



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 navy fired at Palestinian fishermen in their fishing boats while sailing off al-Sudaniya shore, north of the Gaza Strip. The attack caused damage to the boats, but no casualties were reported among the fishermen who fled the sea in fear of arrest or harm. (WAFA 6 August 2017)
- Israeli occupation Army (IOA) manning a sudden checkpoint that was erected at the eastern entrance of Qalqilyia city issued traffic tickets (fines) to Palestinian drivers (Public and Private Cars) entering and

exiting Qalqilyia city in the northern occupied West Bank. Some tickets amounted to NIS 1000.

Israeli Arrests

- In the northern West Bank, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Amina al-Ghalban, 24, the wife of Palestinian prisoner Abed al-Ghalban, from the Qalqilyia Governorate. Her husband was detained several weeks ago from their home in Qalqilyia city. (Maannews, WAFA 6 August 2017)
- Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians in the southern West Bank Governorate of Bethlehem. Two of the detainees were identified as Ahmad Ali Issa, 15, from the village of al-Khader, and Muhammad Mousa Ghayatha, 25, from the village of Nahhalin. (Maannews, WAFA 6 August 2017)
- Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians from al-Jalazoon refugee camp, in Ramallah/al-Bireh Governorate three of whom were identified as Ibrahim Abu Kharma, Muhammad Ramadan Elayyan, and Karam Makhoul Nakhla, who have been accused of carrying out an attempted drive-by shooting at the entrance of Israel's illegal Beit El settlement on Saturday night. (Maannews , WAFA 6 August 2017)
- In occupied East Jerusalem, Israeli police detained two Palestinians in the Arab neighborhood of Wadi al-Joz, and were identified as Najim and Abdullah Najim. (WAFA 6 August 2017)
- A Palestinian man was detained after crossing into Israel from the besieged Gaza Strip. The unidentified man was found in the northern part of Gaza on the Israeli side of the border. The Palestinian was detained and transferred to interrogations with Israeli occupation Army (IOA). (Maannews 6 August 2017)
- In the Hebron Governorate, Alaa Anwar al-Balawi, 22, was detained from the village of Beit Ummar. While al-Balawi is from al-Duheisha refugee camp near the city of Bethlehem, he was visiting his grandparent's house in Beit Ummar at the time. (Maannews 6 August 2017)
- A special Israeli force kidnapped Yousif Muhammad Ibrahim Jad Al Haq, 23, from Al Amari refugee camp while he was near Sky-land park in Ramallah city and took him to unknown destination. (WAFA 6 August 2017)

Israeli Settler Violence

- A group of Israeli settlers hurled rocks at Palestinian homes in the Jaber neighbourhood of Hebron's Old City in the southern occupied West Bank. Israeli settlers, escorted by Israeli occupation Army (IOA), threw rocks at Palestinian homes near the Ibrahimi Mosque and shouted curses at the Palestinian residents and threatened them with more terror actions and assaults. (Maannews 6 August 2017)
- Israeli settlers attacked Palestinians in the Wadi al-Hassin neighborhood, located directly beside Israel's illegal Kiryat Arba settlement. At least four Palestinians were injured during the incident. The settler attacks came some two weeks after an Israeli settler takeover of the Abu Rajab family home located in the Old City of Hebron near the Ibrahimi Mosque. (Maannews 6 August 2017)
- Israeli settlers resumed their incursions to Al Aqsa Mosque from Al Mughrabi gate escorted by the Israeli security Police. (WAFA 6 August 2017)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- Israeli police handed members of the Shamasneh family a final order issued by the supreme Israeli court asking them to leave their home, claiming it is Jewish property. The Shamasneh family said it rented the home in 1964, and has been paying the monthly rent regularly since then. (WAFA 6 August 2017)

Israeli Closures

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed Al Aroub's refugee camp southern entrance with an iron gate. The soldiers stationed at the gate and hindered Palestinian vehicular movement through it. (WAFA 6 August 2017)

Other

- The Israeli Supreme Court is scheduled to rule imminently on the four houses in the Sde Boaz outpost. In 2012, in coordination with then-Minister of Defense Moshe Ya'alon, the residents of the community agreed to evacuate four structures, and Ya'alon promised in return to work for legal planning and proper normalization of Sde Boaz. Since then, no progress has been made by the Civil Administration regarding the governmental promise given by the Minister. Last Wednesday, Supreme Court Justice Uri Shoham issued a temporary injunction preventing the demolition of structures in the community of Sde Boaz in Gush Etzion until a different decision is made. The

structures were slated to be demolished the day after the injunction. The community of Sde Boaz was established 15 years ago, near Route 60 south of Jerusalem. An extension of the community of Neve Daniel, over the years the community planned and built houses, roads and infrastructure with the help of NGOs for building the land of Israel and the Gush Etzion Regional Council. The established homes house families with children (about 30 families and about 100 children in the entire community). The state has a history of renegeing on its promises to Judea and Samaria residents. In 2012, Prime Minister promised senior Religious Zionist figure Rabbi Zalman Baruch Melamed to build 300 housing units in Bet El if the residents would peacefully evacuate Bet El's Ulpana neighborhood, which was slated for demolition. No such units have been built. Residents of Migron who were evicted from their homes in 2012 are still waiting for the government to implement its decision from 2012 to establish a permanent neighborhood at nearby Givat Hayekev. ([INN](#) 6August 2017)

- settlers of Netiv Ha'avot outpost in Elazar, Gush Etziyon are demonstrating opposite the Prime Minister's Office in Jerusalem during a meeting, demanding that the Prime Minister halt the destruction of Netiv Ha'avot. The settlers demand that the Prime Minister immediately approve the neighborhood's 17 homes and find alternative solutions for those whose homes may be demolished. Members of Netiv Ha'avot noted that since the Supreme Court's decision to demolish the neighborhood, no solution has been forthcoming, and neither has there been contact with residents of the neighborhood who are beginning to understand that, in a few months, they may find themselves without shelter. ([INN](#) 6 August 2017)