

The Strategic Partnership (SP) "Towards a Worldwide Influencing Network" is a Lobby and Advocacy programme with the Netherlands Ministry of Foreign Affairs. The programme enables global and local influencing work on three thematic areas: 1) Right to Food; 2) Greater Responsibility in Finance for Development; 3) Conflict and Fragility. The ambition of the SP is to achieve policy changes by governments and the private sector to the benefit of groups facing poverty and injustice, and to strengthen civil society's capacity to demand for such change. The SP is implemented over a period of 5 years by an Alliance consisting of Oxfam Novib and SOMO.

#### Project: BIMKOM - Conflict & Fragility

Bimkom Planners for Planning Rights intervention will contribute to targeted outcome of the project: international community holds the PA and Israel accountable and advocates for meaningful inclusion, and protection, of women in gender sensitive peace and security processes. Bimkom will focus its efforts in producing evidence based research on the effects of forced relocation of women and girls mobile pastoralist communities of Area C of the West bank (OPT) and work on producing policy papers that will address issues of lack of planning for mobile pastoralist communities and their access to natural resources. Papers will outline the infringement of rights of the Palestinian population in area C (most specifically the Mobile Pastoralist (MP) communities, with a focus on the women and girls of these communities) caused by current and proposed Israeli planning policies and practices. The papers will also propose alternative policies and actions to improve the upholding of rights through culturally- and community-appropriate plans to be presented to the international community. In addition, the partner will carry out field visits to the targeted communities and equipped them with GPS trackers to document spatial mobility of the community, including training in use of the devices, and understanding of the resultant maps.

#### Actor: BIMKOM Planners for Planning Rights

Bimkom means #alternative# or #in place of# in Hebrew. Bimkom is an Israeli non-profit organisation formed in 1999 by a group of planners and architects. Bimkom's mission is to strengthen democracy and human rights in the field of spatial planning and land issues in Israel and the OPT. Drawing on values such as social justice, good governance, equality and community participation, it seeks to affect system-wide change by encouraging the development of new planning policies and practices that are just and respecting of human rights, and that are accessible and responsive to the needs of local communities. Its main target groups are the Palestinian population in the OPT, and Arab and Bedouin minorities in Israel.

#### Financial

Total Budget		72,691 EUR	
Past expenditure	Netherlands Dutch SP D&D Lobby&Advocacy	2016-09-01	22,503 EUR
Past expenditure	Netherlands Dutch SP D&D Lobby&Advocacy	2017-06-01	24,150 EUR
Past expenditure	Netherlands Dutch SP D&D Lobby&Advocacy	2017-09-01	2,500 EUR
Past expenditure	Netherlands Dutch SP D&D Lobby&Advocacy	2018-07-01	21,264 EUR
Past expenditure	Netherlands Dutch SP D&D Lobby&Advocacy	2019-11-01	2,274 EUR

#### Achieved Outcome

- 0 cases of influential endorsing gender sensitive policy asks of Oxfam/partners towards conflict transformation






#### Realised Output

- 0 campaigns in which Oxfam Novib and partners participated
- 0 alternative policies/approaches presented by Oxfam Novib and partners to duty bearers in and influencers of governments, global governmental actors and the private sector

#### Related 8

ID	Projects
A-04861-02	CO-C&F Program Facilitation & Cap Bldg
A-04861-03	BIMKOM - Conflict & Fragility
A-04861-04	Gisha - Conflict & Fragility
A-04861-05	Yesh Din - Conflict & Fragility
A-04861-06	HaMoked - Conflict & Fragility
A-04861-07	CFTA - Conflict & Fragility
A-04861-08	WCLAC - Conflict & Fragility
A-04861-09	MIFTAH - Conflict & Fragility

#### Project Information

AIM	    
Country	Palestinian Territories
Start date	2016-04-01
End date	2018-12-31
Status	Active
Grant	1000988

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