



# 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

- Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) near the Israeli Jail of Ofar, in Ramallah governorate. The IOA fired live bullets, teargas and stun grenades, causing dozens of suffocation cases and the injury of a Palestinian. (Raya 5 September 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al-Madares neighborhood in Tequ village, southeast of Bethlehem city. The IOA fired teargas

grenades at Palestinians and houses, causing dozens of suffocation cases. (Al-Quds 5 September 2014)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) torched a number of olive trees on Wad Al-Hassen neighborhood in Hebron city.(NBPRS 5 September 2014)
- Dozens of Palestinian and international activists suffered gas inhalation after the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly non-violent protest against the Segregation wall and settlements in Bilin village, west of Ramallah city. The IOA fired rubber bullets, teargas and stun grenades at participants. (Maannews 5 September 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the weekly non-violent protest against the segregation wall and settlements in An-Nabi Saleh village, north of Ramallah city. The IOA fired metal bullets and teargas grenades, causing dozens of suffocation cases and the injury of others. (Maannews 5 September 2014)
- Dozens of Palestinians suffered gas inhalation after the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked a non-violent protest against the Segregation wall and settlements in Wadi Fukin village, west of Bethlehem city. The IOA fired teargas and stun grenades at Palestinians. (Maannews 5 September 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly non-violent protest against the segregation wall and settlements in Kafr Qaddum village, east of Qalqilyah city. The IOA fired rubber and live bullets and teargas grenades, causing dozens of suffocation cases and the injury of 2 people. (Al-Ayyam 5 September 2014)

### **Israeli Arrests**

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested two Palestinians after raiding and searching their houses in Beit Ummer town, north of Hebron city. The arrestees were identified as: Said Hani Nimir Adi (19 years) and Hamza Mohammad Hamad Adi (20 years). (Maannews 5 September 2014)

### **Expansion of settlements**

- Israel issues tenders for 283 homes in West Bank settlement. **After Israel announces largest West Bank land seizure since 1980s, Land Authority announces new homes in settlement of Elkana.** Israel published Friday tenders for 283 new homes in a West Bank settlement, just days after announcing its biggest land grab on Palestinian territory for three decades. The expansion of the Elkana settlement, in the northwest of the West Bank, was approved in

January and the tenders published Thursday, Israel's Land Authority said on its website. It came after Israel announced Sunday its biggest land grab in the West Bank since the 1980s, saying it planned to expropriate 400 hectares of land in the south of the territory, between the cities of Bethlehem and Hebron. That move drew international condemnation, even from ally the United States and some cabinet ministers. For example Finance Minister Yair Lapid said the move harms Israel, saying "We have just completed a military operation and we are facing a sensitive international arena. We are already struggling to preserve international support, why was it so urgent to create another crisis with the Americans just now?" Lapid asked rhetorically. The US State Department urged Israel to "reverse this decision," and UN Secretary General Ban Ki-moon said he was "alarmed" by Israel's plans. Israel's settlement building is seen as an obstacle to any lasting peace with the Palestinians, who want their future state to be on land much of which Israel has annexed or built settlements on. ([Ynetnews](#) 5 September 2014)

- MK Hotovely at Har Bracha: The Gov't Must Annex All Jewish Communities. Deputy Minister of Transportation Tzipi Hotovely attended Thursday on the 4<sup>th</sup> of September 2014, inauguration of a new neighborhood in the Samraian community of Har Habracha, not far from Shechem. "The Jews who live in these communities are the bulwark of the State of Israel, and they convey the message in no uncertain terms that the Jewish People are here to stay in their homeland forever," Hotovely said. "It is incumbent upon the Israeli government to support the growth and expansion of Jewish settlement throughout Israel so that there by sovereignty over all," she added. ([Israel National News](#) 5 September 2014)