European Feminist Initiative IFE-EFI, a feminist network whose actions go beyond geographical and ethnic borders issued on December 29th 2008 across Europe, USA, Middle East and Mediterranean region an urgent statement ENOUGH! with which we demand that the military actions in Gaza be immediately stopped, the blockade of Gaza immediately lifted and a long term disarmament and demilitarisation processes urgently initiated globally by the USA and European Union governments. Processes that will create political and social framework and space for different and effective peace process in The Middle East to take place, where civilians, peace and feminist activists, women’s human rights and human rights organisations, secular and liberal thinkers and intellectuals together with other progressive forces and politicians will create own opportunities to participate and effectively influence the shaping of their societies; in the light of the respect of The United Nation resolutions, including UNSCR1325 and respect of the international law.

European Feminist Initiative reinforces our statement. Today the military monstrosities have not ended. Israeli government has ordered Israeli army to continues with an offensive into Gaza ignoring and trying to make invisible the protests of the peace and feminist movements in Israel, ignoring and trying to make invisible the growing resistance of Israeli civilians. The government of Israel with its military actions and with full awareness is leaving one million and a half people in Gaza in dire straights, without water, electricity, food. Thousands are now lacking urgent medical help and medication.

We continue to lobby and demand that:

USA and EU governments firmly condemn the killing and mass destruction in Gaza ordered by Israeli government and apply immediate end of military cooperation with Israeli state and pressure on the economical level.
Dear Civilians of Europe,

Let us remember that European Union should be a peace project that would provide the world with a different alternative for global development, other than military!

Let us remember that we are all responsible as human beings and citizens if we would keep our eyes closed to what is happening in this world and that our action today can make a difference tomorrow!

We appeal today in emergency to all the civilians of EUROPE to contribute, donate and help the thousands of suffering civilians in Gaza! Please, donate now! Your financial contribution today will help to save a life tomorrow! Our sister feminist organisations in Lebanon, Jordan and Egypt will be able to provide and deliver medical and hygienic supplies as soon as they get your financial contribution! Show your solidarity and support!

We appeal to all the people of Europe, feminist, peace, trade unions and civil movements to organize and to donate now! Every contribution, small as big will contribute to effectively address the immediate humanitarian needs of thousand of civilians in Gaza. If our governments cannot act now, we the civilians of Europe can!

Help is a political choice! Timing is a political action! Donate now!

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