

# **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 (IOA) closed the office of the Palestinian legislative Council in Salfit Governorate and confiscated contents including PC devices. Wafa (June 27, 2012)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the house of Izz Ad Din Fattash, head of the Palestinian legislative Council office in Salfit Governorate and verbally notified him of the closure of the council's office. Wafa (June 27, 2012)

 The Israeli Occupation Army tanks (IOA) randomly opened its fire at Palestinian fishing boats near Deir Al Balah in the Central Gaza Strip. No injuries were reported. Wafa (June 27, 2012).

#### Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Tequ' village east of Bethlehem city and arrested two Palestinian citizens after raiding their houses. The arrestees are: Hamza Salem Musa Jibril (16 years) and Ahmad Yousif As Subah (15 years). Wafa (June 27, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Citizens Adel Abu Baker (28 years), Shadi Muhamamd Shaheen (24 years) and Kareem Muhammad Shaheen (36 years) from Hebron city after raiding their houses and searching them. Wafa (June 27, 2012).
- The Israeli Police Intelligence summoned notified three Palestinians from Silwan city south of Jerusalem to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police in Al Maskobiyeh detention center in West Jerusalem. Wafa (June 27, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Citizen Abdel Rahman Mahmoud Sbeih (22 years) while trying to access a checkpoint near Beir Al Basha south of Jenin city. Wafa (June 27, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Silat Al Harthiya village and detained Citizen Muhammad Barakat Abdel Rahman Zyud (20 years) and Muhammad Jameel Tahayna (22 years) for hours after raiding their houses in East Barta'a in Jenin Governorate. Wafa (June 27, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Al Yamoun village in Jenin Governorate and stormed the house of Ibrahim Taher Nawahda, a former prisoner, and questioned him. Wafa (June 27, 212).
- In Hebron, the Israeli army kidnapped Romel Asafra, after breaking into his home in Beit Kahel, north of Hebron. Asafra, a student of the Hebron University, is one of dozens of students holding, at the university campus, a protest against political arrests. Asafra received a phone call from an Israeli security officer, who told him that he needs to hand himself in to the military within three hours; but the army invaded his home shortly after the call was made and kidnapped him. The soldiers also handed military orders to the father of Asafra and his brothers, informing them that they need to head to the nearest military base for questioning. Resident Wisam Asafra was also kidnapped after the army broke into his home, and was taken to an unknown destination. IMEMC (June 27, 2012).

#### Home Demolition & Demolition threats

• Tens of Palestinian families were forcibly evacuated from their place of living in Al Maleh area in the Jordan Valley as the Israeli Military army is carrying out intensive military trainings in the area which causes a state of fear and panic among citizens. Wafa (June 27, 2012).

## **Expansion of settlements**

• The Israeli Regional committee for building and planning at the Municipality of Jerusalem approved the construction of 180 new Israeli housing units in East Telpiot settlement (Armon Hanitziv) on 67 dunums of lands. The plan comes under number 7977 A and will expand towards Sur Baher town in east Jerusalem. The 180 units will come in the form of 5 buildings in addition to sixth building for public use and three other buildings will be designated for engineering nd infrastructure work. Wafa (June 27, 2012).

## **Erection of Israeli checkpoints**

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) set up two sudden checkpoints at the entrance of Ar Ramadeen village south of Hebron city and Hebron's northern entrance, stopped Palestinian vehicles and checked in ID cards. Wafa (June 27, 2012).

#### **Others**

• Israeli officials started removing the illegal Ulpana settlement outpost, built on privately-owned Palestinian lands, close to the Beit El settlement near the central West Bank city of Ramallah. Israel vowed to build hundreds of new housing units in the West Bank in exchange to relocating the settlers. Officials of the Defense Ministry, in addition to contractors and movers, arrived at the settlement to oversee the eviction. The removal of the homes comes after the Israeli High Court backed a decision made by the government of Prime Minister Netanyahu to relocate 33 families, including 16 families that will be relocated. In exchange for their relocation the Israeli government has pledged to expand the existing Beit El settlement with over 300 new housing units. IMEMC (June 27, 2012).