

Emergency Resolution

Proposed to War on Want AGM 2025

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War on Want AGM condemns the seizure of the Madleen by the Israeli Navy and the kidnapping and detention of its crew. This assault in international waters is a clear criminal act of piracy.

We note:

- That the Madleen was an unarmed civilian vessel on a humanitarian mission to deliver medical supplies and baby food to Gaza
- That the Madleen was British registered
- That the UK Government has placed a high priority on defending British ships against piracy of the coast of Somalia and deployed the Royal Navy to protect shipping
- The humanitarian mission of the Madleen is stark contrast to the Gaza Humanitarian Foundation which is using food distribution to assist Israel's campaign of ethnic cleansing and population control

We demand

- That Israel releases the Madleen and its cargo and allows the crew to resume command of the vessel and complete its mission
- That the UK government deploys the Royal Navy to protect the Madleen against piracy

We instruct War on Want staff to

- Communicate our demands to the Prime Minister, the Foreign Secretary and the Secretaries of State for Transport and Defence
- Mobilise our partners to build international support for these demands
- Inform the crew of the Madleen of our support for their activity
- Publicise our demands through our social media and by contacting press and broadcast media

Please return this form by 12 noon Thursday 12 June 2025

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