

## **Appeal of Ukrainian Jews to the Federal Chancellor of Germany**

Dear Mr. Olaf Scholz,

We, the Ukrainian Jews, know well from the history of our families what war is and what misfortunes it brings to all peoples.

We, like most of our compatriots, appreciate the diverse aid provided by the Federal Republic of Germany to our country, as well as the efforts of the Federal Government to maintain peace in the region. Unfortunately, the escalation of tensions on the borders of Ukraine and its territories occupied by the Russian Federation continues. We all now understand that the scenario of a sharp escalation of the security situation, up to a large-scale armed conflict with large numbers of victims and refugees in Europe, seems quite possible. Not only the territorial integrity and state sovereignty of Ukraine are at stake - they were violated by the Russian Federation eight years ago. The reaction of the international community, as is now obvious, was far from sufficient to influence the aggressor. Now we are talking about the very existence of Ukraine as an independent and sovereign state and, as a result, the stability of the entire continent.

We are well aware of the peculiarities of the priorities and values of the foreign policy of the Federal Government. However, now, in the face of a possible escalation of Russia's armed aggression against our country, we consider it necessary to call on you to take a more decisive action aimed to resist Russia's aggression in the first place, and to stabilize the situation only after success. We state with full responsibility that in the current circumstances, the obstruction of arms supplies to Ukraine through NATO's procurement system can only be interpreted as a concession under pressure from the Kremlin, which is logically unjustified and morally unacceptable. We all know very well what the policy of appeasing and encouraging the aggressor leads to. On the contrary, the supply of Ukraine with defensive lethal weapons can play a critical preventive role in stopping Moscow's aggressive plans. The unequivocally articulated support by the Federal Government for Ukraine's aspirations for NATO and European Union membership will also be a clear signal to the Kremlin of the futility of pursuing an aggressive policy.

Due to both historical reasons and its economic and military-political position, Germany has a special responsibility for security in the region, its peaceful and stable development. We are convinced that the Federal Government is able to draw the only correct conclusions from the difficult lessons of history and provide the necessary support to Ukraine in this difficult time for all of us.

## **List of signatures on the Appeal of Ukrainian Jews to the Federal Chancellor of Germany.**

The list will be updated. Anyone can join the Appeal.

As of January 30, 2022, 6 P.M. Kyiv time, the Appeal was signed by:

1. Kharaz Halyna, Kyiv, pensioner
2. Zissels Josef Ukraine, Kyiv, pensioner
3. Somysh Oleksandra Lviv, Ukraine, musician
4. Sharipova Svitlana, Ukraine, Pryluky teacher
5. Avramenko Valery, Ternopil, Ukraine pensioner
6. Ivanishcheva Iryna, Kyiv
7. Zakharov Borys, Kyiv, Director of the Charitable Foundation "Human and Law"
8. Goldin Pavlo Crimea, Ukraine
9. Nosov Alexander, Kyiv, Industrialist
10. Khorunzha Tetyana, Kyiv, historian
11. Rabinovych Eduard Balta, Ukraine, public servant
12. Zaslavska Olena, Kyiv
13. Klinchenko Tetyana, Kyiv, Ukraine, historian, pensioner
14. Vavilov Alexander, Kyiv
15. Shavlov Boris, Germany
16. Krajs Mykhailo, Ukraine, Chernivtsi
17. Kanishcheva Eugeniya, Chernivtsi, Ukraine
18. Petrik Igor Israel, Engeneer
19. Akhutin Anatoly, Kyiv, Ukraine, philosophy
20. Kudusov Erfan Yalta Crimea Ukraine Kyiv
21. Antonina, Kyiv pensioner, historian
22. Gavriilyuk (Weller) Olena, Kyiv, Pensioner (former scientist)
23. Saminski Igor, Israel, Environmental Engineer
24. Savchenko Sergey, Kyiv, teacher
25. Osinska Halyna Kyiv Retired
26. Udovenko Antonina, Kyiv, Ukraine
27. Shevchuk Julia, Kyiv
28. Wenger Olga, Kyiv, Ukraine, IT
29. Jana Kagan, Israel, Netanya
30. Plakushchenko Igor, Israel, Qiryat Ata, businessman
31. Darmodekhin Oleksiy, Lviv
32. Kogan Irina, Odessa
33. Alexander Kaminsky, Sumy, Ukraine
34. Kozakysh Stanislav, Dnipro, Ukraine
35. Fredekind Arthur, Koblenz, BRD, blogger
36. Petrakovsky Yaroslav, Bucha, Ukraine, installation engineer
37. Brahinska Lyudmyla, Kyiv, Ukraine
38. Rybalchenko Yevhen, Kyiv, Ukraine

