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LD 1383

Hello,

I am Mo Drammeh, and I am a student at the University of Maine, and I wanted to write in urging this committee to support the passing of LD 1383. As a lifelong Bangor resident, I am deeply uncomfortable with the idea that our tax dollars would be used on facilitating ethnic cleansing in another country rather than on the many Mainers who need help from their communities. In my own hometown, the incredible and horrifying amount of suffering experienced by the homeless is completely impossible to ignore due to its utter scope; why should that money be used on harming others instead of addressing the real problems of everyday Mainers? Please think of the good which could be done by committing to divestment from genocide such that we can address the problems facing everyday Mainers.