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Caretaker Finance Minister Dr. Ghazi Wazni met in his office with the Beirut Port Explosion Follow-up Committee of the “Strong Lebanon” parliamentary bloc. The delegation included MPs Nicolas Sehnaoui, Alexis Matossian, Hikmat Deeb and Cesar Abi Khalil.

After the meeting, Sehnaoui stated the following:

“We asked the Finance Minister to ensure and accelerate the disbursement of the funds that must to be allocated to those affected by the blast, and we insisted on the need to prohibit the sale of properties located in the affected area for a year in order to prevent any exploitation”.