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Date: April 27, 2015

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Human Rights and Public Relations Department

Person responsible for the Implementation of the Freedom of Information Law

Re: Request according to the Freedom of Information Law:
Procedures concerning confiscation of property of residents
of the Occupied Palestinian Territories by virtue of the Defence
Emergency Regulations and the Order concerning Security
Provisions

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- 1. HaMoked: Center for the Defence if the Individual (HaMoked) is a not-for-profit association engaged in the promotion of human rights of Palestinians in Occupied Palestinian Territories (OPT). Among other things HaMoked represents Palestinians, residents of the OPT, whose property was confiscated by confiscation orders signed by the military commander of the West Bank area, and assists to return said property to its owners.
- 2. Therefore, I hereby write to you according to the Freedom of Information Law, 5758-1998, and request to receive the following information:
  - a. How many **orders for the confiscation of property by virtue of regulation 84 and regulation 120 of the Defence (Emergency) Regulations, 1945**, were issued by the military commander in 2014 and 2015 (until the date of your reply letter)? I would like to receive the above information <u>for each year separately</u>.
  - b. What is the total amount of money which was confiscated by virtue of regulation 84 and regulation 120 of the Defence (Emergency) Regulations, 1945, in 2014 and 2015 (until the date of your reply letter) and from how many people was such amount confiscated? I would like to receive the above information for each year separately.

- c. How many devices and of which kind (portable computers, cellular phones, sim cards, discs on key etc.) were confiscated by virtue of regulation 84 and regulation 120 of the Defence (Emergency) Regulations, 1945, in 2014 and 2015 (until the date of your reply letter) and from how many people was such property confiscated? I would like to receive the above information for each year separately.
- d. How many **orders for the forfeiture, seizure and confiscation of property by virtue of section 61 of the Order concerning Security Provisions** [Consolidated Version] (Judea and Samaria) 5770-2009, were issued by the military commander in 2014 and 2015 (until the date of your reply letter)? I would like to receive the above information <u>for each year separately</u>.
- e. What is the total amount of money which was confiscated **by virtue of section 61 of the Order concerning Security Provisions** [Consolidated Version] (Judea and Samaria) 5770-2009, in 2014 and 2015 (until the date of your reply letter) and from how many people was such amount confiscated? I would like to receive the above information for each year separately.
- f. How many devices and of which kind (portable computers, cellular phones, sim cards, discs on key etc.) were confiscated **by virtue of section 61 of the Order concerning Security Provisions** [Consolidated Version] (Judea and Samaria) 5770-2009, in 2014 and 2015 (until the date of your reply letter) and from how many people was such property confiscated? I would like to receive the above information for each year separately.
- 3. It should be noted that HaMoked is exempt from application fees in freedom of information requests, in view of the fact that it is a not-for-profit association which acts for the promotion of public objectives, according to regulation 6(b) of the Freedom of Information Regulations (Fees), 5759-1999.
- 4. Thanking you for sending me the above information without delay.

Sincerely,

Sigi Ben Ari, Advocate