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Answer given by High Representative/Vice-President Kallas
on behalf of the European Commission
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The Comprehensive Plan to End the Gaza Conflict put forward by the President of United States and the United Nations Security Council (UNSC) resolution 2803 (2025) offer a way out of the devastating conflict. The EU is ready to contribute through its unique toolbox, including by supporting the Palestinian Authority (PA) in its reforms, in view of the PA's return to Gaza. The PA is a key partner in the region, and the EU has consistently supported it politically and financially.

The EU Comprehensive Support Programme for Palestinian Recovery and Resilience 2025-2027¹, worth up to EUR 1.6 billion, is anchored in the PA's implementation of the key reforms identified in the Reform Matrix agreed upon between the EU and the PA in November 2024. The first meeting of the dedicated Palestine Donor Group took place on 20 November 2025.

The EU aims to foster stability by supporting the security arrangements foreseen in the UNSC resolution 2803, notably through the two EU's civilian Common Security and Defence Policy missions on the ground. The Board of Peace will oversee the transitional governance administration including the Palestinian technocratic committee that will be responsible for the day-to-day operations of the civil services in Gaza. These are very important tasks that the EU will support and contribute to, in line with its position that recovery and future reconstruction efforts in Gaza need to be Palestinian-led and owned.

The EU is committed to the two-state solution, viewing it as the only path to lasting peace between Israelis and Palestinians.

¹ https://north-africa-middle-east-gulf.ec.europa.eu/factsheet-comprehensive-programme-palestinian-recovery-and-resilience-and-palestine-donor-group-2025_en.