

ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 20 July 2018

I he daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats occupied Palestinian the territory, the in 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 civilians violence 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) killed four Palestinians, identified as Mohammad Sharif Badwan, 27, who was shot with a live round in the chest, east of Gaza City, Mohammad Abu Farhana, 31, from Khan Younis, Mahmoud Khalil Qishta, 23, Mahmoud Khalil Qishta, from Rafah, and Sha'ban Rajab Abu Khater, 26, from Khan Younis. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)

- Israeli navy ships fired many live rounds at Palestinian fishing boats, near Gaza city, wounding one fisherman, and causing damage to several boats. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) also sprayed many boats with waste-water mixed with chemicals. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the Great Return March processions, along the eastern border areas of the besieged Gaza Strip, wounding at least five Palestinians, and causing dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA fired dozens of live rounds and high-velocity gas bombs at the protesters. The IOA shot two young men with live rounds in their legs, east of the Zeitoun neighborhood, east of the city. The two Palestinians suffered moderate wounds, while dozens were treated for the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA also attacked dozens of Palestinians east of Khuza'a town, east of the southern Gaza Strip city of Khan Younis, wounding two with live fire, and causing dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA shot a young man with live fire in Abu Safiyya area, east of Jabalia, in northern Gaza, suffering moderate wounds. dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation east of the al-Boreij refugee camp, in central Gaza, and east of Rafah, in the southern part of the coastal region. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession against the Annexation Wall and settlements in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, shot three young men, and caused dozens of Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA attacked the nonviolent protesters with live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs. The IOA also shot two young men with rubber-coated steel bullets, and caused cuts and bruises to one child, while dozens of residents suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded at-Tabeeb village, west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, and fired many gas bombs, causing several Palestinians to suffer the effects if teargas inhalation. The IOA fired many gas bombs at many homes in the village, after invading it. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the home of Beit Ummar former imam, Mohammed Ahmed Ismail A'adi, searched it and threatened him with night raids and terrorizing his family, on the pretext of inciting during his Fridays' religious sermons. His 28-yearold son, Asid, was also summoned to interview the Israeli intelligence Police at Etzion detention and Interrogation center. (WAFA 20 July 2018) (IMEMC 20 July 2018)

Israeli Arrests

- In al-Khader village, West of Bethlehem, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Bassam Salah, 14, While standing in front of his home in Umm Rokba area, south of al-Khader. The IOA cuffed and blindfolded the child, before moving him to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, Waseem Morad Rabay'a, from Methaloon town, south of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, while trying to cross the al-Karama Border Terminal, in his way to Jordan. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Haitham Siyaj, after stopping his at Jaba' military roadblock, north of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked Palestinian protesters in Bab az-Zawiya area, in the center of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, shot a young man and caused many residents to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The young man was shot with a rubbercoated steel bullet in his face. The IOA also fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades, causing several Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed all roadblocks leading to Tel Rumedia area and the Shuhada Street, in the center of Hebron city, and prevented the Palestinians from leaving the area, or returning to their homes after praying in the Ibrahimi Mosque. The Israeli army kept the area closed for more than one hour, and never provided any

justification for shutting it down in the first place. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) transferred Khaled al-Haj, a resident of Jenin, to administrative detention for four months for the third time in a row. (WAFA 20 July 2018)

Israeli Settler Violence

• Israeli settlers assaulted a number of Palestinian amateur hikers while they were on a weekly trek near the village of Nabi Saleh, to the west of Ramallah, in the occupied West Bank. Settlers from Halamish, attacked and verbally abused the hikers, who were passing through a forest near the village. The settlers beat some of the hikers and chanted racists slogans against them, in the presence of Israeli occupation Army (IOA). (IMEMC 20 July 2018)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

• Four Israeli bulldozers, escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) razed a road and destroyed a water line in Ar Ras Al Ahmar area, southeast of Tubas. The IOA declared the place a closed military zone, and prevented citizens from leaving their tents. (WAFA 20 July 2018)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

• The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) announced the illegal annexation of hundreds of Dunums of Palestinian lands in order to pave a new segregated road linking between the illegal colonies of Ofarim and Beit Aryeh, built on private lands, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah. The Land Research Center (LRC) of the Arab Studies Society issued a statement, revealing that the Israeli decision was made earlier this month, and aims at activating a structural plan, dubbed as 6/201, which aims at the illegal annexation of 355 Dunams of Palestinian lands in the al-Lubban al-Gharbi, northwest of Ramallah, and 'Aboud village, west of the city. The structural plan aims at linking the two settlements, regarded by Israel as one settlement, by paving a new road, creating a constant geographic continuity, by illegally

annexing more Palestinian lands. The new road will obstruct any natural growth of Palestinian towns. (IMEMC 20 July 2018)