



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 1 August 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

- Israeli police intercepted in the East Jerusalem town of Al Issawiyeh a bus carrying summer camp children going on a field trip and forced the bus to go to a nearby border guard's base. The police stopped the bus and steered it to the base where the children were later allowed to leave while detaining the instructors. (Wafa 1 August 2019)
- The Israel occupation army (IOA) raided the Ramallah-area village of Deir Nitham in the pre-dawn hours while residents were still asleep, broke into several homes and forced entire families to go out before taking 21 people to a nearby army camp where they were interrogated and held for several hours after which they were allowed to return to their homes. (Wafa 1 August 2019)
- An Israeli court remanded Palestinian photojournalist Mustafa Kharouf by one month. Kharouf, who works as photographer with the Turkish Anadolu news agency, was born in Algeria in 1987 to parents from Jerusalem. He came back to live in Jerusalem in 1999 with his family. But since he did not have any documents to live in Jerusalem, his stay here was considered illegal. He was detained on January 22 of this year after living in Jerusalem for 20 years with an intention to deport him. But since he did not have any residency papers anywhere else, no county, including Jordan, would accept him. On July 21, Israel attempted to deport him to Jordan but was unable to do so after he was denied entry into Jordan. (Wafa 1 August 2019)
- A Palestinian was shot dead during a shootout with an Israeli army patrol on the southern Gaza border. An Israeli army spokesman claimed that a Palestinian infiltrated the border near Khan Younis and engaged an army patrol moderately injuring an officer and lightly wounding two of the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA). The Palestinian was shot dead at the scene. An army tank shelled a post east of Khan Younis following the incident and fired several flares to light the skies. The Israeli army fired two tank shells at a location east of Khuzaa and shooting was heard along with Israeli warplanes were seen flying overhead. There were no reports of injuries. (Wafa 1 August 2019)

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation authorities summoned an 8-year-old girl from the southern West Bank city of Hebron for interrogation. This is the third such summons of children in recent days. The Israeli Occupation

Army (IOA) raided the home of Shadi Sadr in Hebron city center and handed him a summons for his daughter Malak, 8, to appear at an interrogation center for allegedly harassing the heavily-guarded Israeli settlers in the occupied part of the city. Israeli police summoned two days ago 4-year-old Mohammad Ilian and yesterday summoned 6-year-old Qais Obeid, both from Issawiyeh neighborhood in occupied East Jerusalem, for interrogation on claim the former threw a stone and the second a beverage at a police vehicle in the neighborhood. (Wafa 1 August 2019)

- The Israeli military authorities issued in July administrative detention orders against 100 Palestinians, some new and others extensions. The orders were between two and six months and can be indefinitely extended. Nine Palestinians held in administrative detention are currently on hunger strike, some of them for one month, to protest their detention without charge of trial and to demand their release. Many other detainees have secured their release after observing a long hunger strike, seen as the only way to get Israel to end extending indefinitely their detention. A total of 530 Palestinians are currently held in administrative detention, considered illegal in international law, for resisting the Israeli occupation, said the commission. (PPC, Wafa 1 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) summoned a second Palestinian child, in less than 24 hours, for interrogation. Qais Firas Obaid, 6 years old, from al-Eesawiyya, in the occupied city of Jerusalem, was summoned by The IOA for interrogation, just after a summon was issued to Mohammad Elayyan (4 years). The military sent Qais' family an official summons to come to the interrogation center in Jerusalem. The IOA also handed over an investigation of the Jerusalemite child Mohammed Elayyan (4 years,) from the town of al-Eesawiyya, in Jerusalem, under the pretext of "throwing stones at a vehicle of the occupation forces during the storming of the town." (IMEMC 1 August 2019)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) set up roadblocks in the north of the West Bank mainly on the road between Nablus and Jenin. The Israeli army claimed that shots were fired by a man on a motorcycle at an army patrol near the village of Beit Sharaf, north of Nablus, and that he was able to get away. No one was injured in the alleged attack, said

the army. Immediately after, the IOA began a manhunt for the alleged attacker and set up roadblocks from Beit Sharaf further north to the village of Burqa. (WAFA 1 August 2019)

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