

FACTSHEET ON THE JEWISH NATIONAL FUND

ITS ROLE IN ETHNIC CLEANSING

- Since its creation in 1901, the Jewish National Fund (JNF) has directed its resources towards to the acquisition of land and property rights for the **exclusive use of Jewish settlers**
- The JNF has direct control of 13% of the land of pre-1967 Israel, and has great influence over another 80% of all land in Israel
- Indigenous Palestinians are forbidden from leasing or building on any lands acquired by the JNF
- The State of Israel charters the JNF to outsource land management, thereby distancing Israel from the discriminatory land practices carried out by the JNF
- The JNF provided political, financial, and intelligence support in the ethnic cleansing of Palestinians during The Nakba (the Catastrophe) and the establishment of the state of Israel in 1948
- The JNF aided Zionist forces in **expelling two-thirds of the Palestinian population** living in what became Israel

ITS ROLE IN "GREENWASHING"

- After 1948, the JNF was re-branded as an environmentalist organization focused on forestation
- The JNF's forests, parks, and recreational facilities have been planted and constructed over the remains of hundreds of Palestinian villages, serving to erase the memory of ethnic cleansing
- The JNF's development and forestation projects perpetuate ethnic cleansing by securing lands for exclusive Jewish settlement
- The Negev Desert and the Galilee are two current focal points for JNF greenwashing—the use of environmentalist rhetoric and projects to veil its efforts in stripping Palestinians of their homes and land

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Their Proceeds Go Towards the Jewish National Fund

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