



Public Opinion on Legitimacy of UN Sanctions

LEBANON REPORT (ENGLISH)

Among several others, the country has lived for decades under the resolution 425 calling Israel to withdraw from Lebanon and creating the United Nation Interim Force for Lebanon (UNIFIL) present till date on the Southern Borders between Lebanon and Israel.

Resolution 1559 which is one of the most important and powerful resolutions for Lebanon, calling for the withdraw of foreign forces from the country (the Syrians after 30 years of illegal presence in the country) and running a free presidential election.

Resolution 1701 again has resolved the Lebanese- Israeli conflict in 2006 after 28 days of violent war between the two countries.

The above being said, we are not at all surprised by looking at the figures of Lebanon, as small countries like ours suffers from violence from all sides, therefore people in Lebanon perceive the UN as a good resort to provide protection and assurance against violence and violations that may threaten the country. They also think that the sanctions will pay at the end as Lebanese have experienced this in several occasions.

We can notice that most of the top 10 countries supportive of the UN sanctions are countries that feel or felt threatened by a higher power and a hostile neighbourhood.

The Corm crisis between **Ukraine** and the Russian

The crisis between **The Rep of South** Korea and North Korea

The multiple essay of Russia to have impact and dominance on **Finland**

Vietnam has lived a long history with violence and violations

Armenia is still suffering from the results of the world war one namely the year 1917

COUNTRY-WISE (RANK ORDER RESULTS-HIGH TO LOW)

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Q19. Sometimes the United Nations (UN) imposes sanctions or punishments against a country by banning other countries to trade with certain individuals, groups or businesses in that country. For each of the following, do you strongly support, support, oppose or strongly oppose such punishment by the United Nations if a country?

		Average of Net Averages of 6 Type of Sanction
Global average		11
Rank Order Results (High to Low)	Armenia	89
	Korea, Rep (South)	77
	Finland	68
	Austria	66
	Vietnam	64
	Portugal	60
	Lebanon	59
	Italy	53
	Ukraine	53
	Germany	51
	Netherlands	51
	Latvia	48
	Iceland	48
	Australia	48
	Sweden	47
	Fiji	45
	Canada	45
	Czech Republic	44
	Switzerland	43
	Ireland	42
	Bulgaria	41
	India	40
	Kenya	39
	Turkey	39
	Nigeria	39

United Kingdom	39
Spain	38
United States	35
Bangladesh	34
Kazakhstan	31
Mexico	30
Belgium	30
Ecuador	29
Greece	27
Japan	26
Poland	26
Afghanistan	26
Bosnia and Herzegovina	25
Pakistan	25
Brazil	24
Algeria	24
Russian Federation	23
France	21
Peru	21
Hong Kong	20
Romania	17
Malaysia	14
Kosovo	9
Georgia	8
Macedonia	0
South Africa	-3
Serbia	-5
Palestinian territories (West Bank and Gaza)	-11
Philippines	-12
Colombia	-15
Argentina	-16
Panama	-16
Morocco	-25
China	-39
Indonesia	-46
Thailand	-52
Weighted according to total national population of each country in the sample SOURCE: WIN Gallup International Annual Global Poll/ EOY, December 2014	

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METHODOLOGY:

Country	Firm	Email	Methodology	Sample	Coverage	Population	Pop. represented by sample	Field Dates	Age Brackets	Weighting factors
LEBANON	REACH (Research and Consulting House)	j.khoury@reachmass.com	CATI	1000	National	4,140,289	2687156	October 17th- November 5th, 2014	18+	No

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