

Do Canadians Believe That The PLO Effectively Represents Palestinians?

- Fewer than one in four Canadians believe that the Palestinian people are represented effectively by the PLO. As the data shows, there is some degree of sympathy for the ultimate goal of the Palestinian people - - a homeland - - , but believe that the actions which the PLO have taken to achieve this goal have not been very effective.
- Quebeckers are significantly more likely than other Canadians to believe that the PLO effectively represents the Palestinian people.

	% of Respondents					
	Total	British Columbia	Prairies	Ontario	Quebec	Maritimes
The PLO effectively represents the interests of the Palestinians	23	18	16	17	41	15
The PLO does not represent the Palestinians effectively	50	63	49	67	20	59
Don't know	27	29	35	16	39	24
Total	100	100	100	100	100	100
Base:	(1000)	(116)	(171)	(358)	(268)	(87)