

Envisioning Israeli Sovereignty Over Judea and Samaria **in 5 Steps**

The Two State Alternative

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“Beliefs” Vs. Facts

THE PA IS PEACE PARTNER

The PA is a moderate entity and a peace partner.



THE PA SUPPORTS AND INCITES TO TERROR

The PA is funding terrorism, constantly calling for anti-normalization with Israel and advocating incitement through its media and educational systems.

RESOLVING THE CONFLICT IS THE KEY FOR MIDDLE EAST PEACE

The Palestinian issue is the key to normalization between Israel and the Arab world.



ARAB NATIONS AND ISRAEL ARE WORKING TOGETHER TO FACE GREATER RISKS IN MIDDLE EAST

Conflicts from Lybia to Syria and Iran show that Middle Eastern nations last concern is the Palestinian issue. Today, various Arab nations are in disclosed and undisclosed cooperation with Israel.

SOVEREIGNTY WILL LEAD TO VIOLENCE

Applying Sovereignty will lead to extreme resistance and violence by Palestinians.



THE ALTERNATIVE IS MUCH WORSE

Only by a small group related to the PA elite. This is far less than the predicted violence by withdrawing from Judea & Samaria – as is being experienced with Gaza.

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ISRAEL WILL BE AN INTERNATIONAL PARIAH

Applying Sovereignty will lead to international isolation of Israel



ISRAEL'S ALLIANCES ARE GROWING CONTINUOUSLY

This has been repeatedly demonstrated as false — countries ultimately operate out of self-interest and international support of Israel continues to strengthen both overtly and covertly.

JEWS WILL BECOME A MINORITY

Annexing Judea & Samaria will make Jews a minority in Israel.



MANIPULATED DATA

This myth is based upon intentionally misleading and politically charged demographic data produced by the PA where not a single audited and monitored census has occurred in years.

GAZA IS INTEGRAL TO JUDEA AND SAMARIA

Gazan are Palestinian people, just like the ones in Judea & Samaria.



A COMPLETELY DIFFERENT SOCIETY

Divided by culture, dialect, family ties and religion, Gaza is a separate world from Judea and Samaria where the Arabs living in these two regions abhor each other.

Israel's security is a key US interest

THE MOUNTAIN RIDGES OF JUDEA & SAMARIA OVERLOOK:



POPULATION

70% of Israel's population.



STRATEGIC SITES

All Israeli major infrastructure and transportation systems.

ISRAELI PRESENCE ON THE MOUNTAIN RIDGES EXTENDS THE STRATEGIC HAND OF THE UNITED STATES



TROOPS

No need to deploy additional military divisions and aircraft carriers to the region.



INFLUENCE

US vacuum in the region will be filled by Iranian, Russian, Chinese growing influence.



COSTS

Saving the US taxpayer \$15BN-\$20BN annually.



ALLIES

Enhance survivability of pro-US regimes in the Arabian Peninsula.

STEP 5

STEP 4

STEP 3

STEP 2

STEP 1

What to do with the Arabs in Judea & Samaria?

PA/TWO-STATES

SOVEREIGNTY

- A clan structure and culture is forcefully governed by a corrupted, violent, alien elite.

- Re-introducing local, self governing autonomy by the clans, supported by Israel.

- 18% unemployment and a debilitating reliance on international funds.

- Developing economic/industrial zones such as Barkan.

- Violation of human rights and social justice by the PA including: Women, Gay and Children's basic rights.

- Full civil rights and ability to vote for representation on local councils.

- Systematic demonization of Jews with no hope for co-existence.

- Offer the East-Jerusalem residency model with a long-term, highly vetted path for citizenship.

We live together with the Arabs!

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Risk – Benefit Evaluation

To envision a different future, one must first assess the risks and returns for each approach and understand them in the broader context of the Middle East.

PRIORITY

TWO STATES

SOVEREIGNTY

➤ Fighting terrorism from Judea and Samaria

➤

Internal affair – no access for Israeli forces

➤

Full access to combat terrorism – e.g. operation Defensive Shield

➤ Protecting US interests

➤

Loss of prestige and influence with pro-US Arab regimes

➤

Solid Israeli presence in the region ensures protection of mutual US and Israeli interests

➤ Cost for US Taxpayer

➤

\$15BN–\$20BN annually

➤

No consequential cost to US Taxpayers

➤ Reversing the policy

➤

Irreversible – as the status of a state is granted

➤

Reversible

The Sovereignty Solution

*The combination of **cooperation with Hamulot (Clans), municipal autonomy** for Arab areas, a highly vetted and **controlled path** to citizenship and economic prosperity makes the alternative to a two-state solution, quite viable and fair. From a security perspective, Sovereignty is the only approach that **mitigates the very serious downside risk of another failed Arab state** engaged in Terror on Israel's border (as if Syria, Lebanon and Gaza were not enough). Furthermore, Sovereignty is the most effective approach to protecting US interests in the Middle East.*

*Such a framework, confronts the common charge that Israel will become -- with Sovereignty -- **an "apartheid state"** is totally sophistic and not comporting to the realities on the ground. In fact, such a reality would **resolve the serious issue of two different sets of laws for different Israeli citizens** while, once and for all, **dealing with the PA's culture of conflict, incitement and corruption**, while constantly engaging in "anti-normalization" to the detriment of their compatriots.*

Thank you!

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