

ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 10 May 2012

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 (IOA) raided Idhna town west of Hebron and set up a military checkpoint at the town's entrance. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) set up a military checkpoint at the entrance of Al Fawwar Refugee camp south of Hebron city. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Ya'bad west of Jenin city, questioned a number of Palestinian citizens and photographed them.

- The IOA also detained Citizen Sameer Abu Baker (16 years) at Mevo Dotan settlement's Gate. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and the Israeli Water Authority (IWA) launched a wide search campaign for artesian water wells in 'Marj Bin Amer' Valley west of Jenin used by Palestinian farmers to irrigate their field crops and trees. The IWA threatened to demolish any recent wells established in the area. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) kidnapped two Palestinian fishermen near Beit Lahia in the Gaza Strip. The detainees are: Zaher and Jihad Al Sultan. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) hindered Palestinian farmers from Abu 'Arram family from harvesting their agricultural crops (Wheat and Barely) planted in 500 dunums lands in Kherbit Janba east of Yatta town south of Hebron city. The IOA destroyed 150 dunums of lands planted with Wheat and Barley owned by Yousif Muhammad Yousif Abu 'Arram family. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- A Palestinian was injured At An Nashash checkpoint north of Al Khader village west of Bethlehem city as the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) suppressed a peaceful demonstration held in solidarity with the Palestinian Prisoners who are on Hunger Strike. Al Quds (May 2012).

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians from Um Al Sharayet in Al Bireh City. Citizen Jamal Al 'Ashi (54 years) was among the arrestees. The IOA also detained a number of Palestinians during the raid process, Ihab Shawamra and Mashoor Al Wehwah. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested citizen Sofian Ghassan Zuhdi Al Hasasnah (21 Years) from Sa'ir town after raiding his family house and messing with its contents. Wafa (May 10, 2012)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Aysar Abdel Rahman Badawi (18 years), Muhammad Mahmoud Salem Al Sabateen (17 years), Ahmad Azmi Al Titi (17 years) and Muhammad Khalil Adarbah (20 years) from Al 'Arrub Refugee camp after raiding their families' houses and messing with their contents. Wafa (May 10, 2012)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested seven Palestinians form Burin village south of Nablus city. The arrestees are: Qusai Jamal Qadus, Humam Najjar, Hamdan Eid, Ala Muhsen Qadus, Bashar Dakheel, Ashraf Suleiman Al 'Aker and Ibrahim 'Abs. Wafa (May 10, 2012).

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) bulldozers demolished a brux for selling Home alliance on Jenin- Nablus road near Sabastyia village under the pretext of being set at the road without permit. The brux is owned by citizen (Bilal Muhammad 'Ali, 64 years). Mr. Ali's loss is estimated at NIS 100 Thousand. Wafa (May 10, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) bulldozers demolished a car-wash shop and two stalls set on Jenin An Nasera road, near Al Jalama village under the pretext of being set on the road without license. The car-wash shop and one of the stalls is owned by citizen Awni Fadel Abdel Latif Al 'Omari while the second stall is owned by citizen Zaki Zakarneh. Wafa (May 10, 2012).

Others

- The Israeli government has proposed that 2,300 Bedouins be relocated from hill surrounding the Palestinian town of As Sawahra, where they live on the edge of a garbage dump at al Abidal. Further plans are currently being pressed forward through the Israeli parliament for 90,000 further Bedouins from their ancestral land in the Negev desert to more government planned townships. At the moment it is reported that up to 250 Bedouins live on the edge of As Sawahira near the al Abidal dump where the smell of rubbish is already quite potent. They were moved by the Israeli Government 15 years ago where the dump has grown since then while the land they vacated is now home to the illegal Ma'ale Adumim settlement. Israeli administration has claimed that the plans for resettlement of these communities are for their own good as the Bedouins live at a level of unacceptable poverty. However the Bedouins themselves claim that their centuries old culture and traditional ties to the land itself is being sacrificed for more illegal Settlements. IMEMC (May 10, 2012).
- Settler leaders knew from the start that Beit El's Ulpana neighborhood was built partly on privately owned Palestinian land, police documents reveal, even though residents claim they bought the houses in good faith. Yoel Tsur, CEO of the company that built the neighborhood and owns 24 of the 30 houses that the High Court of Justice has ordered razed, admitted in a police interrogation three years ago that it was built on land whose purchase was never finalized. Haaretz (May 10, 2012)