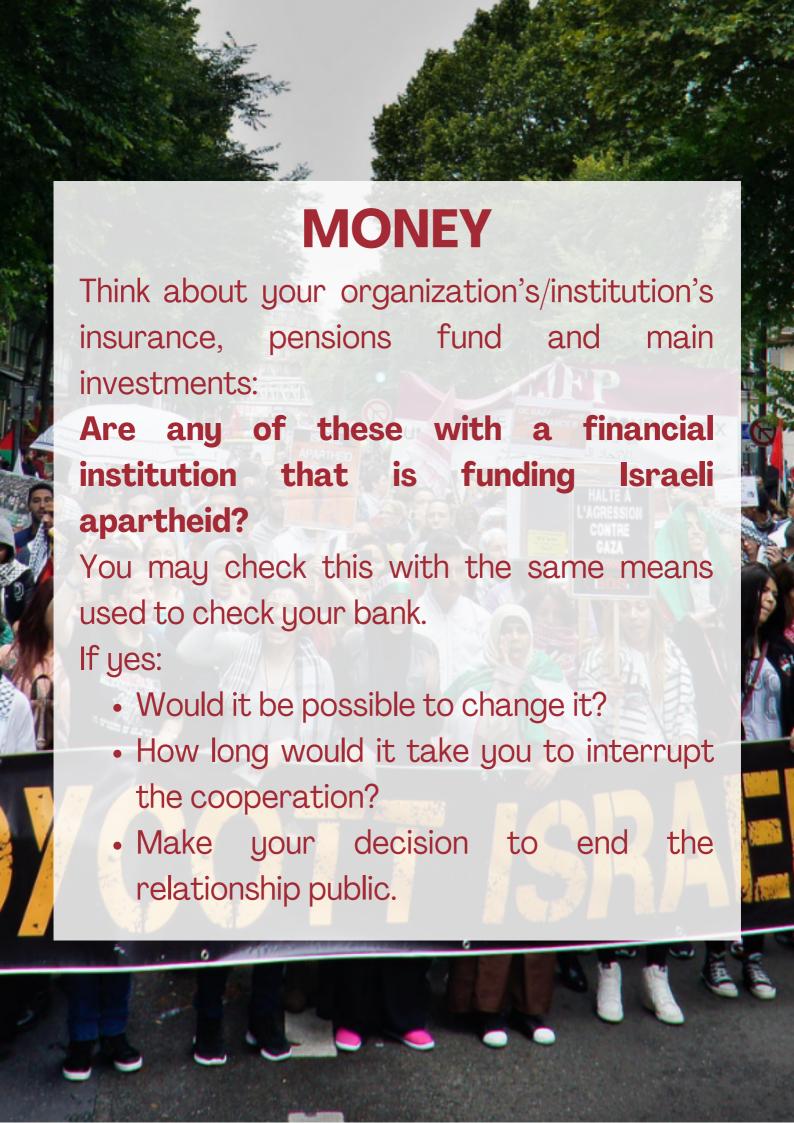
Financial institutions (banks, insurance agencies) are often a key supporter of Israel's occupation, colonialism and apartheid, even if not that visible.

## Have you checked if your bank is funding Israeli apartheid?

Unfortunately, no comprehensive database identifying all relevant banks is currently available.

If you are dealing with a European bank, you can check this list of companies funding Israeli apartheid.

Otherwise, you could try to inquire with your bank about its investment portfolio.



## PARTNERSHIPS AND SPONSORSHIPS

Apartheid Israel invests much effort and resources to present itself as democratic and liberal, through a wide network of academic, cultural, and sporting partnerships, all over the world.

Israeli academic, cultural, and sporting institutions are overwhelmingly complicit in its regime of apartheid. Those that have not ended complicity in Israeli apartheid nor publicly endorsed the comprehensive rights of the Palestinian people should be boycotted.

It is important to note that BDS campaigns focus exclusively on complicity, not identity, and institutions, not individuals.





