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Since January 2009 the Charity & Security Network has worked to protect civil society's ability to work for peace, justice and economic equality without being unduly constrained by counterterrorism laws. Its goal is to increase the operational space for civil society organizations that address the root causes of poverty and conflict through education and advocacy, focusing on solutions that respect human rights and constitutional law. The Network represents a broad cross-section of civil society, including humanitarian aid, development, peacebuilding, human rights, civil liberties groups and grantmakers.

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