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Minister of Interior

3 Kislev, 5775

25 November 2014

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To

_____ Abu Jamal, Area ID No.

POB 66678 Jabal Mukabber

Jerusalem

Hello,

Re: Mrs. _____ Abu Jamal – revocation of permit of stay in Israel

On November 18, 2014, two permanent resident terrorists committed an attack in a synagogue in Har Nof Neighborhood in Jerusalem, in the course of which they murdered in cold blood four innocent worshipers as well as a police officer who arrived to rescue the worshipers and later died of his wounds. Additionally, in the attack, a large number of Israeli citizens was injured. One of the terrorists was your husband.

After your husband was killed during the attack he committed, and you received a notice from the Population and Immigration Authority bureau in East Jerusalem on the termination of the procedure, your matter was transferred for recommendation to the committee advising the Minister of Interior according to Section 3A1 of the Citizenship and Entry into Israel Law (Temporary Order), 5763-2003 (hereinafter – Temporary Order).

Having reviewed the committee's recommendation, which examined the overall facts and circumstances, I decided to accept the committee's recommendation and revoke your permit of stay in Israel, and also not to give you permits of stay in Israel, under Section 3A1 of the Temporary Order.

These are the reasons for my decision:

- A. The family unit stopped existing following your husband's death.
- B. You had been an Israeli stay permit holder since just 2010; insofar as you stayed in Israel beforehand, this was an illegal stay which is a criminal offence.
- C. The committee checked and found that nearly all of your family members are residents of the Area residing in Sawahrah (geographically close to where you live today), so there is nothing to prevent your returning to live there with your family.
- D. Beyond the stated, no special humanitarian reason was found for granting an Israeli stay permit.

In light of the above, I have decided, as said, to revoke your permit of stay in Israel and also not to give you a permit of stay in Israel.

Respectfully

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MK Gilad Erdan

CC:

MK Yitzhak Aharonovich – Minister of Public Security

Mr. Amnon Ben Ami – Director of the Population and Immigration Authority