

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.

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Israeli Arrests

- Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two teenagers from their homes and took them in a military jeep to Israel's Gush Etzion detention center north of Beit Ummar. The two were identified as 18-year-old Faris Ibrahim Faris al-Duda and a former prisoner, 17-year-old Tariq Nasser Hilmi Abu Ayyash. (Maannews 9 July 2017)
- Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinians in Tulkarem refugee camp, one Palestinian was detained in the town

- of Dhinnaba, and another elsewhere in the Tulkarem Governorate. (Maannews 9 July 2017)
- Israeli authorities sentenced Khitam al-Saafin, the chairwoman of the Union of Palestinian Women's Committee, to three months in administrative detention. The IOA detained Al-Saafin in the village of Beituniya in the central occupied West Bank. The Ofer court extended al-Saafin detention in order to search computer that was confiscated in her home during the detention raid and to give the Israeli prosecution enough time to argue in favour of administrative detention. (Maannews 12 July 2017)
- Israeli forces detained a Jerusalemite Palestinian in Jerusalem at the central bus station in Jerusalem. (Maannews 9 July 2017)

Other

Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu confirmed during a security cabinet meeting on Sunday his decision to withhold a further \$1 million in Israel's membership dues to the United Nations and invest this money in a settlement museum, in protest of a recent UN Educational, Scientific and Cultural Organization (UNESCO) vote to inscribe Hebron's Old City and Hebron's Ibrahimi Mosque in the occupied West Bank on the World Heritage in Danger list. Friday's resolution, filed by the Palestinian Foreign Ministry, the Ministry of Tourism, the Hebron municipality, and the Hebron rehabilitation committee, argued that Hebron's Old City urgently needed protection from Israeli violations in the area that harmed the exceptional international value of the site. Friday's vote asserted that Hebron's Old City and the mosque would be registered in UNESCO's World Heritage List, and also stated that the two sites are to be recognized as being in danger, meaning that each year UNESCO's World Heritage Committee will convene to discuss their case. For more information, click to read full report. (Manews 9 July 2017)