

ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 4 December 2017

The daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats occupied Palestinian territory, the the in 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 against Palestinian civilians violence 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

 Several Israeli military army jeeps invaded Kafr Dan village west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, and fired many gas bombs at local youngsters, causing many Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The soldiers invaded the town from its main road, and harassed several Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded two schools in the village of al-Khader, south of Bethlehem, in the occupied West Bank, after firing gas bombs and concussion grenades at them. The IOA invaded two schools, one for girls and one for boys, causing anxiety attacks among several students. The soldiers later withdrew from the two schools, and harassed several children heading back home, leading to clashes. The army fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades; no injuries were reported. The IOA also chased many schoolchildren in the al-Baloa' area, in the center of the village, and briefly detained them. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- A Palestinian man was critically injured after Israeli occupation Army (IOA) shot a live bullet into his back during clashes that erupted in the Qusra village southeastern Nablus. Ahmad Fayiz Hasan, 24, was critically injured during clashes in the eastern area of the village. The bullet entered through Hasan's back and settled into the left side of his chest. Local Palestinians had gathered in the eastern area of Qusra after Israeli settlers had raided the area under Israeli army escort, stationing themselves in the area where an Israeli settler shot dead Mahmoud Odeh, a 48-year-old resident of Qusra. Locals tried to push out the dozens of Israeli settlers who raided the village in an attempt to provoke people, causing clashes to break out. Israeli soldiers fired teargas and live ammunition against locals. (Maannews 4 December 2017)
- A young Palestinian was shot and injured by the Israeli occupation army when they opened fire at his vehicle while driving on the road linking the villages of Karmel and Ma'on in Masafer Yatta, south of Hebron. (WAFA 4 December 2017)
- A Palestinian was shot and seriously wounded after clashes broke out between residents of the Palestinian village of Qusra near Nablus in the northern West Bank and Israeli settlers who raided the area, sparking clashes in the area. (YNETNEWS 4 December 2017)

Israeli Arrests

• In Hebron, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) briefly detained the head of Tiwani Local Council, Mohammad Ribhi Rib'ie, east of Yatta, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, in addition to council members Mahmoud al-Hamamra and Ismael al-'Amour, and several workers who were conducting maintenance work to rehabilitate a road linking Tiwani with nearby communities. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Issa Mohammad al-Hreimi, 17, from the city of Bethlehem. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Abdul-Rahman Amro Issa, 14, and Bilal Sbeih, 14, from the al-Khader village, south of Bethlehem. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained invaded many homes in Yatta town, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and detained Haitham Jamil Awad, 29. The IOA caused serious damage to Haitham's home, after violently breaking into it and ransacking its property. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Ummar town, north of Hebron, and detained Shadi Ibrahim Bahar, after invading his family's home and searching it. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Mohammad Abu an-Naseef, 40, from his home in Abu Their neighborhood. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the home of Essam Abu Hatab, in Jenin, and violently searched it. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the head of its Legal Departments, Lawyer Eyad Misk, after storming and searching his home in Kafr Aqab town, in occupied East Jerusalem. Misk was taken to Petah Tikva interrogation center, without informing him of the reasons behind his detention. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained at least 20 Palestinians, in different parts of the occupied West Bank, including Jerusalem. Among the abducted Palestinians are the head of al-Meethaq Institution for Human Rights, Lawyer Firas Sabah, and Lawyer Khaled Zabarqa. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four guards of the Al-Aqsa Mosque, in occupied East Jerusalem, and took them to several detention and interrogation centers. The IOA detained Luay Abu Sa'ad, while trying to enter the mosque through Bab al-Asbat (Gate of The Tribes). In addition, the IOA detained Ahmad Abu Alia, Fadi Abu Meizer and Qassem Kamal, from the courtyards of Al-Aqsa Mosque, and summoned Zeinat Abu Sbeih for interrogation. The detained four guards were among many Palestinians who intercepted Israeli settlers,

who invaded the Dome of the Rock mosque, last Sunday, accompanied by many senior military officers, and conducted provocative acts. The army later released Ahmad Abu Ali, Qassem Kamal and Fadi Abu Meizer, and threatened severe punishments if they intercept the settler again. The fourth guard, Luay Abu Sa'ad, was remanded for further interrogation. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, Rummana village, west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, detained a child and a young man, and released them after interrogating them for several hours. The IOA also installed a military roadblock, in the center of the town, before stopping and searching dozens of Palestinians and cars. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the home of a Palestinian woman, identified as Amira Hamdan, and violently searched it. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a child, identified as Mustafa Sa'ed al-'Amour, in addition to a young man, Mohammad No'man Abu Bakr, interrogated them for several hours at the military roadblock, and later released them. (IMEMC 4 December 2017)
- Israel's Ofer Military Court ruled to extended the detention of a wounded Palestinian teenager, Ibrahim Karajeh, 17, from the Halhul town in the southern occupied West Bank Governorate of Hebron until December 11. Karajeh who was <u>shot by Israeli occupation Army (IOA)</u> on November 17 in his shoulder and leg, was brought into the court on Monday in a wheelchair. The court extended his remand under the pretext of "continued interrogation." (Maannews 4 December 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) summoned Ahmad Sha'ban Yaseen from Anin village west of Jenin city to interview the Israeli intelligence Police in Salem detention center. The IOA raided the village and stormed the house of Yaseen before handing him the order. (WAFA 4 December 2017)

Other

• The Ziad Hamuda Jaber Elementary School for Boys is located in the Wadi a-Nasarah neighborhood of Hebron, about 50 meters from the road leading to the settlement of Kiryat Arba. Approximately 300 students attend the school. In order to reach the school, students and teachers must pass through a metal gate installed some 30 meters from

the school, separating the neighborhood of Wadi a-Nasarah from the Jaber neighborhood. The gate is positioned on the so-called "Worshippers' Route" that leads from Kiryat Arba to the Tomb of the Patriarchs (al-Haram a-Sharif). The gate prevents access by vehicles, but pedestrians are permitted to cross. Occasionally, and unpredictably, soldiers are stationed there and conduct random searches of passersby. Since 2002, the residents of the neighborhood have suffered from restrictions on their movement that affect both students and teachers at the school. Since 2015, some 30 students have been stopped and detained on their way to or from school, on the alleged grounds that they were involved in throwing stones. During October and November 2017, B'Tselem documented four instances in which soldiers harassed students passing through the gate. On 16 October, at about 12:30 P.M., some classes ended their school day and set off home. A few minutes later, some of them ran back to the school and told the teachers that two soldiers and a settler were chasing them and photographing them. To read full report. (BTSELEM 4 December 2017)