



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

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The daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats in the occupied Palestinian territory, the confiscation and razing of lands, the uprooting and destruction of fruit trees, the expansion of settlements and erection of outposts, the brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army, the Israeli settlers violence against Palestinian civilians and properties, the erection of checkpoints, the construction of the Israeli segregation wall and the issuance of military orders for the various Israeli purposes.

The Violations are based on reports provided by field workers and/or news sources.

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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- The Israeli Occupation Army raided Beit Rima village near Ramallah and arrested Majd Hani Hasan Dar Khateeb (23 years) and Ihab Nidal Hasan (18 years).
- The Israeli Occupation army arrested Mahmoud Ahmad Muhammad Al Haj (30 years) from Qabatyia city at a sudden checkpoint set by the army between Sanur and Jaba' villages in Jenin Governorate. The Israeli occupation army also carried out military maneuvers in Yab'ad's

village valley in Jenin Governorate and raided Zabuba village while firing tear gas bombs, few were injured due gas Inhalation.

- Two Palestinian people were injured in Hebron during a raid by Israeli soldiers. Israa Salaymah, 16, sustained a head injury after soldiers pushed her violently after raiding her family's home. Mustafa Abu Sleima sustained bruises after soldiers assaulted him in his home. The military conducted overnight raids in the Tel Rumeida area and in al-Shuhada Street, evacuating residents from their homes.
- A six-year-old boy was injured by Israeli gunfire in the Gaza Strip. The boy sustained moderate injuries east of Rafah, south Gaza.
- Ahmad Khalil Abu Hashem (44 years) and Younis 'Arrar (42 Years) were injured in Beit Ummer town north of Hebron city as the IOA suppressed the weekly peaceful demonstration that was held in the town against the building of the wall, the construction in Israeli settlements and the uprooting of Olive trees at the hands of Israeli settlers last week. The IOA suppressed the demonstration using tear gas bombs and attacking Palestinian residents and international activists.
- Officers of the Israeli water authority accompanied by the Israeli occupation army raided Al Yamun, T'innik and Kafr Dan villages west of Jenin city under the pretext of searching for unlicensed water wells. The officers had three water wells on their registry files.

Israeli Settlers Violence

- More than 100 Israeli settlers holding Israeli flags raided Rawabi city north of Ramallah through the only road that leads to the city which is still undergoing some construction. The settlers danced and chanted in Hebrew.
- Five Israeli settlers from the illegal Israeli outpost of Havat Ma'on south of Hebron attacked a Palestinian shepherd from At-Tuwani village, south of Yatta, while grazing on Meshaha Hill. The group of settlers warned the shepherd not to come back to the land near the outpost anymore as all that land is "their property and of the whole Jewish people for thousands of years". The settlers, shouting and imposing themselves physically, pushed the shepherd away until the bottom of the hill, where one of them chased and threatened an International volunteer, who was accompanying the shepherd. While

escaping the volunteer dropped two mobile phones, which were immediately picked and smashed with a rock by the settler. This is the third attack perpetuated by the settlers in the last week in Meshaha.

- Israeli settlers of Ramat Yishai settlement attacked Palestinian houses in Tel Ar Rumeida area, chased children and detained the child Younis Al 'Azza for almost an hour. Of the attacked houses, the house of Hashem Al 'Azza was known. The Israeli occupation army threatened to continue their attacks, arrests, and taking over Palestinian houses in the area.
- Israeli settlers of Yetzhar settlement attacked the Palestinian Shepherd, Ma'moun Amen Fayez Nassar (37 years) from Madama village south of Nablus city while he was grazing the sheep in his land located near the settlement. It is worth mentioning that Mr. Nassar was attacked by Israeli settlers more than five times.

Expansion of settlement

- The Israeli cabinet unanimously passed an amended version of the Trajtenberg Report's housing recommendations, which Prime Minister Binyamin Netanyahu claimed it would lower prices and increase the availability of apartments. Subject to Knesset approval, the Israel Lands Authority will market 187,000 new apartments throughout the country over the next five years. Sixty percent will be located in the high-demand areas of Tel Aviv, Jerusalem and the central region; 40,000 will be designated for affordable housing. In addition, the government approved an NIS 1.5 billion housing package for new immigrants. The package includes monthly rental assistance of up to NIS 1,250 per family, monthly rental assistance of about NIS 3,000 for wheelchair-bound new immigrants, and increased housing assistance for elderly immigrants. New-immigrant status will be recognized for 15 years from date of Aliya, an increase from the current 10 years.

Others

- The budget for religious institutions in the Jerusalem municipality has nearly doubled since Mayor Nir Barkat entered office, Army Radio reported. When Barkat entered office in 2009, Jerusalem's budget for religious buildings, mostly for mikvaot ritual baths, was NIS 10 million per year. This year the budget has increased to NIS 18.5 million per year. Officials in the Jerusalem municipality responded that the budget for religious buildings has not increased since 2010 and that the

increased funds were allocated by the government, not the municipality.

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