



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 17 May 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.

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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked and injured two young Palestinian men in occupied East Jerusalem. The two Palestinians suffered moderate wounds, before the IOA took them to a military base. The army released two young men shortly after detaining them.
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a child, identified as Mohammad at-Tunisi, 15, from his home in Ein al-Louza neighborhood in Silwan town, in Jerusalem. (IMEMC 17 May 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) resorted to the excessive use of force against the weekly nonviolent procession against the illegal Annexation Wall and Colonies in Ni'lin village, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, wounding several persons, and causing a few trees to burn. The IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs at local and international peace activists, who marched from the center of the village, heading towards the villagers' orchards, largely isolated behind the illegal wall. Several nonviolent protesters suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, and received the needed treatment. The IOA also fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades into the Palestinian olive orchards, causing many trees to burn, before the firefighters managed to control the fire. (IMEMC 17 May 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession against the Annexation Wall and Colonies, in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, wounding four Palestinians with rubber-coated steel bullets, including a child who was injured in his chest. The IOA resorted to the excessive use of force against the protesters, and fired rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at them. The IOA also broke into one home, and tried to ambush the protesters, in addition to using an under-construction home to fire at the protesters. Four Palestinians were injured by the rubber-coated steel bullets, including two who were moved to a hospital; one of them is a child, and several others suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 17 May 2019)

Israeli Arrests

- An Israeli military court convicted Wafa' Na'alwa, for what it alleged "her failure to prevent her son from carrying out a deadly shooting attack." The court claimed that Wafa' "knew of her son's intention to carry the shooting attack out," in Burkan Colony, near Salfit, in the West Bank. It added that Wafa' failed to stop her son, and "did not do her best in trying to prevent the shooting." According to the court verdict, her son, Ashraf Na'alwa, told his mother he had a weapon and intended to sell it, and that he later allegedly told her that he instead intends to carry out a shooting attack. It is worth mentioning that [Ashraf Na'alwa](#) was killed by Israeli soldiers on December 13th of last year, two months after he reportedly [killed two Israeli settlers](#), and the army [demolished his family's home](#) as an act of illegal collective punishment, on December 17th. It is worth mentioning that, prior to killing him, the army [repeatedly abducted members of his family](#), including his father, mother, sisters and brothers. (IMEMC 17 May 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained several young Palestinian men in Qalandia area, north of occupied East Jerusalem, while trying to enter the city for Friday prayers in the Al-Aqsa Mosque, on the second Friday of the holy Muslim month of Ramadan. The IOA chased and attacked several young Palestinian men, and prevented them from entering Jerusalem. The IOA detained several young men, and took them to an unknown destination. It is worth mentioning that, while Israel claims to allow the Muslim Palestinians to enter Jerusalem for Friday prayers, men under the age of 40 are denied access.
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Arraba town, southwest of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, searched homes, and detained Mohammad Mazen Sha'er, 25.

Israeli Settler Violence

- A group of fanatic illegal Israeli colonists invaded, Friday, Palestinian agricultural lands in 'Aseera al-Qibliya village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and burnt them. Ghassan Daghlas, a

Palestinian authority official who monitors Israel's colonialist activities in northern West Bank, said more than 60 illegal colonists invaded the farmlands, in the southern area of the village, and set them ablaze. He added that the colonists also hurled stones at several nearby homes, before the locals intercepted them. In related news, a group of colonists hurled stones at many cars and homes in Marda village, north of Salfit, in central West Bank. Causing damage, and wrote racist graffiti on several cars and walls. (IMEMC 17 May 2019)

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