



## 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

- Israeli aircrafts targeted Palestinian residents in As Sudaniya area northwest of Gaza city and At Tuffah neighborhood east of Gaza city. As a result, two people were injured. Israeli warplanes also raided on the west of Beit Lahiya town in the northern Gaza Strip, causing no injuries.
- Israeli occupation army staged into Al Karmil area east of Yatta town and arrested resident Muhammad Musa Al Hrush (60 years old) and took him to an unknown destination.

- Israeli Occupation army raided Idhna's town western entrance and Kharsa'a town entrance south of Dura city and other neighborhoods in Hebron city, stopped Palestinian residents and checked their ID cards.
- Israeli Occupation army staged into Madama village south of Nablus city and confiscated two computer devices and three phone devices owned by villagers after raiding the houses and searching them.
- Israeli Occupation army raided Tuqu' village east of Bethlehem city, stormed a number of Palestinian houses in the village and arrested Salman Khaled Al 'Amour (19 Years old), Ibrahim Yousif Abu Nfareh and Muhammad Ahmad Abu Mfareh.
- Israeli Occupation authorities began resumed the construction of new concrete sections in the vicinity of the new crossing border that will replace Shu'fat military checkpoint in Jerusalem. This comes in light of preparations to complete the construction of Shu'fat crossing facilities, which will be the largest among the crossings established by the Israel around Jerusalem. The opening of the crossing will lead to the isolation of thousands of Palestinian citizens (holding Jerusalem ID cards, blue cards) living in the suburbs of Jerusalem as it will make a significant change in the movement of many Palestinian towns and neighborhoods of Jerusalem. This comes in the context of an Israeli strategic plan to reduce the number of Jerusalemites to a minimum and double the number of settlers to the largest extent within the Holy City. Palestinian towns and villages that will be negatively affected by the opening of Shu'fat crossing border: 'Anata, Al Salam, Shehadeh and Ras Khamis suburbs, Al 'Isawiya town and Shu'fat refugee camp.

### **Home Demolition and Demolition Threats**

- Israeli Occupation bulldozers demolished retaining walls and removed barbed wires in Silwan city south of Al Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem city

### **Confiscate and Razing Lands**

- The Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem took over an 850 square meters piece of land in Ath Thuri neighborhood overlooking Ar Rababa valley in Silwan city and leads to Al Bustan neighborhood. The Municipality announced that it would soon begin working to convert this land into a public park and parking lot. The targeted piece of land is owned by a Palestinian family in Silwan and the Greek Orthodox Monastery.

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