



ARIJ Daily Report

Applied Research Institute - Jerusalem (ARIJ)

P.O Box 860, Caritas Street – Bethlehem
Phone: (+972) 2 2741889, Fax: (+972) 2 2776966
pmaster@arij.org | <http://www.arij.org>

Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

13 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.

The text is not quoted directly from the sources but is edited for clarity.

The daily report does not necessarily reflect ARIJ's opinion.

Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli fighter jets, carried out airstrikes on an agricultural land located in the town of Beit Hanoun, northern Gaza Strip, causing financial damage to the site and to neighboring homes. The warplanes struck with about seven missiles into the targeted area, leaving financial damage and causing fire to erupt. The airstrikes caused fear among local citizens. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)

- A Palestinian child died from serious wounds he suffered when Israeli soldiers shot him in the head. The child, Jamal Abdul-Rahman Affana, 15, was shot with a gas bomb in the head near Rafah, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip, during the Great Return March. The gas bomb directly struck the child in his head, causing a very serious injury, and he remained in a critical condition until he passed died from his wounds. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) killed one Palestinian, identified as Jaber Salem Abu Mustafa, 40, after shooting him with a live round in the chest, east of Khan Younis, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Beit Rima northwest of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and detained Mahmoud Emad Rimawi, 20. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Nabi Saleh village northwest of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian protesters, causing many to suffer the severe effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- Several army jeeps invaded the al-Asakra village, east of Bethlehem, searched homes and detained Yazan Khaled al-Kamel, 18, and Ahmad Khalaf al-Kamel, 17. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, and detained three young men, in their twenties, identified as Saif Hisham Adwan, Hamada Adam Badwan and Mohannad Abu Shehab. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes Khirbit Abdullah Younis area, in Barta'a town, isolated by the Wall, southwest of Jenin and detained Younis Raja Kabaha. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)

- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched homes and detained Zeid Osama Yousef Nasser. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Emad Rimawi, 20, from his home in Beit Rima town, northwest of the city, after breaking into his home, and caused many Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation, in Nabi Saleh nearby town. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as 'Awwad Hamed, from his home in Silwad town, northeast of Ramallah. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Bassel Osama Qassem, 19, Nash'at Anwar Hamed, 26, Jihad Abdullah Abu al-'Arif, 24, Jamal Mahmoud Jaber, 55, and his son Baha', 25. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- In occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained stormed and searched homes and detained Mohammad Bader and Jawhar Jawhar, from Abu Dis town east of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 13 May 2018) (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- In Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a guard of Al-Aqsa Mosque, identified as Mohammad Salhi, after repeatedly assaulting him. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- Several Israeli military vehicles and bulldozers carried out a limited invasion into Palestinian lands, east of the al-Boreij refugee camp, in central Gaza, and installed sand hills while army drones flew overhead. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided and searched a number of Palestinian houses in Kherbit Abdullah Al Younis in Barata enclave southwest of Jenin city, and interrogated owners. The houses of Tamim Abdel Qader, Raja Ghazi, Younis Abdullah and Younis Qabha were among the raided houses. The IOA detained Younis Raja Younis Qabha after raiding his house in the Kherbit. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)
- The Magistrate judge decided to release nine Jerusalemites on condition of deportation from Bab Al-Rahmeh cemetery adjacent to the wall of Al-Aqsa Mosque. The Magistrate judge decided to release Sheikh Musa Odeh, Khaled Abu Tayeh, Khalid Shweiki, Emad Abbasi, 28, Mahdi Qara'een, Tarek Abbasi, 26, Hussam Hammoudeh, Emad Qaysi, 45, and Mustafa Awadon condition of deportation from Bab Al-

Rahmeh cemetery until next Thursday, and signing of a financial guarantee. The police demanded that the detainees be removed from the cemetery of Bab Al-Rahmeh, Al-Aqsa Mosque and the southern gates of the Old City of Jerusalem for 120 days and pay a 1000-NIS bail each. The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained six Jerusalemites from the cemetery of Bab Al-Rahmeh, while three others were arrested at dawn after storming their homes in Silwan. The detainees were accused of "participating in the protests inside the cemetery of Bab Al-Rahmeh." (SILWANIC 13 May 2018)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers intensified their incursions to Al Aqsa Mosque through Bab Al Magharbeh (Al Mughrabi Gate) under the protection of the Israeli Occupation Police. Around 1450 settlers raided the Mosque and carried out provocative tours and performed Talmudic rituals. (Wafa 13 May 2018)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- Jerusalem municipal authorities delivered an eviction notice to In'am Kneibi in the Um Haroun area of the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Sheikh Jarrah, Israeli settlement. The eviction notice states that Israeli forces may evict 77-year-old Kneibi and her family anytime between May 13 and May 27, 2018. The pretext for Kneibi's eviction is a suit filed by six Israelis who claim their families owned the home before 1948. (IMEMC 13 May 2018)

Expansion of settlements

- The Israeli occupation authorities approved the construction of a bridge to connect two illegal Israeli settlements in the Bethlehem area, in the southern West Bank. The Israeli authorities decided to build a 355-meters long suspended bridge that would connect the settlement of Beitar Illit A with the settlement of Beitar Illit B. The bridge would see land belonging to Palestinians in the village of Husan to the west of Bethlehem being taken over for the benefit of the bridge. (Wafa 13 May 2018)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) placed cement blocks at the entrance of “Gate No. 104” west of Tulkarem, thus closing the road that link Tulkarem with the 1948 Lands. (Wafa 13 May 2018)

Israeli Closures

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed Gayth and Al Salaymeh neighborhoods in central Hebron city and hindered Palestinian movement in the area. (Wafa 13 May 2018)

APRIL