



# 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.*

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

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### Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stopped and detained the Mayor of Hebron Governorate, Kamel Hamid, after stopping his at a sudden checkpoint erected by the IOA at the northern entrance of Hebron city. (Safa 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched a Palestinian house in Ad-Doha town, south of Bethlehem city. The targeted house is owned by the family of the Palestinian martyr; Mu'men Raid Al

Khateeb (16 years). Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the IOA. (Wafa 2 December 2015)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired teargas grenades at a Palestinian house in Qalqiliyah city, causing the torch of the house. The targeted house is owned by Ziyad Mulhem. The IOA also, fired teargas grenades at Al 'Awda school in An-Nawar neighborhood, causing dozens of suffocation cases among the students. (Raya 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched dozens of Palestinian houses in Askar refugee camp, east of Nablus city. Noted that the IOA informed the family of the Palestinian martyr; Raghib 'Alawi, that the IOA will demolish their house in the next 24 hours. During the operation, the IOA arrested Hazem An-Nadi after raiding his house in the camp. (PNN& NBPRS 2 November 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided and searched Al Hanbali mosque in Nablus city and destroyed its main door. (Maannews 2 November 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed and searched a Palestinian house in Nablus city, and questioned the residents. The targeted house is owned by the family of the Palestinian martyr; Maram Hassuna. The IOA confiscated all the photos and posters of the martyr. Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the IOA, where the IOA fired teargas and stun grenades at Palestinians. (Al-Quds 2 November 2015)
- Israeli Occupation gunboats opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats while they were sailing at As-Sudaniya and Al Waha shores, northwest of Gaza strip. (Al-Quds 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation gunboats opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats while they were sailing at An-Nasriyat and Az-Zawaida shores, in the central of Gaza strip. (Al-Quds 2 December 2015)
- Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) in At-Tur town in Jerusalem city. The IOA fired teargas grenades at Palestinians, houses and the headquarter of Al Makasid hospital, causing dozens of suffocation cases included Palestinian children. (Maannews 2 December 2015)
- Three Palestinians were injured during clashes that erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) in Jabal Ar-Rahma area in Hebron city. The IOA used live bullets and teargas grenades to attack Palestinians. During the clashes, the IOA invaded and searched a number of Palestinian houses. (Maannews 2 December 2015)

## **Israeli Arrests**

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Loay Hussen Al Bala (18 years) after raiding his family house in Jenin refugee camp, west of Jenin city. (Maannews 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Amjad Salah Al Lubani (40 years) after storming and searching his house in Qabatiya village, south of Jenin city. (Maannews 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Bilal Mohammad Abed Ar-Rahem Abu 'aliya (18 years) from Shufa village, east of Tulkarm city, while he was at the Israeli Bypass road near Avnei Hefez settlement. (RB2000 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested 10 Palestinians after storming and searching their houses in Hizma town, north of Jerusalem city. The arrestees were identified as: Jaber Muhareb Najeb, Raja'I Jaber Najeb, Daoud Mohammad Najeb, Fadi Mohammad Najeb, Jihad Mubarak Salah Ad-Diyn, Kefah Suliman Riziq, Ismail Abed Rabo Al Khateeb, Osama Ali Issa, Ahmed Odeh Askar and 'Arwah Ahmed Odeh Askar. (PNN 2 November 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested 8 Palestinians after storming and searched their houses in Beit Ummer town, north of Hebron city. The arrestees were identified as: Amro Riyad Arar (15 years), Mohammad Wajed Abed Al Halim Abu 'Ayash (17 years), Ali Waleed Mohammad An'em Abu 'Ayash (15 years), Ayesha Khalid Sabri Awad (19 years), Rushdi Yousif Bader Awad (16 years), Omar Mohammad Khalil Awad (14 years), Mohammad Nedal Ameer Abu Mariya (16 years) and 'Ukal Mahmoud Yousif Ahmed Jawabrah (19 years). (PNN 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians from Qalqiliyah city. The arrestees were identified as: Ahmed 'Atawnah (11 years), Azz Ad-Diyn Nofal (12 years) and Yazan Rahailah (13 years). (Wafa 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians after storming their houses in Deir 'Ammar village, northwest of Ramallah city. The arrestees were identified as: Samer Mohammad Assi, Loay Khalid Safi and Hussen Abed Al Qader. (Wafa 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Adham Abed As-Salam At-Tarda and summoned Tareq Akram (18 years) to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police, after raiding their houses in Taffuh village, west of Hebron city. (RB2000 & PNN 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Hassan Ziyad after storming his house in Qalandiya refugee camp, south of Ramallah city. (PNN 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Abdalla Khalil Zidat (20 years) from Bani Naim town, east of Hebron city. (RB2000 2 December 2015)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mohammad Yousif Ahmed Jawabrah from Al Arroub refugee camp, north of Hebron city. (RB2000 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested two Palestinian after storming their houses in Al Fawar refugee camp, south of Hebron city. The arrestees were identified as: Ishaq Khalil Ihdeeb (28 years) and Anas Abu Hashhash (30 years). (RB2000 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested the Palestinian lawyer; Tareq Barghouth from Jerusalem city, while he was interviewing the Israeli Intelligence Police. (Maannews 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested a Palestinian girl after stopping her at Shufat military checkpoint in Jerusalem city. (Al-Quds 2 December 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained dozens of Palestinian vehicles after stopping them at Beit Ur Al Fuqa military checkpoint, west of Ramallah city. The IOA stopped and searched Palestinian vehicles and checked ID cards. entrance of (Wattan 2 December 2015)

