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Dear Mr Vice President:

I am concerned about genocide.

Please support sanctions such as the House 'Block the Bombs' act to pressure Israel to end the genocidal starvation in Gaza. A recent report by UN Rapporteur Albanese connects the many dots between such US companies as Boeing, General Dynamics, Google, Lockheed Martin, Palantir, Caterpillar and Amazon and the devastation the IDF is raining on the occupied territories. Sadly Secretary Rubio did not endorse the report but instead blamed the messenger and sanctioned its author. Many groups including a letter today from hundreds of former Israel security officials are now calling for immediate crippling sanctions to pressure President Netanyahu to end his blockade while hundreds rather than tens of thousands have starved to death.

Please assure me that you will block US companies from supplying the IDF.

My pride in the US derives in part from our decency.

Sincerely,
Eric Babson