



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 30 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

- Dozens of Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded several areas in the southern West Bank governorate of Hebron, before storming and ransacking many homes, and confiscated a Palestinian car, and a mobile phone. The IOA invaded the Old City of Hebron, and fired many flares, in addition to firing gas bombs and concussion grenades in the Salaam Street and the Schools Street. The IOA also launched a surveillance balloon over several areas of the Old City and invaded

and ransacked many homes, including those owned by Arafat Jamjoum and his brother, in Abu Rumman Mountain in Hebron city, and confiscated one car, in addition to invading the homes of Ammar Othman al-'Oweiwi, Rami at-Turk, and human rights activist Islam Khatib Tamimi, before confiscating his mobile phone. The army also invaded the home of former government minister, Engineer Issa Ja'bari, in addition to the homes of Sa'ad al-Qawasma and Rami al-Juneidi. The invasions into Hebron also targeted the University Neighborhood, Salaam Street, Ein Deir Bahha, and Wad Abu Kteila. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded Kharas and Nuba towns, northwest of Hebron, before storming and violently searching homes, and summoned Palestinians, including Mohammad Ibrahim Saya'ra and Ahmad Zidan al-Kassar, for interrogation in Etzion military base and security center, north of Hebron. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded many homes in Sinjer area, in Doura city, southwest of Hebron. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) continued the firing of missiles, targeting several areas of the besieged Gaza Strip, in what Israel called "retaliation to shells fired from Gaza into Israeli communities, across the border fence." The Israeli Air Force fired at least three missiles into a site west of Khan Younis, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. The Air Force also fired missiles into the port, east of Khan Younis, and a site in the eastern part of Sheja'eyya neighborhood, east Gaza city. Furthermore, Israeli military drones fired three missiles into the "Civil Administration Center," and two missiles into another site. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)
- The Israeli air force began dropping bombs in different parts of the Gaza Strip, claiming that they were targeting ' Hamas locations'. The bombs did not cause any injuries, but did damage a number of structures. The airstrikes totaled 25, in all areas of Gaza and resulted in the deaths of three Palestinians identified as Naseem Marwan al-'Amour, 20, who was seriously injured in the Israeli strike, and died from his wounds at the Europ and Hussein Samir al-'Amour, 25, and

Abdul-Halim Abdul-Karim an-Naqa, 28 in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)

- A seriously wounded Palestinian man, who was shot by Israeli army fire several days earlier, died. The Palestinian young man has been identified as Naji Maisara Abdullah Ghneim, 23, who was shot by an Israeli soldier stationed across the border fence, east of Rafah, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Bil'in village, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, before the IOA stormed homes, violently searched them and interrogated many Palestinians prior to abducting three of them. The IOA detained Khader Abu Rahma, 47, his son Issa Abu Rahma, 15, in addition to Mohammad Hamad, 25. The IOA parked their military jeeps in front of his home and prevented him from documenting the ongoing invasion while threatening to shoot him when he approaches them during the invasion. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Roq'a area, north of Yatta town, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, searched many homes and detained Qussai Khaled al-'Amour, 25, Shadi Na'im al-'Amour, 27, and Ibrahim Okasha Makhamra, 24. The soldiers also attacked and injured Amjad Makhamra, 27, before detaining his brother, Ibrahim. The Palestinians, who were detained in Hebron, were taken during and extensive Israeli military campaign, targeting dozens of homes and buildings, in several parts of Hebron governorate, in which the IOA also confiscated a car and a mobile phone. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)
- Dozens of Israeli occupation Army (IOA) conducted extensive and violent searches of homes in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem, and detained eleven Palestinians. The IOA interrogated many Palestinians, while searching their homes. The detained Palestinians were identified as: Adam Fadi Mustafa, 17. Bashar Nasser Mahmoud. Mohammad Abed Mahmoud. Rami Nasser Mheisin. Tha'er

