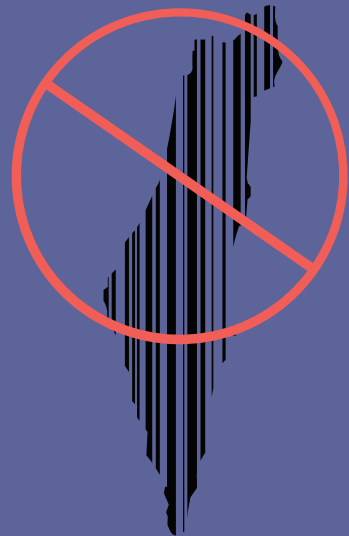


WORLDWIDE BDS ACTIVITY



MAY 2017

USA



- The student government of California State University Long Beach recently voted to divest from companies profiting from conducting business with the State of Israel.



UNITED KINGDOM

- G4S, the largest security services company in the world, has sold off the Israeli branch of its operations due to BDS-related pressure.
- The National Union of Teachers, the largest teachers union in the country, has completely boycotted the technology giant HP due to the use of its products in Israeli prisons and checkpoints.

CANADA



- BDS resolutions have been passed at Ryerson University, York University and Windsor University.

NORWAY



- On May 12th, the largest and most influential trade union, Norwegian Confederation of Trade Unions, endorsed a total boycott of Israel.

ANTI- BDS SUCCESSSES



MAY 2017

USA



- Governors from all 50 states and the mayor of D.C. signed Governors United Against BDS, an anti-BDS initiative sponsored by the American Jewish Committee.
- A bill was signed into law in the State of Texas that prohibits state funds from being invested in companies that participate in BDS. The law also prohibits state-affiliated entities from boycotting Israel.



CANADA

- A staff union at Simon Fraser University in British Columbia has rejected a proposed resolution to boycott Israel.

FRANCE



- Emmanuel Macron, the President-elect has expelled a member from the En Marche! party for tweeting pro-BDS statements. This is the second member he has expelled due to anti-Jewish sentiments.

