



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 20 May 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

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded many neighborhoods in occupied East Jerusalem, and opened fire at protesters, in addition to attacking Palestinians holding social activities, celebrating the holy Muslim month of Ramadan. The IOA invaded several neighborhoods in the occupied city, and fired gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinians, who protested the invasion. The soldiers also imposed much harsher restrictions on the Palestinians in the city, while Israelis

celebrate Shavuot Jewish holiday. In addition, the soldiers attacked dozens of Palestinians holding social and religious activities, celebrating the holy month of Ramadan, in Bab al-'Amoud and Bas as-Sahera of the Old City. The Palestinians were attacked by soldiers and mounted officers, who invaded the two areas, and resorted to the excessive use of force against them. (IMEMC 20 May 2018)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the many neighborhoods in Silwan town, south of the Al-Aqsa Mosque in the occupied city, and attacked Palestinian protesters. (IMEMC 20 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Hizma and al-'Isawiya towns, and fired gas bombs and concussion grenades at many Palestinians, who protested the invasion. (IMEMC 20 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) briefly invaded the al-Makassed Hospital, in at-Tour neighborhood overlooking the Old City. (IMEMC 20 May 2018)

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Doura al-Qare' town, northeast of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and detained Mahmoud Jamal al-Masri and Nassim Rawhi Hamdan. (IMEMC 20 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes, before detaining a woman, identified as Rania Ahmad Ali. (IMEMC 20 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Tawfeeq Al Kharraz while crossing a sudden checkpoint south of Wadi Al Far'a area in Tubas City. (WAFa 20 May 2018) (IMEMC 20 May 2018)

Israeli Settler Violence

- 284 Israeli settlers raided Al Aqsa Mosque from Bab Al Magharba (Al Mughrabi gate) and carried out Talmudic rituals. (WAFa 20 May 2018)