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## Petition Gets 4,000 signatures

A spokeswoman from the Concerned Parents group has informed Iberia news that "since the developments regarding Tireless, namely announcements by Government and the agreement by the MoD to co-operate with an independent panel of experts, the collection of signatures has been temporarily suspended."

She however informed us that they were so encouraged by the wide support for the position against the repairs that they felt it important to issue a statement with some feedback.

According to the group over a period of 3 to 4 weeks, they have collected over 4,000 signatures with the help of some 12 helpers and a table at the Piazza manned by "a very helpful gentleman".

She added that "we must stress that only a quarter or so of Gibraltar has been covered, and that an overwhelming 90%+ of people offered to sign, did so with much conviction. We haven't continued because of the ongoing discussions between Government and the MoD, but we are quite prepared to resume and complete the petition should we feel it becomes necessary to do so."

The group of Concerned Parents await Government's response to the safety case presented by the MOD.

