



# 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 5 February 2019

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

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) killed one Palestinian teen and injured another, near the entrance of the al-Jalama village, northeast of Jenin in northern West Bank. The slain Palestinian has been identified as Abdullah Faisal Omar Tawalba, 19, from the al-Jalama village, and the injured Palestinian has been identified as Omar Ahmad Hanana, 15. Tawalba was shot with several live rounds in the head and legs. The two were riding a motorcycle near the village, when the IOA opened

fire at them, and denied the Israeli military allegation, stating that the army will say anything to justify murdering Palestinians. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)

- A Palestinian man, identified as Ahmad Ghazi Abu Jabal, 30, died of critical wounds he sustained last week, after being shot by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) offshore the town of Beit Lahia, north of Gaza. Abu Jabal, from the Sheja'eyya neighborhood east of Gaza city, was shot and seriously injured, on January 29 2019, during a naval procession along Beit Lahia Sea and shore, in northern Gaza. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities, banned seven Palestinian women from accessing Al-Aqsa Mosque for two weeks. An Israeli court held a trial for a number of them. The IOA detained six Palestinian women and a girl as they were leaving the mosque via the gates of Hitta , Asbat, and Annather. The seven women were identified, by Al Ray, as Dina Tarwa, Zainab Tarwa, Ibtasam Tawil, Rania Ghazzawi, Jihad Al-Razzim, Suad Obaidiah, and Safa Imam. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the house of Ismael Yagmour in Beit Jala city north of Bethlehem city and confiscated the recordings of the surveillance cameras installed on his house. (Wafa 5 February 2019)

### **Israeli Arrests**

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian child from the al-Walaja village, northwest of Bethlehem, in the occupied West Bank. The IOA invaded the village, and abducted Fuad Mohammad al-A'raj, 16, while walking near his home. No protests were reported in the village, and the IOA handcuffed and blindfolded the abducted Palestinian teen before moving him to the nearby Etzion military base, in the illegal Gush Etzion colony. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) took a Palestinian youth into custody, claiming he attempted to cross the Israeli fence from the southern Gaza Strip. The was taken to investigation. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) opened fire on farmers and sheep herders near the borders of the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Soheir Barghouthi, the mother of [Saleh Barghouthi](#), 29, who was killed by the army on December 12, 2018. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained the wife of detainee Omar Barghouthi, and her brothers Zahi, and Saher Ismael Barghouthi. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- In Ramallah, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yousef Husam Hneini, Firas as-Sayes, Mo'tasem Saqfelheit, Samer Abdul-Salam, Ahmad Abdul-Hafeth, Ismael Soheil Harb, Hotheifa Lutfi Barghouthi, Hamza Awwad, and a teen with special needs, identified as Ehab Ayman Khweira, 17. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Bassam Ba'jawi, Mohammad Jawabra and Zeid Ahmad Ba'jawi. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Adnan Abdul-Rahim Jallad, Ahmad Mohammad al-Lubbadi, Kheirallah Mahmoud Shafe'ey and Ezat Makkawi Shadeed. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained one Palestinian, identified as Amin Farraj. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- In Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Nasser Deeriyya, Ibrahim Khaled Deeriyya and Fuad Mohammad al-A'raj, 16. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- In occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Hussein Abu Hussein Mashahra, Ahmad Mohammad Mashahra, Daoud Abda, Amer Abda, and Mohammad Daoud. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)

- In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mo'taz Abu Jheisha and Mojahed Mohammad Abu Jheisha. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- In Tubas, in northeaster West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ziad Abed Sawafta along with his sons Mahmoud and Thiab. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained five Palestinian teachers and one child, in Hebron's Old city, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, and held them in Keryat Arba' settlement for several hours. The IOA detained Sami Zohour, Mohammad Atawna, Hani Sa'ada, Karam Asafra, in addition to Mohammad Awad Zohour and his child, Awad. All of them are from Beit Kahil town, northwest of Hebron, and were on their way to al-Hajiriya School, in the Old City of Hebron. The school was unable to locate the teachers and the student, for more than five hours, before contacting the Palestinian police and the District Coordination Office, and realized that they were detained by the IOA and were held in Keryat Arba' illegal colony, which was built on Palestinian lands, east of Hebron. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)
- The five teachers and the child remained in detention for several hours, before the army decided to release them. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)

