

# **ARIJ Daily Report**

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## Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

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

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of the village and burnt dozens of Dunams planted with olive and almond trees, in addition cutting many trees. The IOA then invaded the village, and attacked the Palestinians, before firing many live rounds at them, gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets. One Palestinian was shot with a rubber-coated steel bullet in his head and dozens suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA also fired live rounds at a press vehicle for Palestine TV. Israeli settlers caused the following damage to the Palestinian lands. Cut 40 olive saplings owned by Issam Safadi. Cut and burnt 62 saplings owned by Mohammad Shehada. Burnt and cut 12 olive and almond trees owned by Raed Sabah. Cut 14 olive saplings owned by Najeh Shehada. Burnt 18 fig and pomegranate trees owned by Shaher Shehada. (IMEMC 7 July 2018)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession against the Annexation Wall and colonies, in Kufur Qaddoum town east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, causing several injuries. The protesters marched from the center of the town heading towards their land, isolated behind the annexation Wall, while chanting against the ongoing Israeli occupation, its violations against the Palestinian people, and its illegal colonialist activities. The IOA fired many rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs and concussion grenades at the protesters, while several youngsters started hurled stones at them. Furthermore, the IOA hid behind Palestinian olive trees to ambush the protesters, and chased many young men, but were unable to detain any of them. Several Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 7 July 2018)
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• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) killed one Palestinian, and injured 396 others, after the army attacked the "Great Return March" processions, in the eastern parts of the besieged Gaza Strip. The killed Palestinian has been identified as Mohammad Kamal Abu Halima, 22. He was killed after shooting him with a live round in the chest, east of Gaza city. The IOA injured 396 Palestinians, including 57 with live fire. Among the wounded Palestinians, are thirteen children and three women. (IMEMC 7 July 2018)

### Israeli Arrests

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) resorted to the excessive use of force against nonviolent protesters in Bani Neim town, east of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, attacked many journalists and detained one of them. The IOA assaulted dozens of locals and international peace activists, who nonviolently protested the Israeli army's illegal annexation of Palestinian lands in Bani Neim, and fired many gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at them. The army also dragged and removed many protesters, attacked several journalists, and prevented them from performing their duties. Furthermore, the IOA assaulted and detained photojournalist Eyad al-Hashlamoun, after alleging that he "entered a closed military zone." (IMEMC 7 July 2018)

#### Israeli Settler Violence

 Israeli settlers cut down hundreds of fruitful vineyards belonging to Palestinians in the town of al-Khader, in the southern West Bank Governorate of Bethlehem, Israeli settlers cut down around 200 fruitful vineyards located adjacent to two illegal Israeli settlements; Efrat and Eliezer. (IMEMC 7 July 2018)