

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 arrested 'Awni Abu Ghosh of the Palestinian Popular Struggle Front and member of the Palestinian Liberation organization Central Committee while passing through the 'Atara checkpoint near Nablus governorate. Abu Ghosh was detained without any explanation and led to unknown location.
- The Israeli aircraft shelled Palestinian citizens east of Jabalya refugee camp in the Gaza strip but no injuries were reported.
- The Israeli occupation Army arrested Fadi Fouad Balsha (28 years old),
 Mohammad Ghanam (26 years old) from their houses in Jaba' town

south of Jenin city. The IOA searched the houses with no apparent reason of what they were looking for other than causing a mess with its contents.

- The Israeli occupation forces stormed As-Smou' town and arrested Ziad Abed Allah Al-Rawashdeh and searched the house of Mohammad Al-Rawashdeh.
- The Israeli occupation Army raided Beit Duqqo village south west Jerusalem city and arrested Haytham Naem Bader (24 years old), 'Ala Bahjat Rayan (28 years old), Fares Jamal Merar (22 years old) and Mahdi Ahmad Husien (22 years old) after searching their houses.

Demolition and Demolition Threats

- The Israeli occupation Army demolished 3 cistern wells owned by Mohamad Wahdan Abu Lo'ai, Najeh Zaed and Nabil Juda in Al-Naseriya village located in the Jordan valley area near Nablus governorate. They declared the village as closed military area and forbid people to leave their houses while the demolishing operation was taking place. The IOA filled the wells with dirt and stones to prevent future utilization. This was not the first time the IOA do that, a similar action happened last July 2011. The targeted wells used by dozens of farmers to irrigate 1500 dunums of agricultural lands in the village. Furthermore, the Army troops confiscated the fuel tanks used to operate the water pumps in the village.
- The Israeli occupation Army raided Kherbit Em Al-Khair east of Yatta town in Hebron governorate and announced it as closed military area. The IOF demolished residential tents and structures owned by the residents there. Moreover, they stormed Kherbit Al-Ghwien and Kherbith Wad Al-Amaer at the south side of Yatta to uproot and confiscate 40 electricity poles to provide the residents there with electricity.

Israeli Settlers Violence

- The Israeli settlers raided Yatma village south of Nablus city and scattered written threats to the residents and vandalized the walls of the village mosque with racist, ethnic, and threatening slogans. Moreover, they uprooted dozens of olive trees in Hawwara town south of Nablus and set 2 Palestinians vehicles on fire at the entrance of Qablan village.
- Israeli settlers of el-Qana settlement seized tow different locations of land located within the western Segregation Zone west of Messha town in Salfit governorate. The settlers razed the targeted land locations of 6 dunums located near the bypass road running next to the settlement. The targeted land is owned by Aeed Abed Al- Ghafer Amer. While the other piece of land is owned by Saleh Mohammad Amer. The settlers positioned few caravans in the land and some construction equipments for what maybe used to expand the settlement.
- Israeli settlers from Kokhav HaShahar settlement attacked and threw stones at Mohammad Adel Qaroush vehicle and others driving on the road between Ramallah and Salfit governorates