Thursday, 16 May 2024 from 2:00 - 3:30 p.m. via Zoom

The DFA Dialogue (Annual Report) will be emailed in advance of the AGM.

## **AGENDA - Addendum**

# 12. Any Other Business – The following item and motions are an addendum to the agenda previously circulated and for consideration at the AGM to be held on May 16, 2024:

Whereas since October 2023, Israel's assault on Gaza has killed at <u>least 34,183 people</u>, <u>wounded at least 77,084</u>, displaced nearly 2 million people, and destroyed 62% of homes.

Whereas, the International Court of Justice declared <u>in January 2024</u> that it "found it plausible that Israel's acts could amount to genocide."

Whereas the Israeli military deliberately destroyed or damaged 12 universities and colleges in Gaza and 75% of Gaza's entire educational infrastructure, and killed at least 231 teachers and 96 university professors constituting a scholasticide.

Whereas Israeli Universities <u>are complicit in the Israeli occupation and its violations of the human rights</u> of Palestinians.

Whereas faculty associations at <u>several Canadian universities</u> support the boycott and divestment of Israeli institutions that are complicit with Israel's war crimes/

### **Motion 12.1:**

The Dalhousie Faculty Association condemns antisemitism, anti-Palestinian racism, and all forms of violence against civilians. The association also condemns the Israeli violence against Palestinian scholars and students, as well as Israeli attacks on Palestinian educational institutions (universities, schools, libraries, archives, and museums), publishing houses, hospitals and heritage sites etc. and calls for an immediate and permanent ceasefire in Gaza and an end to the scholasticide in Palestine.

Mover: Mohammed El Hazzouri

Seconder: Omar Sy

#### **Motion 12.2:**

The Dalhousie Faculty Association demands that Dalhousie administration suspend all institutional partnerships with Israeli academic institutions and divest from and boycott all Israeli institutions until Israel ends its policies of military occupation and apartheid.

Mover: Ajay Parasram Seconder: Alan Surovell

### **Motion 12.3:**

The Dalhousie Faculty Association demands that Dalhousie University support Palestinian students, scholars, and universities by:1) providing scholarships and administrative support to Palestinian students to continue their undergraduate and graduate degrees at Dalhousie University, 2) providing financial support to Palestinian students, 3) supporting Palestinian educational institutions through virtual instructions, exchanges, library sharing, and administrative support, etc.

Mover: Najah Attig Seconder: Isaac Saney