

**Question for written answer E-002985/2026/rev.1
to the Commission**
Rule 144
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Subject: Social assistance

According to a Commission report entitled ‘Review of ongoing financial assistance to Palestine’¹, in April 2023, social allowances were paid to a total of 106 596 families, 70 108 of which were supported by PEGASE. Given the level of poverty, the vast majority (73 %) of the beneficiary families were in Gaza. According to data from the Ministry of Social Development (MoSD), 91 261 families were living in extreme poverty, 41 266 were headed by a woman, 16 395 were headed by a person with a disability and 42 130 were headed by an elderly person.

1. How many beneficiaries in the Palestinian territories have received such social allowances from the EU budget in the last 10 years, broken down by year, and how much money in total was transferred annually for those social allowances?
2. How many beneficiaries in the EU have received such social allowances from the EU budget in the last 10 years, broken down by year, and how much money in total was transferred annually for those social allowances?
3. How many beneficiaries outside the EU and the Palestinian territories have received such social allowances from the EU budget in the last 10 years, broken down by year, how much money in total was transferred annually for those social allowances, and in which countries were the beneficiaries?

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¹ https://enlargement.ec.europa.eu/communication-commission-review-ongoing-financial-assistance-palestine_en