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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 6 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

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized a number of vehicles in Ras al-Ahmar in the northern Jordan Valley. An Israeli military force raided Ras al-Ahmar community, where they seized a tractor and a private vehicle belonging to the local Palestinian farmers in addition to an Israeli truck. The truck, which belongs to a Palestinian citizen of Israel, was unloading a shipment of fodder to a local family. (WAFA 6 August 2019)

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two children and two sons, one of them a child, from Nahalin, near Bethlehem. The man and his sons were pouring concrete at their family home for a planned expansion when the IOA detained them. The IOA stormed the town and stationed themselves in the Sabiha area before confronting the Palestinian homeowner and detaining him and his sons. The IOA seized a pump and two concrete mixers that were being used for construction at the Shakarneh's family home, confiscated the drivers' ID cards, and forced them to transfer their equipment to the Gush Etzion Israeli settlement complex and military base. (MEMC 6 August 2019)
- 11 were abducted by the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) from the Nablus governorate. They were identified as: Dirar Ahmad Hammadneh, 58, and his sons Amr, 33, and Ahmad, as well as Abu Hassan Hammadna, 37, and Mohammad Sa'ada, 41, Hamza Abdullah Yassin, Mohammad Fayek Hamadneh, Omar Nidal Yassin, Baraa Essam Jarra'a, Adham Shuli, and Mohammad Abdel Fattah Khrouche, 23. (MEMC 6 August 2019)
- In the northern part of the West Bank, in the Jenin province, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians, all of whom are former prisoners: Mohammed Ali Ateeq, Muhtadi Jamil Al-Assi and Mohammed Farouk Abed. (MEMC 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided Jericho, in the southeastern West Bank, and detained Haitham Awwad Jarahid and Marwan Awad Jarahid. (MEMC 6 August 2019)

- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Abu Roumi. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Tareq al-Amouri was taken from his bed while sleeping by the Israeli occupation Army (IOA), from the town of Al-Eizariya in Jerusalem. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Faris Adel al-Titi, 24, Mu'tasim al-Sayed Ahmed and Mohammed Walid Hajjajra were detained by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) during early morning raids.
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the Journalist Mohammed Ateeq from Burqeen village west of Jenin city. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Amr Dharar Hamadneh, Sheikh Dirar Hammadneh, Adham Shuli Sa'ada, Hamza Yassin , Mohammed Hamadneh, Omar Deglas, Bara Jarrara, Ahmed Ibrahim Sawalha, Assem Deglas, Bara Jarrara, and Tariq Al-Ammouri from Asira al-Shamaliya in Nablus Governorate. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Majd Abu Roumi and Muzaffar Abu Roumi from Al Ezarieh town in occupied East Jerusalem. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Faris Adel al-Titi from Al Fawwar refugee camp south of Hebron. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Farouk Abed from Kafr Dan village near Jenin. (MAAN, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahdi Jamil Assi from Burqin village in Nablus Governorate. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Rameem al-Baik-from Bal'a village in Tulkarm Governorate. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Haitham Awad Grahid and Marwan Awad Grahid from Al Auja village north of Jericho city. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Zakaria Alyan from Al Isawiya town in occupied East Jerusalem. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) rounded up three Palestinians, all former prisoners, from Jenin Governorate. One of the three detainees was identified as Muhammad Ali Atiq, a journalist. (Wafa 6 August 2019)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers hurled stones at a Palestinian house and wedding hall in Urief village, south of Nablus. The settlers stormed the village, where they threw stones and empty bottles at a villager's house and wedding hall, smashing some of their windows. The house owner is Jamal Abdullah Shehadeh. No injuries were reported though in the attack. The settlers reportedly came from Yitzhar, an settlement inhabited by hardcore fanatic Jews. (Wafa 6 August 2019)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- Israeli police raided the Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiyeh, paving the way to a bulldozer to demolish a retaining wall and an outdoor ground. The police blocked the entrance to a Palestinian house, whose owner is not identified, as the demolition was carried out. The structure were demolished under the pretext that they were built without a permit. (Wafa 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished four structures and a house under construction in Bir Oneh village, Beit Jala city, west of Bethlehem. The IOA stormed and cordoned off the village, before a bulldozer demolished four barns and the foundations of a house under construction purportedly for being without a license. The owners of the barns and the house under construction were identified as Mohammad Zreineh and Daoud Ghneim, respectively. Zreineh's barns were demolished twice although he has a title deed which proves he is the owner of the plot of land on which the barns are built. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Israeli bulldozers demolished a Palestinian house and a retaining wall, in the occupied city of Jerusalem. Israeli police cordoned off an area in the Jerusalem neighborhood of Beit Hanina, as a bulldozer proceeded to demolish a house belonging to Eyad Khalil Kiswani. the demolition took place even though he had not received any prior notice. Kiswani himself, along with wife and three children, aged 13 to 16, were forced out of their 140-square-meter house by police at gun point before the demolition was carried out. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
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Expansion of settlements

- The Israeli government and the Civil Administration Office, the executive and administrative branch of the illegal Israeli occupation of the West Bank, including Jerusalem, approved the construction of hundreds of units in Gush Etzion bloc, south of Bethlehem. The approval was for 300 new units in Etzion. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- The West Bank's Civil Administration High Planning Subcommittee authorized the promotion of 2,304 homes in settlements and outposts, of which 838 received a final approval for construction. Some of the planned construction will take place in illegal outposts, thus formally granting them the state's approval; 98 homes in the Ibei HaNahal outpost and 98 in the Givat Sal'it outpost were approved for early planning. A plan to promote an educational facility in the Haroe Ha'ivri outpost, near Ma'ale Edumim and the Palestinian village of Khan al-Ahmar, set to be evicted for lack of permits, was also approved for early planning. The Gush Etzion Regional Council Head, Shlomo Neeman, said in response that, "this is huge news for the south-east of Gush Etzion, to Jewish settlements in the Judean Desert and to the entire settlement movement." The Peace Now leftist movement said that approving the building of new homes in West Bank settlements is "a part of the destructive policy set to prevent a peaceful solution and the two-state solution and bring about the annexation of the West bank." "Hypocrisy is sky rocketing when the government grants its approval to an illegal outpost built by Israelis right next to the Palestinian village of Khan al-Ahmar, where construction isn't allowed. "The wrong is unforgivable when after destroying 72 homes because they built by the separation barrier in Wadi al-Hummus, the government approves a whole neighborhood for settlers by the barrier fence," concluded the organization statement. ([Ynetnews](#) 6 August 2019)

Other

- Israeli occupation authorities are holding the bodies of 253 Palestinians in the “numbers” cemetery and 45 bodies in refrigerators. The Israeli Authorities have been holding Palestinian bodies for many years, using them as a means of returning their captures soldiers from Gaza. The Knesset approved, in February of 2018, a law which attempts to justify this act, with the primary reading; 57 members in favor, 11 against, 11 abstentions. The law gave Israeli occupation police the right to hold the bodies and impose conditions on funeral ceremonies, as well as the location and manner of any burial. Under the draft law, Israeli police are not required to return any bodies unless they are given some form of assurance that the funeral will not present a chance to support “terrorism and incitement”. The numbers cemetery is a closed military site. The tombstones are marked with numbered plates instead of names. Access to them is prohibited, for relatives and human rights institutions. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)