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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

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m T}$ he daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats Palestinian occupied 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

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked many nonviolent Palestinian, Israeli and international peace activists in Bil'in village, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, after the army attacked the weekly procession against the Annexation Wall and Colonies. The procession started from the center of the village, heading towards the Wall, near Abu Lemon area, before the IOA started firing gas bombs, concussion grenades and rubber-coated steel bullets at them. Many Protesters suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 15 September 2018)

• Three Palestinians were killed and dozens others sustained injuries during the 25th Friday of "The Great March of Return" protests alongside the eastern borders of the besieged Gaza Strip. Hundreds of Palestinians had gathered, alongside the eastern borders of the Gaza Strip to take part in protests under the slogan of "Resistance is our Choice." The three Palestinians who were killed during protests have been identified as Muhammad Shaqqoura, 21, who was injured with a live bullet in the chest in eastern al-Breij in the central Gaza Strip, 12-year-old Shadi Abed al-Aziz Abed al-Aal, who was injured in eastern Jabaliya in the northern Gaza Strip and Hani Ramzi Affaneh, 30, from Khan Younis in the southern Gaza Strip. At least 30 Palestinians were injured. Two violations against medical teams were reported; one woman paramedic was injured. A journalist identified as Ismail al-Ghoul was also injured with a live bullet in the leg in eastern Gaza City. (IMEMC 15 September 2018)

Israeli Arrests

Dozens of soldiers invaded Tulkarem city, in northern West Bank, before storming the home of Legislator Fathi Qar'awi, ransacked them property and interrogated him along with his family. The soldiers also invaded Jabal an-Nasr, in Nour Shams refugee camp, in Tulkarem, before breaking into and searching the home of Fathi Qar'awi, and occupied his property for several hours before withdrawing. In addition, the soldiers invaded several neighborhoods in Nablus city, and surrounding areas, searched homes and opened fire on Palestinian protesters. The soldiers abducted Mohammad Mo'in Tabanja, from his home in Rafidia neighborhood, and Haitham Mahmoud al-Akka, from Khallet al-Amoud area. It is worth mentioning that Tabanja is the brother of two young men, who were recently abducted by the army. In related news, the soldiers conducted extensive searches of homes and buildings in the al-Hadaf area in Jenin refugee camp, in the northern West Bank city of Jenin, and caused many Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation during ensuing protests. The army also invaded Wad Burqin area, west of Jenin, and fired many gas

bombs and concussion grenades at local protesters. Many army jeeps also invaded Azzoun town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, and fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at protesters and many homes. Furthermore, dozens of soldiers invaded Shu'fat refugee camp, in the center of occupied East Jerusalem, searched many homes and abducted Adham al-Hindi, Amro Khashan, Ayman Abu Mayyala and Mahmoud al-Khatib. The soldiers were also heavily deployed in the Tihta neighborhood in the refugee camp, while army drones flew overhead. In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the soldiers invaded Umm Safa village, northwest of the city, searched homes and interrogated many young men while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 15 September 2018)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

An Israeli Bulldozer escorted by a police and military vehicles approached the Bedouin village of Khan al-Ahmar and began to move rocks and earth, in order to block access to the village via dirt roads on the outskirts, to prevent resident and activists from reaching the area. Soon after, locals and activists approached the bulldozer and started a passive, peaceful resistance by sitting in front of the machine, in order to prevent the aggressors from completing their "mission". After a few minutes, a large number of Border Police and regular Police officers reached the area and began to force people away from the machine; the police gave the activists 5 minutes to leave the area. A short time after they issued the warning to leave the area, the military and police began to use forceful violence. The Israelis aggressor began pushing and dragging the peaceful demonstrators blocking their illegal operation away from the area. During this use of force, the police also used violence towards the medical teams and press who were present at the site. An elderly man, very well known in the community as Abu Tiger, was violently attacked during his peaceful demonstration against the actions being carried out by the IOA. After being pushed to the ground he was dragged by multiple policemen, arrested and detained in a police vehicle, during this attack he was bleeding from the head and knocked unconscious. Multiple other people were arrested during this

assault: including Palestinian activist and a French-American professor and activist (Frank Romano). (IMEMC 15 September 2018)

Other

 The United States decided to block millions of dollars to programs that build relations between Palestinians and Israelis, as part of its policy to end all aid for Palestinian civilians. Previously, the designated funds went mostly to programs that organized people-to-people exchanges between Palestinians and Israelis, often for youth; some also went to programs for Israeli Jews and Arabs. (IMEMC, <u>Haaretz</u> 15 September 2018)