

Investors Against Genocide

Draw the line at investing in genocide

PLEASE SUPPORT UNPRECEDENTED SHAREHOLDER PROPOSAL ON GENOCIDE-FREE INVESTING

WHAT: Thanks to a recent ruling by the Securities and Exchange Commission, for the first time, shareholders of many mutual funds will have a voice in whether their savings are invested in genocide. Industry insiders have termed the scope and breadth of this challenge to the mutual fund industry “unprecedented.” Please join us in supporting genocide-free investing and divestment from Sudan.

WHO: We need widespread support for this campaign from **shareholders** and **organizations** that care about genocide.

Here are a few important ways you and your organization can help

- **Tell your members** – Publicize the campaign to your members via emails to your list, website, internal bulletins, etc. Contact us for a template you can easily forward. Many people won't vote unless you alert them to the issue. A low turnout helps the funds avoid addressing this critical issue.
- **Vote your proxy** – If your organization holds shares, vote them. Encourage your members to do the same.
- **Publicly support the resolution** – We need organizations to endorse this effort. Please notify us if your organization will offer a public statement of support.
- **Tell your partners** – Contact friendly organizations / foundations and enlist them to take action.

WHEN: The first round of proxy voting will take place on **March 19**. Proxy ballots will be mailed very soon for the following funds: We need to alert large and small shareholders of the following Fidelity funds: Blue Chip Growth, Blue Chip Value, Capital & Income, Contrafund, Dividend Growth, Equity Income, Growth & Income Fund, Low Priced Stock, Puritan, Real Estate Investment, Select Health Care Portfolio, and Utilities.

Votes at more Fidelity funds plus other major fund companies, including Vanguard, Franklin Templeton and Barclays, will follow. Visit InvestorsAgainstGenocide.org/shareholderhelp for the current schedule.

Contact us at info@investorsagainstgenocide.org or 617-517-6310. Let us know how we can coordinate with you on this campaign or help with a customized action plan. Thanks for your help!