



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 02 May 2016

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) opened fire at Palestinian farmers while they were working in their land, near the border fence, east of Ash-Shaja'iyah neighborhood, east of Gaza city. (Wafa 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and toured in areas in At-Tur town, south of Jerusalem city. (Pal Today 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation gunboats opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats while they were sailing at As-Sudaniya shore, northwest of Gaza city. (ARN 2 May 2016)

- Israeli Occupation gunboats opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats while they were sailing at Al Waha shore, northwest of Beit Lahiya town, north of Gaza strip. (ARN 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fined a Palestinian farmer (Ismail Ibrahim Al 'Adra) NIS 100,000 to pay for an Israeli settler living in Avigel settlement, under claim that he was shepherd in Beir Adra area, east of Yatta town, south of Hebron city, and near the Israeli settlement of Avigel. (ARN 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Nilin village, west of Ramallah city. Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the IOA, where the IOA fired rubber bullets and teargas grenades at Palestinians and their houses, causing a number of suffocation cases. (RB2000 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched a number of Palestinian houses in Umm Ash-Sharait area in Ramallah city. (RB2000 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation jeeps and bulldozers staged 150 meters into the eastern part of Rafah city, south of Gaza strip, and erected a number of earth mounds. (Orient FM 2 May 2016)

Israeli Arrests

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Basel Hassan Marshod from Balata refugee camp, east of Nablus city. (Wafa 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Hassan As-Safadi (25 years) from Jerusalem city, after stopping him at Al Karama terminal. (Wafa 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mohammad 'Awida (30 years) from Jerusalem city. (RB2000 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mohammad Abed Al Hamid Tafesh (21 years) and seized his laptop and mobile, after storming and searching his family house in Sair town, north of Hebron city. (ARN 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Shadi Riyad Al Hroub after storming his house in Deir Samit village, southwest of Hebron city. (ARN 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mohammad Abed Ar-Rahim Haliqah from Ash-Shuyyukh village, north of Hebron city, and confiscated his vehicle. (ARN 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Awni Mustafah Ghnemat after raiding his house in Surif village, northwest of Hebron city. (ARN 2 May 2016)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Ayat Mohammad Nabil Ar-Rajabi after stopping her at an Israeli military checkpoint erected near the Ibrahim mosque in the old city of Hebron. (Orient FM 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained and questioned Ahmed Ash-Shawish from Bab Huta neighborhood in the old city of Jerusalem. (Orient FM 2 May 2016)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli Minister of Science and Technology; put the first stone to construct a theater in Ariel University in Ariel settlement. During the event, the Israeli Minister declared that the Ariel Settlement will be always there and it the “Capital city” for the northern settlements in the West Bank. Occupation Army (NBPRS 2 May 2016)
- Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al Aqsa mosque in Jerusalem city and toured in its courtyard. (NBPRS 2 May 2016)
- Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Joseph tomb, near Balata refugee camp, east of Nablus city, and performed Talmudic rituals. Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the IOA, where the IOA fired teargas and stun grenades at Palestinians. (RB2000 & NBPRS 2 May 2016)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem forced a Palestinian family to demolish their three stores (each one area about 25 square meters) in Hush Abu Tayeh in Ein Al Louza neighborhood in Silwan town in Jerusalem city. (SilwanIC 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an agricultural structure at the eastern neighborhood of Qalqiliyah city. The targeted structure is owned by Mohammad Ameen Ja'ide. (Orient FM 2 May 2016)

Israeli Military Orders

- Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Ein Al Louza neighborhood in Silwan town town, in Jerusalem city, and took photos for a number of houses and structures, and handed out an administrative order to demolish an under construction house. (SilwanIC 2 May 2016)
- Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Al Issawiya town in Jerusalem city, took photos for a number of structures and houses, and put a number of administrative

orders and Notification preceding legal court indictment on Palestinian buildings and structures, and on a Health Center and Gas station. (SilwanIC & Orient FM 2 May 2016)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) erected military checkpoints at the entrances of Sair and Halhul towns and at the northern entrance of Hebron city. The IOA stopped and searched Palestinian vehicles and checked ID cards. (ARN 2 May 2016)

Other

- **Shaked seeks to apply Israeli law on West Bank Jewish settlers. Minister of Justice Ayelet Shaked plans to promote a bill that would apply Israeli law to Jews living in the West Bank; Shaked: It is my goal to equalize conditions within one year.** Minister of Justice Ayelet Shaked announced Sunday that she plans on promoting the “Norms Bill,” which aims to give the same legal rights to settlers living beyond the Green Line as Israeli citizens living within it. If approved, the law would in effect apply Israeli law to Jews living in the West Bank, widening the gap between the settlers and the Palestinians, who abide by Israeli military law. Prior to discussing the bill at Israel's Ministerial Committee for Legislation, Shaked gave a speech on Sunday in front of the Legal Forum of Israel, saying that “conditions need to be equal. There are basic laws that do not apply in Judea and Samaria. It is my goal to equalize conditions within one year, either by a GOC (General Officer Commanding) decree or through legislation.” During Netanyahu's last term, a “Norms Bill” wishing to apply Israeli law to the West Bank was brought before the Ministerial Committee for Legislation by MKs Orit Strook and Yariv Levin. Due to the objections of then-Attorney General Yehuda Weinstein, Netanyahu suspended the move, and it remained that way until its recent reintroduction. At present, Israeli law states that any legislation passed in the Knesset will take effect in the West Bank through a GOC decree. The bill states that as a result, the hundreds of thousands of Israelis living beyond the Green Line live their lives not according to laws passed by the Knesset, but according to decrees issued by the GOC Southern Command. It further claims that many essential laws concerning such matters as medicine and rescue services, accessibility for people with disabilities and laws regarding the environment do not apply to these regions. Those promoting the bill stated that its purpose is “to allow normality in Judea and Samaria, as a step toward creating equality among all

Israeli citizens throughout the country.” During her speech, Shaked added that “it is important that the minister of justice hold political power and ability,” reiterating her opinion that the Israeli High Court deals in matters that “it should not be dealing with, settling disputes that should be resolved through policy making.” Shaked disclosed that she has spoken to former Chief Justice Aharon Barak regarding the possibility of signing in a basic law that would allow the Knesset to circumvent rulings made by the High Court, adding that at present there is a disagreement over the size of the MK majority that should be needed in order to pass legislation that bypasses the High Court’s decisions. ([Ynetnews](#) 2 May 2016)