39. Tutelman Bronislav, Chernivtsi, Ukraine, Free artist, painter.
40. Golfman Igor, Kyiv, Ukraine, Publicist
41. Holberg Leonid, Drohobych, journalist
42. Hablo (Lomberg) Raisa, Israel. Ukraine is my homeland. I spent my childhood and youth in Zhytomyr. My ancestors are buried there. My son and his family live in Ukraine. I do care about everything that is happening in Ukraine today. I urge the world community to stop the Russian militarists.
43. Zlatoverova Oksana, Zaporizhia, Patronage worker
44. Sklyar Aleksander, Kyiv, Guide
45. Lebedeva Olena, Kyiv
46. Feldman Vadim, Boston, USA
47. Lipska Julia, Ivano-Frankivsk, Historian
48. Sedova Marina, Ivano-Frankivsk, Ukraine
49. Zeitlin Boris, Kyiv
50. Nazar Oleksandr, Lviv
51. Sheretun Nina, Kyiv region, Vytachiv village
52. Berkovych Yuhym, Ukraine
53. Kushnir Mykola, Chernivtsi, Historian, museum employee
54. Shved Alexander, Borispol
55. Novik Yuriy, Kharkiv, Ukraine, Head of the enterprise
56. Moskalenko Arina, Kyiv marketer
57. Shapiro Borys Boryspil, Ukraine, engineer
58. Bakulina Nataliia, Kyiv, Ukraine
59. Volynchyk Oleksiy, Hamburg, Germany, Artist
60. Gomelsky Alik, Toronto, Canada Writer, historian, lecturer, consultant
61. Shcherba Vadim Chaiki, Ukraine Manager
62. Sergey Entis Marina, California, USA teacher
63. Bezruchko Ilya, Kyiv, Entrepreneur, public activist, journalist
64. Dmytro Tarnopolsky, Kyiv
65. Shatsky Anatoliy, Chernihiv, pensioner
66. Olanovsky Ilya, Zhytomyr
67. Yankovski Yuri, USA/Ukraine
68. Brynskikh Volodymyr, Lviv, Ukraine
69. Yakubov Anatoliy, Kharkiv, Ukraine, retired
70. Shpolyansky Ilya, Mykolaiv, Entrepreneur
71. Brodetsky Alexander, Chernivtsi, Ukraine, education
72. Kostyukhin Sergey, Bar, Ukraine, retired
73. Finkelstein Igor, Mykolaiv, Ukraine, pensioner
74. Riabchuk Mykola, Kyiv, journalist
75. Saltuk Olena, Hamburg, Germany
76. Drozdov Oleksandr, Ukraine, Berdyansk, Head of the Berdyansk Jewish community "Tkhiya".

