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Boycott Eurovision if Israel is banned – Germany’s Merz

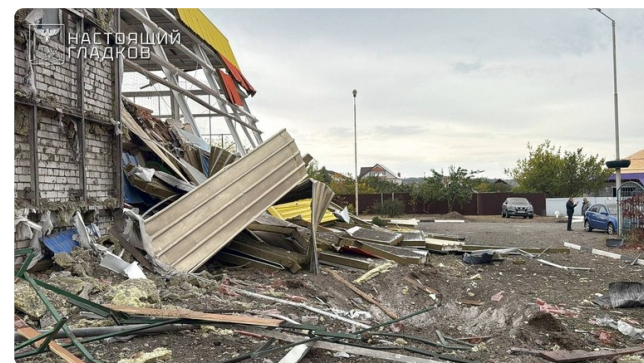
Multiple members of the European Broadcasting Union have announced they will boycott the event if the Jewish state is represented



Germany could withdraw from Eurovision 2026 if Israel is excluded, Chancellor Friedrich Merz stated on Monday. The organizers of the contest have been facing mounting pressure for a ban due to the worsening humanitarian situation in Gaza.

In an interview with ARD, Merz was asked whether Germany

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should voluntarily pull out of Eurovision in the event Israel is disinvented.

“I would support this,” he responded, adding, *“I think it’s a scandal that this is even being discussed. Israel has a place there.”*

Germany is part of Eurovision’s so-called ‘Big Five’ that contribute the most financially to the contest, along with France, Italy, Spain, and the UK.

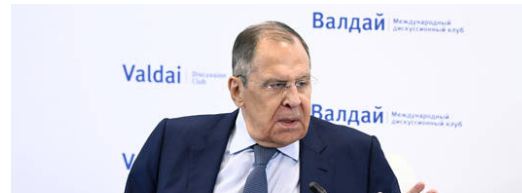
While France has affirmed its participation regardless of Israel’s status, Spain, the Netherlands, Ireland, Iceland, and Slovenia have threatened to withdraw if the country is not banned.

Under mounting pressure, the European Broadcasting Union (EBU) announced plans last month for an unprecedented online vote in November that could determine whether Israel is expelled from Eurovision 2026.

In a letter to member broadcasters, EBU president Delphine Ernotte Cunci acknowledged the *“unprecedented diversity of views”* on the issue of Israel’s participation and said the vote would occur at an extraordinary general assembly.

Israel’s broadcaster KAN responded by voicing *“hope that the Eurovision Song Contest will continue to maintain its cultural and apolitical character,”* but warned that exclusion *“could be a step with wide-ranging implications.”*

Though describing itself as *“apolitical”* the EBU banned Russia from the contest in 2022 following the escalation of the Ukraine conflict. Moscow has repeatedly condemned reprisals against artists, insisting that attempts to *“cancel”* Russian culture abroad will ultimately fail.



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However, Israel has continued competing despite international concern about its actions in Gaza.

The war began on October 7, 2023, when Hamas launched an attack on Israel, killing around 1,200 people and taking 251 hostages. Since then, Israel’s military campaign in Gaza has led to the deaths of over 67,000 Palestinians, according to the local health authorities.

The 70th edition of Eurovision is slated to take place in Vienna, Austria, with the grand finale on May 16, 2026.

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Serious Mars Attacks vibes here

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How is that CLOWN Merz still in office ?
He does NOT represent the democratic will of the German voters
Rise up and throw the bum OUT !

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h **henry nilsen** 10/6/2025 at 9:31 PM ▾ **35** ^

One must wonder how Israel got into Eurovision and the European Broadcasting Union in the first place as Israel is not an European country ! Was Palestine ever in Eurovision or invited to participate ????????

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D **DR** 10/6/2025 at 10:19 PM ▾ **19** ^

They got into the Eurovision because they control the EU, the same way Merz is an employee of one of the biggest Jewish bank, Blackrock.

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Blackrock is a investment company.

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Darth Fester 10/7/2025 at 12:59 AM ↕

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..controlled by Jew interests

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Yemoot Toomey 10/7/2025 at 6:57 PM ↕

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Yep, BlackRock has alot of money. You can't refuse an offer by BlackRock because they will destroy your company and take over. Capitalism on steriods!

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NWO-end 10/7/2025 at 1:09 AM ↕

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1. i have a memory. Israel was in that contest in he days of European Community. 2. EU , EC go back to 1948, The Hague, and were founded by not jews but Zinsts, these are Khazarians. Back then Morgenthau, now,nyahu et al governing Israel. Latter said: I am a Khazar. kills Semites

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«Special Privilege».

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JK L 10/7/2025 at 11:39 AM ↕

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The same way Israel got into the UEFA Champions League.

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Jacques Noiret 10/7/2025 at 3:10 PM ↕

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Its an European-American colony bro. None is middle eastern there. They are all polish europeans and americans from Brooklin. Even nazinyaho real name is Mileikowski, and he is Polish.

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Yemoot Toomey 10/7/2025 at 6:55 PM 0

So Germany remains a strong supporter of Israel and Genocide but the Eurovison don't want no genocidal Israelis to be there. Germany also supported banning Russia. Maybe Germany has regressed to the dark ages. Please stay home. We want to have fun and enjoy ourselves without you!

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Michael Lawrence 10/7/2025 at 6:30 PM 2

If Israel jumps of a cliff will Germany follow ?

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Michael Lawrence 10/7/2025 at 6:32 PM 1

Hope so !

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Pragmatist_in_another_guise 10/7/2025 at 4:29 PM 1

Ban Eurovision as recognition that humans are capable of better.

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E Kaos 10/7/2025 at 4:21 PM 2

BDS Israel, BDS BDS BDS all jews and yids

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Gene Darlak 10/7/2025 at 3:26 PM 6

The war began way before October 7, 2023, when Israel launched an attack on Palestine, killing Palestinian children

kiiling Palesunian children:

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Jacques Noiret 10/7/2025 at 3:08 PM

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Politicovision is the most hypocritical and fake "music" (zionist culture washing) festival. Russia launches military operation in Ukraine = permanent ban
Belarus invades... no one, they literally didnt do anything = permanent ban because you speak russian and your people looks russian.

Israel commits genocide openly: welcome in politicovision, and if you boycott them you are the problem.

Such a disgrace. And the music is crap anyway

BOYCOTT!

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Cui Bono 10/7/2025 at 2:26 PM

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Boycott Germany, Germans and German products if Israel isn't banned from Eurovision. Blame schMerz and his comrades for enabling the genocide everyone except for Israel, America and Germany acknowledges.

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Abcd 10/7/2025 at 2:06 PM

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Merz should go ahead to boycott Eurovision, nobody care.

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Cois Ernst 10/7/2025 at 8:53 AM

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Merz , the BRAINDEAD JEWISH PUPPET , should be charged for aiding and abetting in MURDER of woman , children and innocent people in Palestine !!!!!!!!!!!

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