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It is long overdue for the state to divest from investments in companies/persons complicit in international human rights abuses. These funds can be reinvested back into the community in more productive ways. We should seek to form connections and ties with institutions that have a long, positive outlook on the future, instead of extracting the fruits of oppressive regimes. We should not be short sighted in what is profitable, or the path of least resistance, in the here and now, and be more focused on how history looks upon these decisions and the long term prospects of these investments.