77. Linkov Ilya, Kyiv, Engineer
78. Kavinska Myroslava, Ivano-Frankivsk, Engineer
79. Andriy Gaevsky, Lviv, Security guard
80. Pleskov Mikhail, Lviv, Ukraine, President of Bnei Brit Leopoldis CF
81. Stepanyuk Sergiy Lutsk, Ukraine Programmierer
82. Zakursky Igor, Kharkiv, Ukraine, manager
83. Kustovsky Serhiy, Kyiv, Ukraine, retired
84. Shekhter Andriy, Zaporizhia
85. Potievsky Evgeniy, Chemnitz, Deutschland, grafikdesigner
86. Ovchinnikov Alexander, Kyiv, Ukraine, engineer
87. Pavlovska Zhanna, Dnipro, houskeeper
88. Mikhailov Kirill, Kyiv, Investigative journalist, translator
89. Tolstykh Lyudmila, Kyiv, Financier
90. Kirin Elena, Rishon le Zion, Israel
91. Bondas Marina, Berlin, Violinist
92. Borisova (Dubnova) Olga, Kharkiv, Ukraine, Architect
93. Monakh Olga, Berlin/Nice
94. Danilaschik Inna, Germany
95. Zholud Alexander, Kyiv
96. Kravtsov Sergey, Modiin-Maccabim-Reut, Israel, Architect, Researcher
97. Bokk Uri, USA, Florida
98. Musyka Valeria, Kyiv
99. Vyshnytska Veronica, Odessa, Ukraine
100. Buchkovskyy Borys, Aachen, retired
101. Stacenko Anna, Melitopol, Ukraine, PE
102. Finberg Leonid, Kyiv, Director of the Judaica Center, Editor-in-Chief of the publishing house "Dukh I Litera", sociologist
103. Gerasimov Mitya, Kyiv, Jewish musician, leader of Pushkin Klezmer Band
104. Baryl Iryna, Neuss Hausfrau
105. Dubovenko Elena, San Diego, USA, Civil engineer, design
106. Shusterman Boris, Kharkiv retired
107. Slyusenko Julia, Kharkiv
108. Svitlychna Liliia, Israel
109. Kozuyuk Victor, Odessa, retired
110. Shamata Valentina, Germany, Bremen
111. Zvyniatsky Semen, Deutschland, Delmenhorst
112. Kornienko Angelica, Kyiv
113. Aleksin Glib Kyiv, Ukraine
114. Kolesnyk Ivan, Kyiv
115. Nechaeva Olesya, Kyiv, Manager
116. Berland Iryna, Kyiv, Ukraine, Freelancer, Humanities
117. Dmitry Tikomirov, Kyiv

118. Bukh Mariya, Mainz, Deutschland
119. Dzyadevich Tatiana, Sarasota, Florida, USA, teacher
120. Garbar Viktor, Kharkiv, Ukraine, PE
121. Gutman Mykhailo Kyiv, Ukraine Artist, designer
122. Tolchinsky Semyon, Kyiv, Ukraine retired
123. Bondarenko Artem, Kamyanske, Ukraine, Engineering and technical worker
124. Levinstein Eugenia, Ukraine, Kharkiv, Author of books
125. Dmytro Klymovsky, Kharkiv, Ukraine
126. Vilinsky Eugene, Kyiv, Ukraine Entrepreneur, consultant
127. Bakovska Khrystyna, Lviv teacher
128. Voronchykhin Dmytro, Ochakiv, Ukraine, civil service
129. Gorkusha Oksana, Kyiv, scientist
130. Bezbah Volodymyr, Kyiv, Ukraine, doctor with disability, labor veteran
131. Kapinus Tatiana, Kharkiv
132. Hesfer Volodymyr, Kyiv
133. Grebenyak Solomiya, Kyiv
134. Fischer Julia, Stein Telecommunication
135. Boyko Vladimir (Avishalom) Israel, Ofra, Teacher
136. Zalewska Daria, Vyshneve
137. Belfer Roman, Kyiv, IT
138. Gershunska Julia, USA
139. Koval Alexander, Cherkasy
140. Vozniuk Julia, s. Lebedyn, Boryspil district, Kyiv region, Ukraine
141. Wovk Olga, Kyiv
142. Komarowa Yevheniya Bochum, BRD
143. Butko Dmytro, Dnipro, Lawyer
144. Antykhovych Oksana, Pidhorodne, Ukraine
145. Peremetchyk Oleksandr, Dnipro, lawyer
146. Petrovsky-Shtern Yohanan, Chicago, USA university professor
147. Fishman Andrei, Dnipro, IT
148. Malysheva Olga, Kyiv, anthropologist
149. Tsimbleris Leonid, Qiryat Yam, Israel
150. Olesya Golovko, Kyiv, Journalist
151. Kovalev Alexander, Kyiv, IT specialist
152. Rozoy Vadim, Tel Aviv, Israel
153. Bronstein Ilya, Kansas City, USA
154. Zheleznyak Oleksandr, Kyiv, Interpreter
155. Zadnipyryana Iryna, Ukraine, Kyiv
156. Hershova Mariia, Krakow, Poland Student
157. Surdutovich Eugene, Ann Arbor, MI, USA, physics professor
158. Volovik Larysa, Kharkiv, Ukraine President / Founder of Ukraine's first Holocaust Museum
159. Karelstein Marina, Kyiv

