

# **ARIJ Daily Report**

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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

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- a live round in his leg, in addition to bullet fragments in the shoulder. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stationed at the entrance of Al-Aqsa Mosque in occupied Jerusalem prevented Palestinians from entering the mosque to perform the dawn prayers. (WAFA 28 August 2018)

#### Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched several homes in Kobar village, northwest of Ramallah, in central West Bank, and detained Mohammad Abdullah Abu al-Haj. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)
- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded al-Hadaf area, and Wad Burqin, west of Jenin, violently searched several homes and detained two Palestinians, identified as Mo'taz Abu Zeid and Mahmoud Kamel al-'Ayya. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)
- Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the Deheishe refugee camp, south of Bethlehem, searched homes, and detained Ahmad Mohammad Zaghari, 17, and Mohammad Khaled al-Khmour.
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained WAFA photographer Baha Nasr and others, among them the head of a local village council, after residents of the village of Ras Karkar, to the west of Ramallah, tried to prevent settlers from taking over their land to open a road to the area settlements. The residents came out to stop the settlers when the IOA giving cover to the settlers attacked the residents, showering them with tear gas and detaining Nasr, the head of nearby Kufr Nimeh village council Khaldoun al-Deek, and two other local residents. (WAFA 28 August 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and shot at least two young men, one seriously, during protests that took place after the soldiers invaded the Dahia area, in the eastern part of the city. The IOA fired live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs, wounding two Palestinians with live fire. One of the wounded Palestinians suffered a serious injury after a live round severed a main artery in his leg. The second Palestinian was shot with

- a live round in his leg, in addition to bullet fragments in the shoulder. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and violently searched many homes across the West Bank, and interrogated dozens of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. Among the detained Palestinians is a journalist, identified as Baha' Nasr, from Ras Karkar village, near Ramallah. The soldiers also installed roadblocks, stopped and searched dozens of cars, in several governorates. The detained Palestinians have been identified as: Mahmoud Kamel al-Ayya, Jenin. Mo'taz Abu Zeid, Jenin. Eyad Mahmoud Khalayla, Hebron. Mohammad Eyad Khalayla, Hebron. Ahmad Maher Hashash, Nablus. Ali Mahmoud Dar Saleh, Ramallah. Ahmad Zaghari, Bethlehem. Mohammad al-Khmour, Bethlehem. Baha' Nasr, Ramallah. Khaldoun ad-Deek, Ramallah. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)

#### Israeli Settler Violence

- A number of Israeli settlers attacked a Palestinian home in Orif village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Israeli hurled stones at the home of Nihad Najeh Abdul-Fattah, causing damage to the windows of the property. The attack came just a few hours after settlers, from Yitzhar settlement, invaded Einabus village, south of Nablus. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)
- A group of Israeli settlers accompanied by police officers, occupied a Palestinian land in Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood, in occupied East Jerusalem. The settlers invaded the area, accompanied by representatives of the so-called Absentee Property Custodian Department, invaded the area, and confiscated a private Palestinian land, owned by Abdul-Razeq Sheikh. The land is the front yard of the Palestinian home, and is approximately 50 square/meters. The IOA started bulldozing the land, and uprooting its trees and saplings, without a court order. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)
- Thousands of Jewish Israeli settlers forced their way into Joseph's Tomb in the northern West Bank city of Nablus under heavy Israeli military protection provoking confrontations with Palestinian residents

of the city. About 3000 settlers accompanied by the Israeli Construction and Housing Minister Yoav Galant and head of Settlements Council in the West Bank Yossi Dagan broke into Joseph's Tomb to hold Jewish rituals. Palestinian residents clashed with the settlers and soldiers, resulting in three youths getting injured. Others suffered from suffocation due to inhaling tear gas that was fired at them in large quantities by Israeli soldiers during the clashes. (WAFA 28 August 2018)

#### Home Demolition & Demolition threats

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a Palestinian home in Kobar village, northwest of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The IOA invaded the family home of Tareq Dar Yousef, and forced the family out before demolishing the property. The family received the demolition order, Monday August 27, 2018, informing them that their home would be demolished by September 13th, yet; the army demolished it a day after issuing the demolition order. (IMEMC 28 August 2018)

### **Erection of Outposts**

Settlers have established an unauthorized outpost near the settlement of Eli in the northern West Bank — possibly the latest move that makes it difficult for local <u>Palestinians</u> to gain access to their nearby land. Some of the five or so modest structures at the new outpost, which were put up in recent weeks, are for agricultural use and provide shelter for farm animals including geese. There is also a camping tent and a building that appears to be designed for residential use. Terraces of sorts have also been created that would provide space for additional buildings. At the entrance to the site, a Haaretz reporter also saw a van full of furniture. Israel has recently declared other land near Eli stateowned, providing territorial contiguity among enclaves of state-owned land in the area. The new outpost is located on one of these enclaves. Based on maps of the Israel's Civil Administration in the West Bank, the structures were put up illegally without permits on state-owned land surrounded by non-state-owned land. Some of the land in the area is farmed by Palestinians. Around the West Bank, settlers have been setting up farms near the outer edge of state-owned land, as in the case near Eli, in an effort to expand existing settlements. Even though they have been established without permission, no legal action has been taken against them. The Civil Administration is unaware of any construction at the site, a security source said, and Avi Roeh, who heads the Mateh Binyamin Regional Council, the local Israeli government authority, denied that his council had anything to do with the new outpost. (Haaretz 28 August 2018)