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To
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Re: Gisha's Request according to the Freedom of Information Law, Procedure on the Relocation of West Bank Residents to the Gaza Strip – Response

Following your letter dated October 7, 2014 and ours dated February 22, 2015

1. Following the undertaking to provide complementary information to our response dated February 22, 2015, attached is the information that could be obtained and which is in our possession. It should be added that for convenience purposes, we shall in this response to the paragraphs of your letter in their entirety.
2. **With respect to your request, the following is our response:**
 - a. Paragraph 4 – the last update which was distributed (2010), is the last update of the procedure, and its version may be found in COGAT's website.
 - b. Paragraph 5 – no information was located regarding applications which were not submitted according to the procedure.
 - c. Paragraph 6 – the requested item, in which, in fact, questions are posed to the authority, is not "information" as this term is defined in the Freedom of Information Law.
 - d. Paragraph 7 –
 - 1) The Civil Administration makes efforts to respond to the Palestinian Authority within about 10 business days. However, no specific time frame is established in the procedure itself.

- 2) The application is transferred by the Palestinian Authority. Therefore, the response is delivered to them in writing, together with the grounds therefore.
- 3) There is no tribunal before which the decision may be appealed.

e. Paragraph 8 –

- 1) Paragraph 8a of the request, the number of relocation applications to the Gaza Strip which were approved (the total number of applications which were submitted is unknown).

Year/Segmentation	Gender	Age	Family Status	Authorizing Agency	Total
2011	Male - 4	4 – 20-30	Married	Head of Operations Department	12
	Female – 8	8 – 30-40			
2012	Male – 2	7 – 20-30 6 – 30-40	Married	Head of Operations Department	18
	Female – 16	5 - +40			
2013	Male – 1	7 – 20-30 11 – 30-40	Married	Head of Operations Department	23
	Female – 22	5 - +40			
2014	Male – 0	1 – 20-30	Married	Head of Operations Department	5
	Female – 5	4 – 30-40			

- 2) Paragraph 8b – no follow-up was conducted regarding the requested details in this paragraph and we do not have in our possession the requested data.
- 3) Paragraph 8c of the request, the number of approved applications to return once (the total number of applications which were submitted is unknown).

Year/Segmentation	Gender	Age	Family Status	Authorizing Agency	Total
2011	Male - 4	1 – 30-40	Married	Head of Operations Department	1
2012	Female – 2	1 – 30-40 1 - +40	Married	Head of Operations Department	2
2013	Female – 3	1 – 20-30 1 – 30-40 1 - +40	Married	Head of Operations Department	3