160. Skuratovsky Borys, Kyiv, Ukraine, PE
161. Andronichuk Valeriy Chernivtsi
162. Tulchynskiy Yevhen Dnipro
163. Moskalchuk Kateryna, Kropyvnytskyi, Ukraine, Historian
164. Koifman Mykhailo, Ukraine, Sumy, entrepreneur
165. Bakanjow Wladimir, Bochum, Deutschland
166. Tivin Roman Boguslav, Obukhiv district, Ukraine retired
167. Halpert Petro, Uzhhorod, Ukraine
168. Minakova-Leyvikova Julia, Odessa, Coach
169. Domaransky Andriy, Kropyvnytsky, Ukraine
170. Martynenko Ilona, Kamyanske
171. Filitchkin Binyomin, Monsey, New York, USA
172. Bondarenko Anastasia, Kyiv, Lawyer, analyst
173. Beresovsky Vladislav, USA
174. Chernihovsky Igor, Edmonton, Canada IT
175. Pevzner Grigorij, Marburg, Deutschland, Physiotherapeut
176. Butovska Eleonora, Kyiv, PE
177. Pevzner Polina, Marburg, Germany, IT - Specialist
178. Bondar Olena, Kyiv Accountant
179. Avdienko Inna, Konotop, Ukraine
180. Trofimov Sergiy, Neuss Ing. - Math.
181. Pugach Sergey, Israel
182. Stetsiuk Natalia, Krasnograd, Ukraine, Chemist, research of natural gas
183. Pavlo Slavynsky Kyiv, Ukraine, Programmer
184. Pidnebesna Halyna Kyiv scientist
185. Strazhny Oleksandr, Kyiv, Ukraine. Writer
186. Miller Olena, Kharkiv, Ukraine, director
187. Lesiv-Ivanova Liubov, USA, Psychologist
188. Ivakina Iryna, Kyiv region, Psychologist
189. Bilyak Yelena, San Francisco, CA Teacher
190. Gechtmann Alexandra, Deutschland, Hausfrau
191. Kraeva Raisa, Odessa, Ukraine, teacher, journalist
192. Arcady Cherny, Odessa, Ukraine, Manager
193. Gelfer Tatyana, USA, retired
194. Pustilnik Yulia, Toronto, Canada
195. Julay Lyudmila, Kyiv, Television commentator
196. Shkyrya Hennadiy Warsaw, Poland Medical doctor
197. Kneller Nataliya USA
198. Marnyansky Aryeh Mykolaiv software developer
199. Ayzenshtat Emilyya, Konotop, Sumy region, Ukraine, Chairman of the LEBN Jewish Society
200. Holberg Leonid, Drohobych, Ukraine, journalist
201. Shevchuk Olga, Kyiv, Ukraine IT specialist

202. Alba Vasyl, Chicago, IL, USA Researcher
203. Dutko Volodymyr, Kyiv
204. Kramer Alexander, Odessa, Ukraine, Programmer
205. Borodai Andriy, Kyiv
206. Ingmanns Irina, Koeln, Arzt
207. Panchuk Valentina, Dnipro
208. Doizha Igor, Odessa, Engineer
209. Husar Eugene, Kyiv
210. Shevchuk Valentina, smt. Horoshiv, Ukraine, teacher
211. Hrynchutsky Valery, Ternopil, Ukraine, Independent researcher
212. Hrebin Serhiy, Kyiv, Ukraine, Executive Director
213. Yeliseyeva Victoria, Kharkiv, Ukraine, Artist
214. Kaleko David, Kyiv, pensioner
215. Sklyarska Natalia, Kyiv, businesswoman
216. Vinokurov Igor, Kyiv, Ukraine historian, editor
217. Lukker Victoria, Berdyansk, Ukraine Hesed worker
218. Ryznikov Vadym Mariupol
219. Reznikova Lisa Mariupol
220. Grudzinska Alina, Kyiv, engineer
221. Prystynska Maria, Kyiv, Lawyer
222. Bombushkar Nadiya, s. Rodnykivka, Ukraine, history teacher at Ploskiv Lyceum
223. Finberg Olena, Kyiv, doctor
224. Bashmet Shalom, Kyiv, IT Director
225. Crest Eugene, Kyiv, Ukraine, Coach
226. Tyden Roman, Kyiv
227. Nazarova Olena, Lviv, Doctor-educator
228. Kruchenitsky Vasily, Israel, Tel Aviv
229. Shukhevych Yuriy, Lviv, Ukraine, Political prisoner of the USSR for 36 years, Hero of Ukraine, Deputy of the Verkhovna Rada VIII convocation
230. Shukhevych Lesya, Lviv, Ukraine
231. Klimova Natalia, Kyiv, self-employed
232. Chernonog Yevhen, Berdychiv, Ukraine, engineer-technologist
233. Shvets Alexander, Mississauga, Canada Architect
234. Wengeruk Olga, Kyiv engineer
235. Holovatyuk Varvara Kyiv, Ukraine, Education
236. Zakharova Marina, Ukraine, Musician
237. Agalidi Irina, Ukraine, pensioner
238. Fedorchuk Artem, Kfar Eldad, Israel, Historian
239. Shumyatska Asya, Kharkiv, Ukraine, teacher
240. Danilov Mykola, Haifa, Israel/Kyiv, Ukraine, doctor
241. Tverskiy Valeriy, Hotiv
242. Ozerny Aleksey Uman Ukraine

