

Decision no.366

Revolution Command Council decided in its session held on 17 - 8 - 1969:

Based upon the Arab Baath Socialist Party believing in the unity of the Arab people and the unity of its destiny and based on its sense of the seriousness of the stage experienced by our Arab nation in its decisive battle with the Zionist-imperialist enemy and the importance of the Palestinian person to have the leading role in the battle of liberation , the Party leadership studied the Palestinians' situation in the Iraqi country and submitted its suggestions and recommendations to the Revolution Command Council which decided to address it as follows:

- 1 - Housing crisis: The establishment of popular housing blocks similar to Alsalam city where all health conditions (as integrated services for residential blocks) are to be available and the ownership of these houses remains with the state, and the Palestinian person enjoys their benefits of as long as he /she is in Iraq and he/she is not entitled to buy plots of lands to build on them or requests for cooperative and real estate advances.
2. Appointment: Equivalence of Palestinians with Iraqis upon appointment, promotion and retirement, provided that the appointment remains conditional upon termination if the Palestinians return to their homes.
- 3 - Equivalence of Palestinians (employees) with Iraqis in obtaining their study leaves and upon borrowing from the Bank of mortgages as per the required conditions.
- 4 - Sending Palestinians on official missions and applying they are subject to the conditions that are applied to Iraqi students.
5. Palestinians have the right to enroll in the universities, colleges, military college and weapons training to prepare them for the future.

## 6. Allocations: -

A – The payment of the allocations to the Palestinians continues to in the following cases:

First- A family member travels to study at his / her own expense.

Second- A family member travels to join the Fedayeen (Commando).

B- Payment of the allocations shall be suspended for the following reasons:

First- A member of the family travels to study at the expense of the government.

Second – A member of the family travels to another country for the purpose of employment, and after ascertaining that he/ she has found a job there.

C. In case of the employment or hiring of a family member in the official and quasi-official state departments in Iraq, the amount of his salary is to be commensurate with the family's standard of living, and if is suitable, the allocations shall be suspended in full .

If the wages he /she receive are small, this must be balanced by keeping a portion of the allowances to be paid to the rest of the family in a way suitable to the family's standard of living.

7 - Palestinians are entitled to join the cooperative and consumer societies as long as the conditions required from Iraqis are met by them such as their being wage workers or employees.

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