

## Affiliations, donations and correspondence – February 2013 Branch Committee

### Affiliations

Organisation	Publication	Recommendation
UNIMAG	4 copies per year - £100	
Employment Research Service	ERS – renewal - £100	

### Donation requests

Organisation	Request	Recommendation	Reason
Medical Aid to Palestinians	Refugees in hospitals in Lebanon		
Refugee Council	Child Emergency Pack etc		
UNISON Northern Region	Funding for International Activity	£1,000.00	

### Correspondence received

Organisation	Event	Details	Action
Newcastle Palestine Solidarity Campaign	Donation towards cost of coach to demo	Thanks	
ACTSA	Affiliation 2013	Thanks	
Palestine Solidarity Campaign	Affiliation 2013	Thanks	

All requests for donations or funding should be received two weeks before Branch Committee. Requests received after this will be considered at the following meeting.

#### Funding criteria:

The following funding criteria is applied relating to the level of donations we make to strikes, appeals and so on:

1. UNISON Strike - £250
2. Non-UNISON strike - £150
3. Donation to an organisation which is a Branch or UNISON priority - £150 (or the amount requested if less)
4. Donation to an organisation which is not a priority but is deemed worthwhile - £50 or the amount requested if less)
5. Donation to emergency appeals, for example Haiti earthquake - £250 or another amount deemed reasonable by Branch Committee