



ATTORNEY GENERAL ALLIANCE

The Honorable Meshal bin Hamas Al Thani
Ambassador of the State of Qatar to the United States of America
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Dear Ambassador,

Through our association with the Attorney General Alliance, we have acquired profound insights into the vital relationship between Qatar and the United States. We have visited your country and gained an understanding of your government's commitment to the Rule of Law. The collaboration between our two nations, aimed at the eradication of human trafficking, resonates on a global scale. The measures undertaken by the Qatari government in the formulation and enforcement of new legislation, training initiatives, and the meticulous focus on anti-money laundering mechanisms have yielded substantive and efficacious outcomes. Further, Qatar's steadfast support for the Al Udeid Air Base, the linchpin of our military presence in the Middle East, is of the utmost strategic importance. We commend Qatar for this invaluable partnership, and now humbly request your support in an additional realm of mutual interest.

In the spirit of the steps, we have taken together, we write to you today with heavy hearts as we address the developments this week in Israel and Palestine. We believe violence and terror are not the ways to achieve a sense of lasting and meaningful peace in this conflict. Our two countries have spent years vesting our hope for the future in the rule of law, mutual respect, and in cultivating understanding. We believe these baselines will help all countries realize true security, freedom, justice, and peace.

With these ideals in mind, we respectfully ask that you encourage your country to continue assisting with the humanitarian aid necessary to protect the hostages taken by Hamas amid the attack on Israel, which began on October 7. We do not believe that the events, as they have occurred, will lead to positive outcomes for any of the countries involved. We acknowledge that Qatar is already helping with negotiations and trying to work out a prisoner swap in accordance with ideals of peace and security. We commend Qatar's actions in this regard and simply ask that you continue to be a leader in seeking to resolve this conflict. The world is anxious for word on the health and welfare of those multinational citizens violently removed from Israel. As a trusted intermediary, we ask that Qatar continue to provide any influence, care, and protection available to the hostages.

Qatar's friendship and leadership is desperately needed during these dark days. Thank you in advance for both your consideration and any assistance you may be able to provide. Please do not hesitate to contact either one of us if there are any efforts we could undertake in furtherance of this effort.

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