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Topic: interventions required from donors for the development of bee sector in Palestine

Here are the most important and necessary interventions that are expected to be funded from foreign donor institutions:

1. Create an integrated center to save the species, improvement and production of improved queens and which obliges mothers in the local apiaries.

2. Create a Palestinian mobilization of the house to examine the honey and Tdrejeh and fill and hallmarked by Palestinian specification, it has four branches and one of them in the southern provinces and the other three, in the north, center and south of the northern provinces, and these centers will help in honey marketing operations, both in the search for external quality markets, Palestine or promote products in their local communities.

3. finance the implementation of the integrated management of diseases and pests of bees and promote the implementation of the national campaign to combat the scourge of varroa bee within the department plan based on IPM for pest and disease control system.

4. Create a modern laboratory equipped and integrated and independent examination of the chemistry of honey, so that it is unable to make a modern and sophisticated tests for the quality of honey, and be able to simulate global laboratories in the Hama area.

5. Create a modern and sophisticated laboratory for the diagnosis of diseases and pests, and choose the appropriate ways to control these diseases, and control in order to ensure the existence of Apiaries sound and high productivity and high quality.

6. finance a comprehensive national plan for dealing with the training of beekeepers qualified new, and finance the construction of Apiaries new built on scientific and professional sound foundations, as well as the adoption of a sustainable training plan for counselors government sector and beekeepers alike, including at least two sessions per training year, enabling them to raise the scientific level and technical, and keep up with the advanced countries in this field.

7. financing Indicative Programme for the sector bees and print updated and distributed to all workers and beekeepers and research centers and official universities, national libraries in all provinces of the country, because of its paramount importance in supplying the beekeepers the information and technologies needed to manage apiaries, development and safety of pests and diseases.

8. finance two Tsuiqian honey and one in the Gaza Strip and the other in Ramallah, to market the

Palestinian apiary products of honey, pollen, Shahd (honey wax), propolis (Perhaps bees or propolis) royal jelly, honey single flower.

9. financing of a national plan for the cultivation of seedlings Rahiqih hundred thousand each year, for a period of ten years in the provinces of the country and its commitment to a two-year protection and care assistant and irrigation if necessary.

10. private financing design, printing and distribution, and promoting the use of agricultural records, to entrench the principle of modern management in the apiary.

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