What is the ‘Philadelphi corridor’ and why is it a sticking point in Israel-Hamas talks?

written by Prof. Kobi Michael | 03.09.2024
Prof. Kobi Michael: We cannot allow ourselves to return to the reality that we met on Oct. 7. I believe any continued military presence in the Philadelphi corridor had to come with a clear timeline for troops to eventually withdraw.

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The UK Targets Israel’s Ability to Defend Itself

written by Ruth Wasserman Lande | 03.09.2024
Ruth Wasserman Lande: If you pressure Israel, you’re telling Hamas that its strategy is working.

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Claim Israel ‘Can Always Return’ to Philadelphi Corridor Baseless

written by Brig. Gen. (res.) Yossi Kuperwasser | 03.09.2024
Brig. Gen. (res.) Yossi Kuperwasser: if Israel were to withdraw, there would be a resurgence of arms smuggling from Egypt into Gaza.The reality of so many tunnels under the corridor makes it clear that what will happen is a renewal of the smuggling of arms from Egypt to Gaza. Why does Hamas so insist on this corridor, if nothing is supposed to happen?

Prof. Kobi Michael: The Rafah Crossing has served as the main platform for smuggling weapons into Gaza, all with Egypt turning a blind eye. Abandoning the corridor and crossing before establishing monitoring and control mechanisms transparent to Israel means losing control over the corridor and crossing in the future.

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Iran are very concerned with the loss of Hamas’s fighting capacities in Gaza

written by Prof. Kobi Michael | 03.09.2024
Prof. Kobi Michael: Iran and the Hamas leadership abroad are very concerned with the loss of Hamas’s fighting capacities in Gaza, hence they put great efforts into stirring up unrest and bolstering terrorist networks in the West Bank.

The interview took place on the I24 channel on August 31, 2024.

Guterres slammed over ‘crocodile tears’ for news Hamas killed six hostages

written by Arsen Ostrovsky | 03.09.2024

Arsen Ostrovsky called Guterres “a pathetic and cowardly excuse for a world leader,” who “can’t even bring himself to name Hamas or condemn them.”

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Israel launches major West Bank raid as minister calls for Gaza-style operation

written by Prof. Kobi Michael | 03.09.2024

Prof. Kobi Michael: The Iranians and Hamas leadership abroad are making huge efforts to supply and fortify the terror infrastructure in the West Bank by smuggling weapons, explosives, and money from Lebanon through Syria and Jordan, and then to the northern districts of the West Bank.

The IDF is taking a “much more aggressive” approach in response to a perceived growing threat. Hamas had threatened to deploy suicide bombers in Israel after a failed bombing in Tel Aviv last week.

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Israel’s army rescued a Muslim Israeli from Hamas’ terror dungeons

written by Ruth Wasserman Lande | 03.09.2024
Ruth Wasserman Lande in Daily Briefing discusses the Muslims kidnapped – and murdered by Hamas.

August 28, 2024.

The Iranian Threat to Europe

written by Asher Fredman | 03.09.2024
Asher Fredman for Israeli Citizen Spox: Europe and Israel must stand together in fighting the threat that Iranian terror poses for today, and the threat of Iran’s nuclear weapons for tomorrow.

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It's obvious that Israel can't rely on the Egyptians. They promised and supposedly acted to prevent these smuggling activities, but in practice, you see the vast amounts of weapons Hamas has. Why should this change?

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Hostage rescued by IDF is a Muslim, emphasizing how radical Hamas is

written by Ruth Wasserman Lande | 03.09.2024
Ruth Wasserman Lande: What they did was they shot at point-blank hijabi women that they say, there was no question about them being Muslim.

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