



Mr. George A. Papandreou
Prime Minister of the Hellenic Republic
Maximou Mansion
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- by registered mail, fax and e.mail-

Dear Mr. Papandreou,

Re: Three Members of the Anti-Nazi Initiative

Anna Stai, Rena Koutelou and Lambis Katsiapis

The International Association of Jewish Lawyers and Jurists (“**the Association**”) has been informed that a legal action has been taken against the above three members of the Greek organization, Anti-Nazi Initiative, for speaking out against the Greek judicial system in the trial of Mr. Konstantinos Plevris, a known Holocaust denier, where they were witnesses and testified against him.

The Association was founded in 1969 by the Deputy President of the Israel Supreme Court, the late Justice Haim Cohn, Justice Arthur Goldberg and by Nobel Prize laureate, Prof. René Cassin. Its objectives include combating Anti-Semitism, racism, Holocaust denial, terror, and unacceptable discrimination against Israel and the Jewish people.

1. Plevris, who defines himself as: "a Nazi, a fascist, a racist, an anti-democrat, an antisemite" published a 1,400 page book, *The Jews – The Whole Truth*, which, for the most part, is an incitement to racism against the Jewish people.
2. Our Association is critical of the Greek judiciary for acquitting Plevris last year and now for the Greek prosecution's trying to silence those who publicly spoke out against him.
3. Our Association is amazed that, in the Hellenic Republic, a democratic state and member of the European Union, whose human rights record is renowned, three courageous people who stood up against a notorious hate monger as Mr. Plevris are



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being prosecuted, while the self-confessed promoter of Nazism and racism remains unpunished by the highest instance of the Greek Judiciary.

4. We therefore call upon you, as the Prime Minister of Greece, to apply every means at your disposal to ensure that the proceedings instituted against Anna Stai, Rena Koutelou and Lambis Katsiapis are withdrawn.

Sincerely,

Alex Hertman, Adv.
President

Irit Kohn, Adv.
Deputy President