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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

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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.

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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli navy ships fired, many live rounds at Palestinian fishing boats, and attacked them with water cannons, in Gaza territorial waters, in the Sudaniyya Sea area, northwest of Gaza city. The fishing boats were fishing less than three nautical miles in the Palestinian waters when the navy attacked them, causing damage. The fishermen had to sail back to shore without being able to fish and provide for their families, in fear of further Israeli violations. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in the towns of Bani Neim, Sa'ir and Beit Ummar, near Hebron, and the family of a journalist, identified as Ra'ed Sharif, in Hebron city, in one room while searching and ransacking their homes. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) confiscated four Palestinian vehicles, from the Beit Ummar town in the southern occupied West Bank Governorate of Hebron. The IOA raided the Khillet al-Madabe area in western Beit Ummar, and confiscated four vehicles. Reasons of confiscation were not yet identified. (Maannews 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched many homes in Beit Rima town, and interrogated the families. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded Sebastia town, north of Nablus in northern West Bank, and caused many Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA invaded the archeological area of the town, and forced the Palestinians away. Many youngsters protested the invasion, and hurled stones at the soldiers who fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at them. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)

Israeli Arrests

 The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinians, and stormed many homes in Bethlehem governorate, in the occupied West Bank. The IOA invaded and searched homes in the Shawawra village, east of Bethlehem, and DETAINED a former political prisoner, identified as Jamil Ibrahim Dar'awi, 39. The IOA also detained Mohammad Mousa al-As'as, 23, from his home in Dar Salah village, east of Bethlehem. The IOA caused damage to many of the invaded homes, and distributed leaflets in Teqoua' village, east of Bethlehem, threatening to impose further restrictions and collective punishment on the residents "if they continue to hold protests, and hurl stones at the army jeeps and settlers' cars." (IMEMC 11 April 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians from their homes in Salfit governorate, in central West Bank. Several army jeeps invaded Bruqin village, west of Salfit, and abducted Maher Zoheir Samara. The IOA also invaded and searched homes in az-Zawiya town, west of Salfit, and detained Mahmoud Mohammad Raddad, 24. The IOA also abducted Mohammad Hani Daoud, from his home in Hares village, north of Salfit. Furthermore, the IOA invaded the homes of Zaki al-Khoffash, in addition to political prisoner Sa'id Eshteyya, and the secretary of Fateh Movement, in Salfit city, and violently searched them. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched many homes in Ramallah governorate, in central West Bank, and detained two former prisoners, identified as Mohammad Ahmad 'Obeid, 23, from the al-Mazra'a al-Gharbiyya village, Ahmad Yousef Kharroub, from the al-Jalazoun refugee camp, in addition to Omar Hussein, 22, from Jifna town. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- In Bethlehem, south of occupied East Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Jamil Ibrahim Dar'awi, 39, from Shawawra village. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Mousa al-'As'as, from Dar Salah, east of the city. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yousef Mohammad Taqatqa, from Beit Fajjar, south of Bethlehem. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)

- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Islam Suleiman Abu al-Haija, from the al-Yamoun town, west of the city. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Fadi Mahyoub Khalifa, from Ejja town west of Jenin, after searching and ransacking their homes, and many surrounding properties. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- In Salfit, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Maher Zoheir Samara, from Bruqin town, west of the city. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Mohammad Raddad, 24, from Zawiya town. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Hani Daoud, from Haras town, north of the city. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, Bakr Jamal Mansour. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Sarkaji and Abdullah al-Mash'ati. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)

Israeli Settler Violence

- The Israeli Minister of Agriculture stormed the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound, along with a group of Israeli settlers and under armed security by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA). Israeli minister Uri Ariel stormed the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound through the Moroccan Gate, along with a group of Israeli settlers, under armed security by Israeli police. Israeli police also escorted the minister and settlers through their tour across the compound. (Maannews 11 April 2019)
- In occupied Jerusalem, groups of Israeli settlers continued their provocative tours into the courtyards of the Al-Aqsa Mosque, as dozens invaded the site, this time headed by the Israeli Agriculture Minister, Uri Ariel, who was also accompanied by soldiers and undercover officers. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)