### **Israeli Settler Violence**

- The residents of Tekoa village, near Bethlehem in the southern West Bank were shocked to find placards posted around their village on Sunday by Israeli military settlers threatening their livelihoods if they associated with members of Israeli and international peace groups. The placards included a 'hit list' of photos of some of the leaders of the organizations in question, which include Rabbis for Human Rights, and the Popular Committee Against the Wall and Settlements. The statement also included a caveat that if residents worked with or talked to lawyers to secure their legal rights to their land, they would be targeted by the paramilitary colonial settlers. The posters stated that if any residents of the area choose to associate with any of the listed people or organizations, they would never be able to work again in the

Israeli settlements in the area. The publications included pictures of a member of the National Council and the Central Council of Fatah, Sheikh Dawood al-Zair, human rights lawyers and Nasri Suleiman, a member of the municipality of Janata responsible for monitoring the land threatened with confiscation. (MEMC 5 February 2019)

- Israeli settlers set up a mobile home on a plot of land belonging to the southern West Bank village of Tuqu, east of Bethlehem. A group of settlers stormed a 200-dunam tract of land, located to the east of the village, and set up a mobile home, aiming to establish an outpost under the protection of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA). (MEMC 5 February 2019)
- A group of Israeli settlers uprooted many olive saplings in the al-Hamra area, east of Yatta town, south of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. The settlers came from Ma'on settlement, which was built on Palestinian lands east of Yatta. The settlers uprooted 23 olive saplings in the al-Hamra area, east of the Tiwana village, and that the orchard is owned by Jom'a Mousa Rib'ey. (MEMC 5 February 2019)

### **Home Demolition & Demolition threats**

- The head of the Central Command of the Israeli army in the occupied West Bank, Major General Nadav Padan, signed an order authorizing the demolition of Assem's home, while the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) handed the family an order for the demolition of Saleh's home, after Israeli courts denied their appeals. (MEMC 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) Central Command Major General, Nadav Padan, signed an order to demolish the home of Palestinian prisoner Assem al-Barghouthi, in the Kobar village in northern Ramallah of the central occupied West Bank. The IOA also delivered a demolition notice to Saleh al-Barghouthi's house, Assem's brother. The demolition order was issued after an objection presented by the al-Barghouthi family against the demolition was rejected. (Maannews 5 February 2019)
- The Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem ordered citizen Majdi Abu Taya from silwan town to remove and clean the rubbles of his demolished

home after he was forced to demolish his own house some days ago under the pretext of un-licensing. (WAFA 5 February 2019)

### **Confiscation & Razing of lands**

- Dozens of Israeli occupation Army (IOA), accompanied by bulldozers, invaded Palestinian orchards in Bardala village, in the West Bank's Northern Plains, and uprooted at least 450 olive trees. The IOA surrounded the entire area, before invading it, and proceeded to uproot the olive trees, owned by several villagers. Last year, the army issued orders for uprooting the trees in that area, after alleging that the orchards are in "state-owned lands," which have been illegally confiscated. (IMEMC 5 February 2019)

### **Expansion of settlements**

- An Israeli plan to seize more than 1000 dunums of land planted with Olive trees and Palestinian homes in KHALLET ABED southeast of Jerusalem city. Israel is planning to construct a new bypass road that will extend from Abu Dis town (Mainly from Al Quds University) to the settlement of Ma'ale Adumim, to create a geographical contiguity between Israeli settlements in east Jerusalem. (WAFA 5 February 2019)

### **Other**

- Israel began construction on the over-ground portion of the Gaza border barrier that will connect to the under-construction sea barrier aimed at preventing the movement of the Hamas military wing out of the coastal enclave and into Israel. The Israeli Defense Ministry confirmed, that the over-ground section of the barrier will be 65 kilometers (40 miles) long and will be six meters (20 feet) high. The barrier, estimated to cost 3 billion shekels (\$833 million), will include a concrete wall fitted with sensors and reaching dozens of meters deep into the ground and standing six meters high from ground level. ([WAFA](#), YNETNEWS 5 February 2019)