



# ARIJ Daily Report

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## Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 2 July 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.*

*The text is not quoted directly from the sources but is edited for clarity.*

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### Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Two Palestinians were injured as the Israeli Occupation Warplanes fired at a site southwest of Gaza City. Wafa (July 2, 2012)
- The Israeli Occupation Warplanes fired at an empty piece of land in Az Zaytoun neighborhood southeast of Gaza City. No injuries were reported. Wafa (July 2, 2012)
- The Israeli occupation war boats fired at Palestinian fishing boats near Gaza City shores and Rafah city south of the Gaza Strip, forcing them to leave the sea. Wafa (July 2, 2012).

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the industrial area in Jenwin city, stormed two car workshops owned by Naser Abu Duqqa and Waleed Hussein Abu Ghali and searched them. No arrests were reported. Wafa (July 2, 2012).
- Tens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) along with Israeli Police officers raided Al Aqsa Mosque courtyard. Israeli settlers also raided Al Aqsa courtyard escorted by the IOA. Paltimes (July 2, 2012).

### **Israeli Arrests**

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians from Beit Awwa town southwest of Hebron city after raiding their houses and touring in the alleys and neighborhoods. The arrestees are: Shadi As Suweiti, Maher As Suweiti and Ahmad As Suweiti. Wafa (July 2, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested one Palestinian from Ad Duheisha refugee camp after raiding his house and searching it. The arrestee is Murad Hasan Az Zaghari (22 years). Wafa (July 2, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) handed out two Palestinians in Al Obaidiya village east of Bethlehem city notifications to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police in Kfar Etzion detention and interrogation center. The notified Palestinians are: Shadi Sameeh Shanayta (20 years) and Khaleel Daoud Radayda (32 years). Wafa (July 2, 2012).

### **Home Demolition & Demolition threats**

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a residential brux in Al Issawiya town owned by Sa'ad Ahmad Mustafa Al 'Isawi. The brux was built after the Israeli occupation bulldozers demolished Al Isawi's house three years ago in the area. PNN (July 2, 2012).

### **Confiscation & Razing of lands**

- For the past three months the Israel Defense Forces have prohibited farmers from the West Bank Palestinian village of Aqraba from reaching their farmland and seasonal homes in the area, on the grounds that they are in a live-fire range. However, Givat 777, an auxiliary outpost of the Itamar settlement, is located in the same firing range. The IDF declared the area a firing zone after 1967, but according to village residents, it hasn't been used for training for about 20 years. When it was, the commanders would suspend the exercises for an hour or so to let the farmers get to their land. Five months ago, a number of settlers waited for a few of the villagers, who rode a tractor on the dirt

road. When the farmers returned, having fled the scene upon encountering the settlers, they found the burned remains of the tractor. In early April there was an altercation with settlers armed with knives whom the villagers say ambushed them on the same road. The Palestinians were arrested and the IDF ordered the farmers not to use the path, on the grounds that it is in a firing zone. Since then, the villagers say, an Israeli man who pitched a tent on a hill that commands the path and the spring for the area uses the same path freely, even putting his flocks out to pasture on the wheat fields they planted six months ago and are not permitted to harvest. [Haaretz](#) (July 2, 2012).

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