

ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 23 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.

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

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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- The Israeli Occupation Bulldozers staged 300 meters into agricultural lands east of Al Bureij refugee camp amid shooting at Palestinian houses, razing lands and put earth mounds in the area. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Bulldozers stationed at Kisufim site staged into Palestinian lands east of Deir Al Balah amid shooting at Palestinian lands and houses. Wafa (May 23, 2012).

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the house of Ahmad Hammad Abu Maria in Hebron city, searched it and handed him a notification to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police. It is worth mentioning that Mr. Abu Maria spent two years in the Israeli Jails. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided a number of Palestinian houses in Tubas city, searched it, messed with its contents and questioned its inhabitants. The raided houses are owned by Husni 'Ali Ad Debek, Amjad Ad Debek, Abed Qasem Abu Al 'Aala, Anwar Abd Al 'Aziz Ad Dabek and Yaser Ad Dabek. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided three Palestinian houses in Jenin city. The raided houses are owned by Ahmad Ghasub Al 'Att, Abdullah Muhammad Khaleel Hroub and Hashem Radi Azmouti. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Al Yamun village west of Jenin city and stationed for hours in the vicinity of Al Arqam School. No injures were reported. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the houses of Nash'at Hasan Abu Muhsen and Bassam Qadri Abu 'Amer, searched them, messed with their contents and questioned its inhabitants. Wafa (May 23, 2012).

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) arrested three teens in Azzun village east of Qalqilyah city after raiding their houses. The arrestees are: Mustafa Hasan Salamah Salem (18 years), Muhammad Abdel Kareem Abu Haniyya (17 years) and Thaer Khaled Badwan (16 years). Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) arrested four Palestinians from Beit Ummer town north of Hebron city after raiding their houses. The arrestees are: 'Alaa Fahmi Abdel Hameed Za'aqeeq (30 years), Muhammad Wajeeh Ihmeid Abu Maria (21 years), Husam Saber Zamel Abu Maria (22 years) and Muhammad Sae'd Ali Sabarneh (23 years). Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) arrested Raed Ibrahim Masalma (35 years) from Beit Awwa Town in Hebron Governorate, searched it and messed with its contents. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) arrested Muhannad Id'ies from Hebron city and confiscated a bulldozer owned by him and was operating near Beit Hagai settlement south of Hebron city. Wafa (May 23, 2012).

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) arrested citizen Baha' Sameeh Abu As Sabba' (27 years) from Jenin refugee camp while trying to cross a Jubara checkpoint near Tulkarem. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the house of Bilal Saleem Al Muhtaseb (40 years) and handed him a notification to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police in Etzion Detention Center. Paltimes (May 23, 2012)

Israeli Settlers' Violence

• Israeli Settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) carried out provocative actions at the main road bypassing Tequ Village east of Bethlehem city, IN Kherbit Ad Deir area, and obstructed the Palestinian vehicular movement. The settlers chanted racist slogans against Arabs and Muslims. Wafa (May 23, 2012).

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli Occupation bulldozers demolished a brux owned by Beit Nuba Society in Beit Leqia village southwest of Ramallah city. The brux was built 30 years ago and stands on a total land area of 500-600 square meters. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli occupation army bulldozers affiliated to the Israeli Civil Administration raided wadi Juheish (Juheish Valley) near susiya village and demolished six residential tents owned by Khaleel Salameh An Nawaj'a and Ibrahim Ismae'il An Nawaj'a under the pretext of lacking building permits. 30 people were displaced as a result of the demolition. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli occupation army bulldozers demolished an animal pen owned by Ahmad Khaleel Al Jabareen in Ar Rahwa hamlet in Hebron Valley south of Adh Dahriya town under the pretxt of lacking building permits. It is worth mentioning that Mr. Al Jabarin was notified of the demolition several days ago and was given until the 11th of September 2012 to pursue the license procedures but the Israeli bulldozers came to the site and demolished the animal pen. Wafa (May 23, 2012)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOF) handed a number of Palestinian families in Tayaseer village in Tubas Governorate military orders to demolish their properties within a week time under the pretext of building without permits. Nabeel Soboh and Jihad Abu Al 'Asal were among the notified people in the village. Paltimes (May 23, 2012)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed without pre-notification Huwwara checkpoint and hindered the entry and exit of Palestinians and vehicles into and out of Nablus city. Wafa (May 23, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Idhna town west of Hebron city. Wafa (May 23, 2012)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Dhahriyeh town south of Hebron city. Wafa (May 23, 2012).

Others

Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu delayed a Knesset vote on a bill geared at sanctioning illegal West Bank outposts, with the intent of reaching an arrangement that would evade the need to demolish illegally built homes. The move came as Netanyahu continues to seek ways to avoid the forced evacuation of homes in the Beit-El neighborhood of Ulpana Hill, after the High Court of Justice ruled that the state had to demolish those structures by July 1. That bill was supposed to be brought to a vote in the Knesset on Wednesday, until Netanyahu convinced its sponsors to delay a decision by two weeks, at which time the government would try to find a solution that would both evade the need to demolish the homes and align with the High Court's ruling. The prime minister also ordered preparations made ahead of the planned demolition to be halted for the next two weeks. According to the bill, Jewish residential neighborhood that had been built on land whose legal owners didn't challenge the construction within four years would not be evacuated. Haaretz (May 23, 2012).