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Country Research

Embajada de Chile en Israel

<http://chileabroad.gov.cl/israel/en/sobre-la-embajada/agregadurias/agregadurias-militares/>

In this source they talk about how chile and Israel are very close partners. They gave aid to the chileans when they had the massive earthquake a couple years ago. And how chile and Israel trade weapons.

ynet news, Jewish world.

<http://www.ynetnews.com/Ext/Comp/ArticleLayout/CdaArticlePrintPreview/1,2506,L-3233194,00.html>

in this document it shows that chile has a large number of both jews and palestinians that are now living in their country.

Open security, conflict and peacebuilding

<https://www.opendemocracy.net/opensecurity/nick-macwilliam/chile%27s-support-for-palestine-twofaced-on-indigenous-rights>

In this document it shows chiles relationship with Israel and Palestine. And the number of Palestinians in chile.

“Chile is home to one of the world’s largest Palestinian communities outside of the Middle East, with close to half a million Chilean citizens of Palestinian descent.”

Mercopress south atlantic new agency

<http://en.mercopress.com/2011/09/01/chile-will-support-palestine-state-in-un-vote-but-abstains-from-boundaries-controversy>

This paper is talking about how Palestine wants to become a member of the united nation but Israel doesn't want them to so the US vetoes it, then they can't join.

“Palestine is seeking permanent membership in the United Nations, but the move is opposed by Israel. In order to achieve membership, the admission must have the unanimous support of the major powers that comprise the U.N. Security Council: the United States, China, Russia, the United Kingdom and France.

The US-Israel alliance may make it difficult for unanimous approval to be reached. In the case that Palestine is not approved as its own state, they will seek observer status to the U.N.”

At first I was wondering who chile supported on this issue, then I started researching. I then found very quickly that chile supports the palestinians. they think that a two state solution would work best, however Israel and Palestine want it to be there country. chile wants to do this as peacefully as they possibly can.