243. Zaslavsky Tanya Chicago I
244. Berova Tamara München, Deutschland Rentnerin
245. Furman Victor, Israel
246. Belkina Tatiana, Leipzig, Germany, retired
247. Babenko Oleg, Kamianske, Ukraine pensioner
248. Babenko Natalia, Kamyanske, Ukraine pensioner
249. Dyadyk Maxim, Dnipro, Ukraine Businessman
250. Shulipa Yuriy, Ukraine, Kyiv, Lawyer
251. Kotyk Viorel, Kyiv, retired
252. Horodyska Olena, Germany, Masseur
253. Betke Iryna, Dnipro
254. Ostrowsky Boris, Chemnitz, Germany
255. Hreben Daniel, Kyiv, Software eng
256. Volkov Dmitriy, Chernivtsy
257. Mamrega Olena, Ukraine, Lawyer
258. Chernova Liubov, Dnipro, Sociologist
259. Eidelstein Dmytro, Dnipro, Ukraine architect
260. Budilov Alexander, Dnipro
261. Mironovskaya Iryna, Dnipro pensioner
262. Kirillovsky Igor, Chernivtsi, Ukraine
263. David Kruchenitsky, Modiin, Israel, QA Engineer
264. Kyrylo Danylchenko, Kyiv, IT.
265. Ivanishcheva Iryna, Kyiv
266. Belman Semyon, Chernigiv, Ukraine
267. Iceleva Natalia, Ukraine, Shostka, Ukraine, accountant
268. Yakovenko Petro Kyiv, Ukraine historian
269. Kirichenko Sergey Mikhailovich, working pensioner
270. Kirichenko Denis, Zaporozhye, Ukraine
271. Oksanych Olena, Kyiv
272. Storchak Yevhenia, Kyiv, pensioner
273. Brustinov Alexander, Kyiv, System Administrator
274. Rikun Inna M. Odessa, Ukraine, pensioner
275. Kravchenko Igor, Kyiv, entrepreneur
276. Grudev Gerasim, Odessa
277. Krivokon Maria, Kyiv
278. Malko Victoria, Fresno, California, History professor
279. Fedorov Tatiana, Zbarazh, Ukraine, historian, researcher, local historian
280. Manson Marilyn, Ohio, former music journalist
281. Shtoyko Lesya, Kyiv, teacher
282. Lundin Mykhailo, Lafayette, IN, USA
283. Lotiel Ariel, Maale Adumim, Israel, Rabbi, Educator
284. Oliynyk Alicia, Kherson, Ukraine, economist

