



ARIJ Daily Report

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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

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the eastern area of Nablus city, after accompanying dozens of Israeli settlers into Joseph's Tomb, and fired at Palestinian protesters, wounding at least 27, including a new born baby who suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, when the army fire a barrage of gas bombs at protesters, as well as several surrounding home. Many Palestinians suffered various cuts and bruises, and received the needed treatment. (IMEMC 24 April 2019)
- A young Palestinian man died in the Arab town of Arrabat al-Bottuf, in northern Israel, after the Israeli police chased him. Mohammad Majd Kamil, 22, from the town of Qabatia, south of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, was pronounced dead after falling from a considerable height while Israeli police officers were chasing him. The young man worked in Israel, as a laborer, and apparently did not carry a work or entry permit. (IMEMC 24 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the al-Thahriya, Yatta, Taffuh and a neighborhood in the Hebron Governorate, set up several checkpoints at the entrances of these towns obstructing movement and traffic. (Maannews 24 April 2019)

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the al-Khader town, south of Bethlehem, and detained four former political prisoners, identified as Ahmad Hussein Salah, Akram Ibrahim Salah, Shehada Mohammad Salah and Khalil Khaled Salah. (IMEMC 24 April 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Thannaba area, east of the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem, and detained a young man, identified as Islam Abu Handily. The IOA also installed roadblocks, stopped and searched many cars, and interrogated the Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 24 April 2019)

- in Nablus, dozens of buses, filled with Israeli settlers, and accompanied by many army jeeps, invaded the eastern area of the city, and headed towards “Joseph’s Tomb.” At least 15000 colonialist settlers, accompanied by members of Knesset of the Likud Party of Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, participated in the invasion, including Yossi Dagan, the head of “Settlements Council” in northern West Bank. (IMEMC 24 April 2019)
- Five Palestinians were detained by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) in the southern West Bank Governorate of Bethlehem. They were identified as Khalil Khaled Salah, Shihadeh Muhammad Salah, Akram Ibrahim Salah, Ahmad Hussein Salah, and Muntaser Abed al-Karim Sadouq. (Maannews 24 April 2019)
- In the northern West Bank Governorate of Tulkarem, one Palestinian was detained by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and was identified as Islam Raafat Haniya, 24. (Maannews 24 April 2019)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Dozens of Israeli settlers raided the al-Samou town, in the southern occupied West Bank Governorate of Hebron, to perform religious rituals for Jewish holidays. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) sealed off an archaeological site in the town to secure Israeli settlers’ visit. Dozens of Israeli settlers performed religious rituals at the site. (Maannews 24 April 2019)
- Eleven Palestinians were injured with rubber-coated steel bullets and suffered tear-gas suffocation, after clashes erupted between Palestinian youths and Israeli occupation Army (IOA) escorting Israeli settlers into Joseph's Tomb in the northern occupied West Bank district of Nablus. Five Palestinians were injured with rubber-coated steel bullets, including one in the head. Dozens of others suffered tear-gas suffocation. Dozens of Israeli settlers arrived in buses into Nablus City to visit Joseph's Tomb. (Maannews 24 April 2019)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished the family home of Omar Abu Laila, in the az-Zawiya town, west of Salfit, in Central West Bank. Dozens of IOA accompanied by military bulldozers, invaded az-Zawiya, late at night and headed towards the home. The army surrounded the town, and declared it a closed military zone,

preventing the Palestinians from entering or leaving it. The invasion was carried out by at least thirty armored Israeli military vehicles, including bulldozers. During the invasion, Israeli Army Corps of Engineers proceeded to wire the property, and detonated it several hours later. The IOA also attacked, and fired gas bombs and concussion grenades, at Palestinian journalists, trying to document the invasion and demolition. The detonated home was a four-story building; the explosion leveled the building, and caused damage to many surrounding homes. Prior to demolishing it, the IOA stormed and searched dozens of surrounding homes, and forced at least fifty families out of their homes. The invasion and demolition lasted for more than seven hours. (IMEMC 24 April 2019)