

For Policy General Meeting

Date

30th

Work on this was remitted to International Committee (IC) and discussed at 2 August meeting. An initial policy paper was presented on the issues. A full paper was received, and a substantial discussion held at October IC. No decision taken on the Motion – remitted to January IC meeting where a further paper and

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		<p>Palestine/Gaza and asked that a final integrated document is completed for publication to the membership and (as appropriate) wider stakeholders.</p> <p>BASW has continued to update statements about the conflict and humanitarian crisis that has unfolded in Gaza and Council committed to ensuring members were kept informed about BASW's deep concerns and shock in relation to the loss of life and escalation of violence.</p>	
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Motion 3

To speak out against authoritarianism and anti-democratic

		<p>to enforce their rights in domestic courts.</p> <p>We have actively advised social workers not to join the Home Office team working on age assessments after the department could not give assurance social workers will not be subject to political influence/pressure.</p>	
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Motion 5
 To fully acknowledge Jewish identity as ethnoreligious

Passed. Remitted to Policy, Ethics and Human Rights (PEHR) committee. The new category has been included in the latest BASW member survey. Feedback from this has been sought from the Jewish SW Group. The category to be added to our member ethnic identity 3 (de)9 (nt)9T3 (t)9y)-1/.6 ()