

# PA Salary Payments to Terrorists

#### The Terror Attack

## Sbarro pizza shop suicide bombing

A suicide bomber murdered 15 people including 7 children and wounded 130, when he detonated his bomb in the Sbarro pizza shop in Jerusalem on Aug. 9, 2001.

#### The Victims

Schijveschuurder Family: Couple + 3 of their children



Mordechai



Tzira







Hemda



Yehudit Greenhaum



Tehila Maoz









Malki Roth



Giora Balash



Michal Raziel



Golombek



## The Terrorists and their Rewards

The Palestinian Authority gives monthly payments to terrorist prisoners and families of terrorist "Martyrs." Payments by the PA to the Sbarro terrorists and their families through August 2019:

- **Abdullah Barghouti**, bomb-maker: \$213,848 (753,600 shekels) (\$-NIS rate 3.524, Aug 1, 2019)
- Muhammad Daghlas, transferred bomb to Tamimi: \$51,836 (182,670 shekels) (paid until his release in 2011 Shalit prisoner exchange deal)
- Ahlam Tamimi, selected target, gave bomb to suicide bomber and drove him to Sbarro: \$51,836 (182,670 shekels) (paid until her release in 2011 Shalit prisoner exchange deal)
- Bilal Barghouti, recruited the suicide bomber: \$ 209,818 (739,400 shekels)
- Izz Al-Din Al-Masri, suicide bomber: \$53,689 (189,200 shekels) (paid to family)
   Ayman Halawah, head of terror cell: \$53,575 (188,800 shekels) (killed, paid to family)
- **Qeis Adwan**, involved in planning: \$53,235 (187,600 shekels) (killed, paid to family)
- Jamal Abu Al-Hija, involved in planning: \$222,985 (785,800 shekels)

Current PA payments to Sbarro terrorists and their families, every month:

\$7,321 (25,800 shekels)

Total PA payments to Sbarro terrorists and their families through August 2019:

\$910,823 (3,209,740 shekels)



# Palestinian Authority Salaries to Terrorists

#### **PA Law**

Under Palestinian Authority law, the PA pays every terrorist prisoner a monthly salary. In 2018, the PA admitted to spending \$134 million (502 million shekels) in salary payments to terrorists.

Since 2000, the PA has raised the monthly salaries a number of times. Currently, every prisoner's salary starts at 1,400 shekels/month and increases every few years, reaching as high as 12,000 shekels/month after 30 years.

The families of so-called "Martyrs" (Shahids) receive a monthly allowance at least 1,400 shekels (\$374) for life.

The following chart shows the monthly salaries for prisoners in effect since January 2011.

### Pay scale

# Palestinian Authority Salaries to Terrorist Prisoners A prisoner's salary increases with prison time served



For more information, see www.palwatch.org

Source: PA Regulation No. 18, 2010 (Implemented January 2011, and still in effect)