Mohammad Mheisin. Saleh Abu 'Assab. Mohammad Abu Ta'a. Mohammad 'Oleyyan. Wadea' Oleyyan. Mohammad Younis Abu Sayma. Mohamad Aladdin Mahmoud. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)

- Several Israeli military ships attacked Palestinian fishing boats, near the shore in Gaza city. The fishermen were taken prisoner while fishing in Palestinian territorial waters, in front of the Shati' refugee camp, west of Gaza city. The two were placed in a navy ship, before they were moved to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 30 May 2018)

Israeli Settler Violence

- 66 Israeli settlers and 2 members of the Israeli Intelligence Police raided Al Aqsa Mosque in occupied Jerusalem and carried out provocative tours in the court yard of Al Aqsa Mosque. (Wafa 30 May 2018)

Expansion of settlements

- Following the defense minister's announcement last week that he intends to approve 2,500 housing units in the settlements with immediate approval and another 1,400 units with preliminary approval, the Higher Planning Council (HPC) convened today (30/5/18) to discuss 31 construction plans in the settlements with 1,958 housing units. 1,536 housing units, **approximately 80%, are in settlements that Israel would have to evacuate** within the framework of a two-state agreement (according to the potential border line proposed by the Geneva Initiative). The plans include the **establishment of two new settlements** (Zayit Ra'an and Brosh) by authorizing illegal outposts. **Most of the plans (at least 1,500 housing units) are clearly outside the "built-up area" of the settlements. The HPC approved a plan for 92 housing units for settlers, only one kilometer from Khan al-Ahmar, a Palestinian village slated for demolition. TO READ FULL REPORT, [CLICK HERE](#). ([PEACENOW](#) 30 May 2018)**
- The so-called "Civil Administration Office," run by the Israeli army in the occupied West Bank, has approved the construction of 450 units in Israeli settlements in the occupied West Bank. The new units will be part of Gush Etzion block, while the Regional Council in Gush Etzion Block is working on getting approval for the construction of an additional 17,000 new units. 170 units will be built in Daniel settlement.

84 units were approved in Kfar Eldad settlement and 38 in Kfar Etzion, south of Bethlehem, in addition to 150 units, which were previously approved. (ARN 30 May 2018)

- The so-called “Civil Administration Office,” run by the Israeli army in the occupied West Bank, has approved the construction of 102 units on 291 dunums of Palestinian to expand the settlement of Negohot settlement in southern Hebron. (ARN 30 May 2018)
- The so-called “Civil Administration Office,” run by the Israeli army in the occupied West Bank, has approved the construction of 92 units in Kfar Adumim settlement , north of Al Khan A Ahmar community in east Jerusalem. The Israeli announcement comes one week after the Israeli High court decision to demolish the entire Al Khan Al Ahmar Community. ([Haaretz](#), ARN 30 May 2018)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) erected a military checkpoint at the southern entrance of Jenin city, near Jannat Park, another checkpoint was also erected near As Shuhada junction, and at Arraba village crossroad. The IOA proceeded to stop Palestinian vehicles, search them and check Palestinians ID cards. (Wafa 30 May 2018)

Israeli Closures

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) surprisingly closed Ramallah-Al Jalazoun road and hindered Palestinian vehicular movement. (Wafa 30 May 2018)

Other

- Israel has announced that it will grant A5 humanitarian visas (one step below refugee status) to 300 asylum-seekers from Sudan in response to petitions on their behalf. According to ASSAF (Aid Organization for Refugees and Asylum Seekers in Israel), as of December 2017, some 35,300 asylum-seekers live in Israel; 92% are from Eritrea or Sudan. For years, asylum-seekers were not allowed access to the recognition process as refugees. Today, less than 1% are recognized as refugees in Israel, while in the rest of the world the percentage of Eritrean and Sudanese refugees is 84% and 69%, respectively. Thousands of asylum-seekers live in various cities in Israel without proper status, without a

work permit and without access to essential health and welfare services, legal aid or housing. ([ISRAELTODAY](#) 30 May 2018)

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