Israeli Military Orders

The Israeli authorities issued 2 military orders to seize 1191 dunums from the Palestinian agricultural lands. Two of these orders are about the construction of 2 new settlement roads; one in the northern West Bank and the other in the Southern, while the third order is about closing areas for military purposes. Those military orders were as follows: First: The Howarah Bypass Road: This road starts from the Za'tara checkpoint and ends on the "Yitzhar" settlement Bypass Road, south of Nablus, noting that it will pass through the lands of Bita, Howarah and Burin villages and between the residents' houses. The seizure order, which was signed by the head of the Civil Administration, Brig. Gen. Ahaf Ben Hor, includes the following: A 406-dunum land for building a main road (Howarah Bypass Road), which meets the transportation needs of the Israeli and Palestinian residents in the area. The decision is titled as "Land Law (Acquisition for Public Needs) (Order No. 321) (Judea and Samaria), 5729-1969; (Howarah Bypass Road) No. 19/2/h. Israeli sources said, "The construction of a bypass road costs 250 million shekels. This road will be for both the Palestinians and Israelis. The construction works on the road will start upon the completion of Supreme Court's proceedings, to which the Palestinians are expected to resort to for challenging this order, noting that it might take up to two years to build it." According to the plans attached to the seizure order, the bypass road will start from Za'tara military checkpoint, pass by Bita Central Vegetable Market, pass through al-Nejma area, pass by Luna Park, and pass through the mountain, which is in front of the water well, towards Howarah village. **Second:** Al-'Aroub Bypass Road: This road starts from "Gush Etzion" settlement, south of Bethlehem, and ends in "Karmei Tzur" settlement, south of Hebron, noting that it will pass through the lands of Beit 'Ummar village, al-'Aroub refugee camp and Halhoul. The seizure order included the following: a 401-dunum land for building a main road (al-'Aroub Bypass Road) to meet the transportation needs of the Israeli and Palestinian residents of the area. The order is titled as "Land Law (Acquisition for Public Needs) (Order No. 321) (Judea and Samaria), 5729-1969; (al-'Aroub Bypass Road) No. 19/2/h." The available information about the above-mentioned road indicates that it will isolate al-'Aroub refugee camp, Beit 'Ummar village and parts of Halhoul village. Moreover, the road will pass through the most fertile agriculture lands in Hebron, which are famous for growing almonds and grapes. According to the plans attached to the seizure order, the Bypass Road will pass through parts of Khirbet Om Tale', Khirbet Brigout, Beit Za'ta, Abu Soda Mount, Fredees, al-Forn Mount, al-Sheikh Valley, al-'Aroub Valley, Beit 'Ummar lands, Khirbet al-Khaizaran, al-Hawawer, Ras al-Qady, Khirbet Um al-Daraj, Khirbet Beit Khorat, al-Jomjoma, 'Ein al-Shonnar, Um Suliman, al-Ramouz, Daher al-Bow, Wardan, lands in Halhoul village. Third: Seizure of new lands from Tubas: The Israeli forces issued 2 military orders signed by the the Israeli army's Commander in Judea and Samaria, Nadaf Badan. Under the first order, 283 dunums of Tubas lands will be seized while the second order was about seizure of 101 dunums of Tubas, Tamoun and Tayaseer villages. The two seizure orders included 384 dunums, while the area of lands that will be isolated was about 42,000 dunums, including the communities of Yerza, Ras al-Ahmar, al-Faw Valley, Kherbit al-Mayitah, parts of Khirbet Samra, al-Maleh, and 'Ain al-Hilweh. He also said that the Israeli forces closed 70% of Tubas and the northern Jordan Valley lands. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)

Israeli Closures

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) sealed off the entrance of the al-Fawwar refugee camp in southern Hebron in the southern occupied West Bank. The IOA sealed off the main entrance of the al-Fawwar refugee camp with an iron gate, preventing Palestinian vehicles from passing. The IOA also raided and searched a Palestinian home in the Bani Naim town; the home was identified as belonging to Omar Yahiya Basal. Israeli forces also raided the Sair and Beit Ummar towns.(Maannews 11 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) continued the isolation of Azzoun town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, for the fifteenth consecutive day, after the military closed it main road with concrete. The Israeli army has been conducting daily invasions, violent searches of homes and many detentions among the residents, especially the young men. The closure of the main road has forced the Palestinians to take long, rough and unpaved roads, just of be able to leave their village or reenter it. The Israeli army has been conducting serious

violations against the residents, including isolating large areas of their farmlands, to build and expand Israel's settlements. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed many homes in the area and closed the iron gates which the army installed on the entrances of Kifl Hares and Hares. (IMEMC 11 April 2019)