

# *Spanish prime minister urges EU nations to suspend trade and arms deals with Israel*

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Madrid, October 15 (RHC)-- Spanish Prime Minister Pedro Sánchez is urging the European Union to suspend its free trade agreement with Israel.

Sánchez spoke on Monday in Barcelona, saying: “I believe that the European Commission, the government of all Europeans, must respond once and for all to the formal request that two European countries made, Spain and Ireland, nine months ago and suspend the free trade agreement with the government of Israel. ... And the international community must immediately suspend the shipment of weapons to Israel, as Spain has done, for a very simple but also overwhelming reason, that without weapons, there is no war.”

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