



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 23 April 2018

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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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- A Palestinian teenager died from very serious wounds he suffered, on April 1st, after Israeli occupation Army (IOA) shot him during a nonviolent protest near the border fence, in Khuza'a village, east of Khan Younis, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. The killed Palestinian has been identified as Tahrir Mahmoud Wahba, 18, who was shot in the head during a nonviolent procession, and remained in a very serious condition until his death. The Palestinian, who is also

deaf and cannot speak, was shot near the border fence east of Khuza'a town, east of Khan Younis. He was from Tal al-Sultan area, in nearby Rafah. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the Schools Street and the areas around the al-Quds University in Abu Dis town, southeast of Jerusalem. Clashes had broken out between young Palestinians and Israeli soldiers in the vicinity of the Abu Dis campus after the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the town and the university area to seal holes Palestinians have drilled in the apartheid wall Israel had built to separate the town from bordering East Jerusalem. The Israeli army shut down two schools in the area, a vocational college and an area around al-Quds University campus to seal shut the holes in the wall and to set up surveillance cameras in the area, where clashes usually occur. (WAFA 23 April 2018)
- A young man died from serious wounds he suffered in Rafah, in the southern part of the coastal region. The Palestinian, identified as Abdullah Mohammad Shamali, 20, from al-Barazil neighborhood, in Rafah. Abdullah shot in the abdomen with a live round fired by an Israeli soldier stationed across the border fence, and died from his wounds. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- A number of students suffered from suffocation due to inhaling tear gas fired at them by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) near their school in al-Lubban, to the north of Nablus in the West Bank. (WAFA 23 April 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Abu Dis town, southeast of occupied East Jerusalem, and fired many live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs, causing scores on injuries, including some who were shot with live bullets. The IOA attacked dozens of Palestinians who protested the invasion into the Schools' Street, and around the Al-Quds University. The army fired many live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at the protesters, wounding many, including some who were shot with live rounds, and causing scores to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The invasion was the second in less than 24 hours, after the soldiers invaded the town, and fired dozens of concussion grenades, gas bombs and live rounds at

local youngsters, who hurled stones at them. Many Palestinians were injured, some with live rounds. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)

Israeli Arrests

- In Jenin Governorate in northern West Bank, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed and ransacked many homes in the governorate, and detained five Palestinians, including two siblings who are also former political prisoners. The IOA detained Ahmad Mohammad Sa'adi, his brother, Nouredin, in addition to Firas Hani al-Ghoul, Mohammad Bani Ghorra and Mahmoud Ali Sa'adi. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young men, in their twenties, from their homes in the city. The two have been identified as Mohammad Zoheir Eshteivi and Mahmoud Abu Tayyim (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Qarawat Bani Hassan town, west of Salfit in northwestern West Bank, and detained Adnan Mer'ey, 21, after storming his home and searching it. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- In Hebron, in the southern part of the West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Halhoul town, north of the city, searched many homes and detained Mamdouh Hasan Abu Asba, 25, Mohammad Adnan al-Baba, Ali Sobhi al-Baba, 30, and his brother Mahmoud. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Taiseer al-Badawi, from his home in the al-Aroub refugee camp, north of Hebron, and Haitham Mreish, from his home in Hebron city. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the towns of Ethna, Halhoul, Doura and Yatta, and many neighborhoods in Hebron city, before installing roadblocks, stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)

- In occupied Jerusalem, dozens of Israeli soldiers invaded the al-'Isawiya town and Shu'fat refugee camp, also searched many homes and detained nine Palestinians. The detained Palestinians have been identified as Hussein Shadi Obeid (child), Qussai Dari, Adam Fadi Mustafa, Adham Sabta, 'Esmat 'Obeid, Mohammad Marwan 'Obeid, and 'Odai Ayman, Mohammad, from al-'Isawiya, in addition to Tha'er ad-Dabet and Monther Najjar, from Shu'fat refugee camp. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mujahid Abdel Fattah Ahmed Khalid (28), from Thinaba village and Bilal Munir Lotfi Ashqar (26) from Tulkarem in the northern West Bank. (Wafa 23 April 2018)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as Rashid Resheq, after invading and searching his home in the Old City of Jerusalem, and took him to an interrogation facility. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers members of the outlawed group Price Tag attacked for the second time the village of Ramoun, east of Ramallah. Settlers broke into the village during the night and vandalized three cars, slashed their tires and wrote hate slogans. (Wafa 23 April 2018)
- Members of the Israeli organization, Price Tag, vandalized dozens of Palestinian-owned vehicles and spray painted anti-Arab slogans on homes in the village of Beit Iksa, to the northwest of Jerusalem. The Israeli settlers damaged more than 20 vehicles and painted slogans that said "death to Arabs" and "price tag", among other racist, anti-Arab slogans. (Wafa 23 April 2018)
- 40 Israeli settlers, 41 Yeshiva students and 15 members of the Israeli Intelligence Police raided Al Aqsa Mosque through Al Magharbeh gate and carried out provocative tours amid intentions to perform Talmudic rituals. (Wafa 23 April 2018)

Israeli Military Orders

- The Israeli occupation army ordered five Palestinian families to leave their homes in Hamsa al-Foqa in the northern Jordan Valley because the Israel military intends to carry out exercises in that area. Five households from the Abu Kibash clan, have been ordered to stay away

from their homes on April 2 and May 1 and 8 from 6 in the morning until 2 in the afternoon while the military conducts drills in the area. (WAFA 23 April 2018)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

- The Israeli army bulldozers invaded Palestinian lands, north of Beit Lahia town, in the northern part of the Gaza Strip, and uprooted sections near the border fence, in addition to installing sand hills. (IMEMC 23 April 2018)
- Israeli bulldozers razed lands belonging to Palestinians from the village of Sur Baher, to the southeast of occupied Jerusalem, in spite of ongoing legal battle between its Palestinian owners and the Israeli authority. The bulldozers uprooted olive trees planted on 56 dunums, of farming land. The trees and land belong to four local families and has been planted for over 100 years with 500 olive trees, which landowners cultivate and harvest every year. The Israeli Authorities sealed off the area before the bulldozers proceeded to destroy the land and uproot the trees. A legal case regarding the land is pending in Israeli courts and has not been settled yet. Additionally there is an Israeli court order barring any work on the land for two months until a decision is made regarding its future. In 1972, Israeli authorities decided to seize this land. The owners objected to the decision, showing land deeds proving their ownership of the land. The judge, in 1984, banned construction on the land but allowed owners to use it for farming purposes. Israel announced its intention to build a settlement on the land 2010. The settlement was supposed to include 160 housing units exclusively for retired Israeli police and military members. (WAFA 23 April 2018)