



## CHO ON THE GO



### IN LEBANON ▼

#### Promoting the CHO Project & Draft Law



Left to right: Dr. Riad Obegi & Mr. Mohammad Choucair

#### At the Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture of Beirut & Mount Lebanon

Dr. Obegi and the CHO Team met with Mr. Mohammad Choucair, Chairman of the Federation of the Chamber of Commerce, Industry & Agriculture in Lebanon. | July 11, 2018



Left to right: Mr. Ragheb Haddad, Dr. Riad Obegi, H.E. MP Hagop Pakardounian, Mr. Riad Arslan, Ms. Tatiana Corban & Mr. Pios Coussa

#### At the Armenian Revolutionary Federation in Lebanon - Tashnag

A meeting was held with H.E. MP Hagop Pakradounian, Member of the Lebanese Parliament and Secretary General of the Tashnag Party. | July 19, 2018



Left to right: Mr. Nabil Yamout, Dr. Riad Obegi & Mr. Jamal Fakory

#### At the Obegi Group Premises

A meeting was held with Mr. Nabil Yamout, Advisor to H.E. Prime Minister Saad Hariri and Mr. Jamal Fakory, Telecommunications Consultant to the Lebanese Minister of Telecommunications. | July 20, 2018

#### At the Embassy of the Republic of Armenia

A meeting was held with H.E. Mr. Samvel Mkrtychyan, Ambassador of the Republic of Armenia to Lebanon, to discuss the possibility of introducing the CHO project in the Republic of Armenia.

July 9, 2018



Left to right: Mr. Pios Coussa, Mr. Farid Meshaka, Dr. Riad Obegi, H.E. Mr. Samvel Mkrtychyan & Ms. Tatiana Corban

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## VISION

To bankarize in a matter of 10 years 10% of the real estate of the partnering countries

## VALUES

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- Integrity
- Transparency
- Professionalism

## Contributors

- Dr. Riad Obegi
- Mr. Pios Coussa
- Ms. Tatiana Corban

## The sixth 2018 CHO Roundtable at the Chamber of Commerce, Industry & Agriculture of Zahle & the Bekaa



The sixth roundtable for the CHO Project took place on Wednesday July 18, 2018, at the Chamber of Commerce, Industry and Agriculture of Zahle and the Bekaa. The discussions aimed at introducing the CHO Project to the Board of Directors, Board Members and team of the Chamber, in the presence of CHO Team and Contributors.

The meeting started with a warm welcoming note by Mr. Antoine Khater, Vice President of the Chamber of Commerce and was followed by Dr. Obegi's introduction of the CHO project. Subsequently, there was a thorough debate regarding the implications of this new financial innovation on the Lebanese economy, its positive consequences, as well as its risks.

The visit concluded with an exchange of gifts between Dr. Obegi and Mr. Khater, and was followed by a lunch at Berdawni, in Zahle.

July 18, 2018



The attendees of the CHO Roundtable at the CCIAZ were:



**Mr. Antoine Khater**  
Vice President  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Mounir Teeny**  
Vice President  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Mohamad Bakri**  
Treasurer  
CCIAZ



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Board of Directors  
Member  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Antoun Saliba**  
Board of Directors  
Member  
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**Mr. Fouad Sadaka**  
Board of Directors  
Member  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Tony Tohme**  
Board of Directors  
Member  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Mounib Choubassi**  
Board of Directors  
Member  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Youssef Geha**  
General Manager  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Toufic Al Hindi**  
Counselor/Legal  
Advisor  
CCIAZ



**Mr. Said Gedeon**  
Deputy General  
Manager/ Head of  
Services & Agriculture  
Development  
Department  
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**Mr. Elie Ghantous**  
Financial Manager  
CCIAZ



**Mrs. Gilberte Okais**  
Head of The  
Administrative  
Department  
CCIAZ



**Mrs. Carla Ghorra**  
Head of Transaction  
& Statistics  
Department  
CCIAZ



**Mrs. Aida Farah**  
Head of the  
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Head of Quality  
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Department  
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**Mr. Roy Faraj**  
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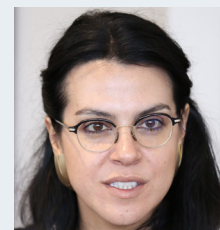
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Head of  
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Secretary  
Obegi Group



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Chief Risk Officer -  
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Banque BEMO



**A Luncheon Debate about “The Certificat Hypothecaire Obegi – CHO” was hosted by RDCL World, the Association of Lebanese Business People in the World.**



RDCL World hosted a luncheon-debate on July 30, 2018 at the Stove Restaurant in Ashrafiieh to introduce the CHO Project and Draft Law to its Board Members, International Advisory Board Members and business partners.

The meeting began with a welcoming address by Dr. Fouad Zmokhol, President of RDCL World and was followed by Dr. Obegi's presentation about the CHO Project.

A comprehensive discussion ensued between the participants and Dr. Obegi, resulting in their endorsing the CHO Draft Law, as well as giving their full support to accelerating the process of adoption of the CHO Bill by the Lebanese Parliament.

July 30, 2018

This event was featured in the press. Some of the press articles can be viewed by clicking on the links below:

- [L'Orient Le Jour](#)
- [National News Agency](#)
- [Future](#)
- [Al Binaa](#)
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**Dr. Fouad Zmokhol**  
President  
RDCL WORLD



**Mr. Elie Aoun**  
General Secretary  
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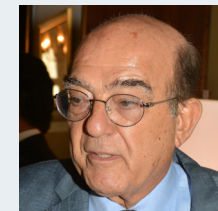
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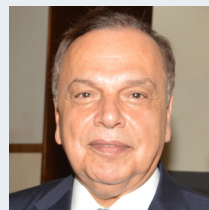
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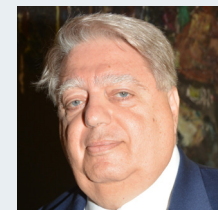
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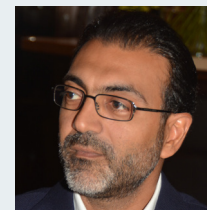
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Promoting The CHO Paraguayan Draft Law

At the Association of Banks of Paraguay | July 24, 2018



At the Presidency of the Republic of Paraguay | July 27, 2018



From left to right: Mr. Robert Jreissati, The Right Honorable Dr. Alicia Beatriz Pucheta de Correa & Dr. Riad Obegi

In line with his mission to activate the enactment of the Paraguayan CHO Draft Law, Dr. Riad Obegi held several meetings with Paraguayan key figures during his trip to Paraguay, including the Vice President of Paraguay by Interim and the Former Head of The Supreme Court of Paraguay, the Right Honorable Dr. Alicia Beatriz Pucheta de Correa, in the presence of Mr. Robert Jreissati.

His meetings also included a face-to-face with the Executive Director and Members of the Association of Banks of Paraguay.

CURRENT PROJECTS

- Working on acquiring signatures of MPs, to submit the CHO Draft Law to the Lebanese Parliament.
- The process of acquiring signatures of Senators on the Paraguayan Bill is under way.