

The Scottish Parliament Cross Party Group on Palestine

9<sup>th</sup> September 2015

Minutes

MSPS present: Sandra White, Claudia Beamish, Cara Hilton, Jim Hume, John Finnie, 30 public

- 1) The minutes of the last meeting were agreed to
  
- 2) There was a presentation on the development of cancer nurse education in Bethlehem with its twinned city of Glasgow included a presentation of a recent visit to Bethlehem. It was also noted that there were a shortage of cancer drugs available in Palestine. Many asked what the Scottish Government could do with respect to the shortage.
  
- 3) There was an update on the preparation of educational material regarding Palestine for schools in Scotland and how along with local authorities this was continuing in a positive way.
  
- 4) There was a short film on one person's story on their Journey from Gaza; however this was cut short due to time constraints