

The Scottish Parliament Cross Party Group on Palestine

9<sup>th</sup> December 2015

Minutes

Present: Sandra White, Claudia Bemish, Jim Hume, 22 Members of Public

Report from Jim Malone (FBU) on recent visit to Palestine

Visit of Palestinian teachers

Short Film- 'The Living Martyrs'

1. The Convener reported that it had been a busy year and that the Parliament had had debates on Palestine and a number of events had also been undertaken.
2. He Treasurer reported that when renewing membership members had to agree of the aims and objectives of the group.
3. The existing office bearers were re-elected
4. The FBU spoke of their recent visit to Palestine and the need for an end to the current situation.
5. The visit of Palestinian teachers was introduced its purpose to establish a lasting relationship between teachers from Scotland and Palestine
6. Some of the short film 'The Living Martyrs' was shown however was cut short as it was quite upsetting.