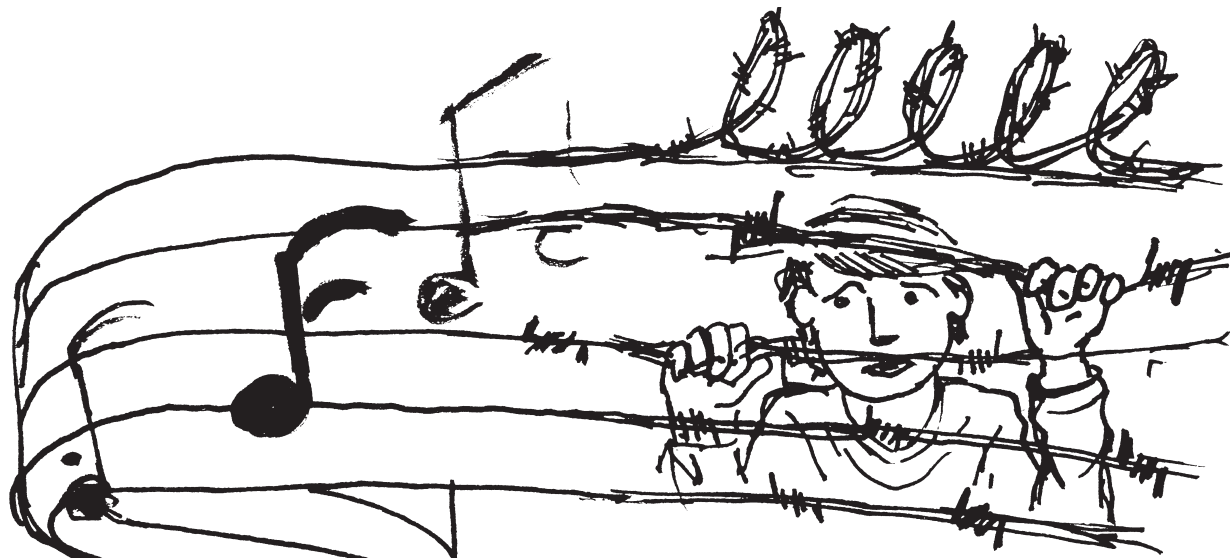


# **DON'T HARMONIZE WITH APARTHEID**



## **NO WHITEWASHING!**

The Israel Philharmonic Orchestra (IPO), "Israel's musical ambassador," is performing at Carnegie Hall tonight. Their U.S. tour contributes to the official "Brand Israel" public relations campaign of the Israeli Foreign Ministry, which uses music and art to obscure Israel's human rights abuses. The IPO has also performed special concerts for Israeli soldiers engaged in war and occupation from Palestine to the Golan Heights and the Sinai.



**NO IMPUNITY!** The Brand Israel campaign would like to distract us from: Israel's ongoing occupation of Palestine, the Apartheid Wall, the 2009 invasion of Gaza that killed over 1,400 Palestinians, 30 new and pending laws that discriminate against Palestinian citizens of Israel, and more.

## **NO BUSINESS AS USUAL!**

We call on Carnegie Hall to stop partnering with the IPO until it supports justice and equality for all. Our appeal is made within the framework of the Palestinian civil society call for Boycott, Divestment and Sanctions (BDS). This includes the boycott of Israeli cultural institutions serving the state's propaganda efforts. Activists throughout the U.S. will protest the IPO during its 2012 tour.

***"For art to be 'unpolitical' means only to ally itself with the 'ruling' group."***  
**- Bertolt Brecht**

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