### **Israeli Settler Violence**

- Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al Aqsa mosque in Jerusalem city and toured in its courtyard. (NBPRS 2 November 2015)

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

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) exploded the house of a Palestinian martyr; Ibrahim Al 'Akari, in Shufat refugee camp, north of Jerusalem city. Noted that the targeted house in the third floor within a building consist of three floors. Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the IOA, where the IOA fired rubber bullets and teargas grenades, causing tens of suffocation cases and the injury of 13 Palestinians. During the operation, the IOA closed all the entrance of the camp and prevented Palestinians from leaving or entering it. (Al- Quds 2 November 2015)

### **Expansion of settlements**

- Controversial Plan for Museum at Western Wall Gets Final Zoning Approval. Planning board rejects most objections to Western Wall Heritage Foundation building, but limits its area; opponents considering petitioning High Court. An appeals subcommittee of the Jerusalem District Planning and Building Committee has given its final approval for a plan to construct a center called "Beit Ha-Liba" (House

of Core Values) in the Western Wall Plaza in the Old City of Jerusalem. The center was conceived of and promoted by the Western Wall Heritage Foundation and the Western Wall's rabbi, and will include offices, a museum and an educational center. The opponents of this plan, led by senior archaeologists, say that the building would damage antiquities on the site, particularly a Roman-era road discovered there. The committee rejected most of the objections it was presented with, but instructed that the building be lower and slightly smaller than proposed. The opponents are considering a petition to the High Court of Justice. According to the plan approved this week, the building will cover an area of 1,505 square meters above ground, as well as containing an archaeological floor and an observation deck on its roof. The compound was planned by architect Ada Karmi, and was originally designed to encompass 4,800 square meters. A year ago the National Planning and Building Council appeals committee decided to reduce the size of the compound. It agreed to the building's construction, but determined that there should be limits on its size and a clearer definition of the purposes of this building. The national body returned the plan for further discussions at the district level. ([Haaretz](#) 2 December 2015)

## Israeli Closures

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed with an iron gate the western entrance of Beit Jala town, west of Bethlehem city. The closure of the western entrance of Beit Jala town, will isolate a number of Palestinian nearby villages, especially Al Walajah village. (RB2000 2 November 2015)

## Other

- **Peace Now to High Court: New land allocations to West Bank settlements must be made public. The secrecy that surrounds such allocations makes it impossible for the Palestinians to oppose them or ask that the land be assigned to them instead, NGO says.** Peace Now petitioned the High Court of Justice on Tuesday to force the state to make public new allocations of state land to West Bank settlements. It clarified in the petition that it was not asking the state to stop such transfers, but rather it was insisting that they should be public and not secret so that they fell in line with the principles of good governance and international law. Some 98.7% of land allocations in Area C of the West Bank went to Israeli settlements and only 1.3% went to Palestinian communities, Peace Now said. The secrecy that surrounds

such allocations makes it impossible for the Palestinians to oppose them or ask that the land be assigned to them instead, said the Left-wing non-governmental organization. “Such blatant discrimination is the direct result of the abnormal process of land allocations” in the West Bank, Peace Now said in its petition. The fact that these transactions are made “in the dark, behind closed doors and in complete secrecy” indicates that the Defense Ministry knows that its land transfer policy is problematic, Peace Now said. A small plot of land in the Tel Rumeida neighborhood of Hebron was among the examples Peace Now used to illustrate the confusion that stemmed from the lack of transparency. The Civil Administration had for decades rented the property to two Palestinian brothers who resided in the neighborhood — Abdel Aziz Abu and Ferial Abu Haikal — but failed to notify them when it terminated the lease, according to Hagit Ofran of Peace Now. It simply stopped sending bills. Years later the Civil Administration rented it instead to a group that belonged to the Hebron Jewish Community, which together with the Antiquities Authority began an archaeological dig there, Ofran said. The brothers assumed that their Jewish neighbors along with the Antiquities Authority were trespassing on their land and turned to the High Court of Justice. It was only through the court case that they discovered that the lease had been transferred to Hebron settlers, Ofran said. The second case that underscores the problem relates to 1,341 dunams in a neighborhood in the settlement of Efrat in the Gush Etzion region, called Givat HaEitam, said Ofran. After studying the property, the Civil Administration declared that those dunams were state land. Members of the Palestinian village of Artas who believe the property belonged to their community, which is adjacent to Efrat, petitioned the High Court of Justice against the reclassification of the land. Ofran said Peace Now is concerned if the High Court of Justice upholds the reclassification of the land, the property could then be allocated for housing for Efrat residents without anyone knowing about it. That is why it is important for such transactions to be transparent, she said. ([JPOST](#) 2 December 2015)