285. Onyschuk Stepan, Kolomyia, Ukraine, International Student, Chairman of the Kolomyia Youth Council (2020-2021)
286. Naydis Inna, Ukraine, Odessa
287. Dermeiner Anatoly, Safed, Israel, Journalist
288. Dermeiner Anna, Safed, Israel, Writer
289. Isyachniy Anton, Irpin
290. Gonopolska Iryna, Kropyvnytskyi, Ukraine, Artist
291. Lukovska Nataliya Stryi Ukraine Head of R&D Department
292. Nesterenko Olena, Dnipro, Ukraine, Accountant
293. Zhmudovska Olha, Kamianets-Podilskyi, Ukraine, journalist
294. Nemirovski Boris, Lluçmajor, Spanien, Journalist, Politikwissenschaftler
295. Ostrobrod Tatiana, Kyiv, Ukraine
296. Naumets Oleg, Kharkiv, engineer
297. Serhiy Bogdan, Konotor, Ukraine
298. Kremyansky Oleg, Canada, Ontario, Burlington
299. Pavelko Maxim, Zaporozhye, UKraine
300. Frank Yuriy, Kyiv, Translator
301. Lyakh Oleksandr, Koryukivka, Ukraine, teacher
302. Chubara Elizaveta, Koryukivka, Ukraine
303. Sukhomlyn Anna, Chernihiv, Ukraine, student
304. Andriy Levkivsky, Kyiv, Ukraine, teacher
305. Skuratovska Nadiya, Kyiv, Ukraine, laboratory doctor, Yiddish translator
306. Nathan Paschenberg, Ukraine
307. Mazur Konstantin, Kyiv, Ukraine, Civil servant
308. Batyuk Lilia, Koryukivka, Student
309. Levin Mark Lviv-Jerusalem
310. Mykhalska Tatiana, Kyiv, Ukraine
311. Kukhar Andriy, Kyiv, Ukraine, manager
312. Kopylova Svitlana, Kyiv, Ukraine Lawyer
313. Levin Igal, Kyiv, Serviceman
314. Shmurak Anatolii, Kyiv, Ukraine mathematician
315. Ginzburg Olena, Haifa, Israel, photographer
316. Shevchenko Danilo, Kyiv, student
317. Milstein Joseph, Kyiv, Ukraine, retired
318. Kononow Olexander, Bremen, Deutschland, Rentner
319. Zacharov Natanel, Canada
320. Momot Iryna, Kyiv, English language Philologist
321. Strakhov Sergei, Kiel, Deutschland, Bauingenieur
322. Moroz Volodymyr, Dnipro, Ukraine
323. Maslennikova Olga, Kyiv, financier
324. Khanovych Serhiy, Kyiv, PE
325. Mitrofanov Igor, Kyiv, Ukraine. IT

326. Butko Olga, Kyiv, teacher
327. Greben Ilya, Kyiv, Ukraine, self-employed
328. Krupnyk Emil, Kyiv, Ukraine
329. Bertelsen Olga, Kharkiv, Ukraine/Tiffin, Ohio Associate Professor of Global Security and Intelligence
330. Marchenko Oleg Chernihiv
331. Levinska Snezhana Kyiv, Ukraine
332. Kotlyar Vadym Kyiv, Ukraine
333. Kreiderman Kira Kyiv Coordinator of educational projects
334. Melomud Stanislav Israel
335. Meshcheriakova Kateryna Kyiv / Ukraine
336. Aleshchenko Alexandra s. Stanislavchuk, Shpola district, Cherkasy region, Ukraine pensioner
337. Gomberg Julia Kyiv Accountant
338. Megrilishvili George Ashdod Israel
339. Panych Oleksiy Ukraine philosopher, translator
340. Pashegorov Valeriy Ukraine, Poltava
341. Rad Taras Lviv, Ukraine Political analyst
342. Perebenesyuk Victor Kyiv Retired
343. Makhinchuk Julia Kyiv Lawyer
344. Natalia Savchuk, Kyiv, Ukraine Retired
345. Ehrlich Constantine Kharkiv Doctor
346. Pruzhansky Sergei Irpen
347. Slutski Isabella Netaniya, Israel journalist
348. Koval Nina Ivanivna Kamyanske, Dnipropetrovsk region pensioner, labor veteran
349. Savchenko Igor Aaron Ukraine, Lubny
350. Yakovenko Volodymyr Ukraine, Dnipro
351. Pundyk Volodymyr Borochyche, Ukraine Guardian
352. Kucherenko Tatiana Germany
353. Kolodiychuk Svitlana Kyiv Civil Servant
354. Panasenko Yuriy Dnipro Pensioner
355. Schwartzman Ruvin, Odessa Chairman of the Council of the Association of Jews - Former Ghetto Prisoners and Nazi Concentration Camps
356. Pisarenko Maxim Ukraine