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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Dozens of Palestinians suffered the severe effects of teargas inhalation, on Wednesday evening, after Israeli soldiers attacked them when they intercepted a group of illegal colonialist settlers who invaded their lands, and burnt olive trees, in Madama village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Ehab Al-Qet, a member of Madama Village Council, told the Palestinian News & Info Agency (WAFA), that the colonists attacked the southern area of the village, before local youths incepted them and started throwing stones at them. He added that many soldiers were in the area with the colonists and started firing a barrage of gas bombs at the villagers, causing dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. Al-Qet also said that the colonists set many olive trees ablaze, while the soldiers prevented the Palestinians from reaching their orchards to extinguish the fire. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

- Two Palestinians were killed and dozens were injured when Israeli occupation Army (IOA) heavily opened fire at the peaceful demonstrators taking part in the Great March of Return in the Gaza Strip. Ali al-Ashqar, 17, and Khaled al-Raba’i, 14, were killed by IOA bullets and at least 66 protesters were injured by live ammunition and tear gas bombs. Thousands of Palestinian citizens demonstrated along the border fence between the Gaza Strip and the 1948 occupied Palestinian territories on the 73rd Friday of the Great March of Return. Since the start of Gaza’s border protests on 30 March 2018, the Israeli occupation army has killed 327 Palestinians and injured over 32,000 others. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) shot and injured a number of Palestinian citizens in the weekly demonstration of Kafr Qaddum village in the West Bank Governorate of Qalqilya. The protesters chanted slogans condemning the Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu’s visit to the Ibrahimi Mosque in al-Khalil. The IOA fired rubber-coated metal bullets and stun grenades at the peaceful demonstrators injuring three of them. The IOA chased the youths on the streets and clashed with them, but no arrests were reported. Earlier on the day the IOA installed a military checkpoint at the entrance to Kafr Qaddum obstructing the movement of Palestinian residents. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) violently attacked a Palestinian protest in Bab al-Amud area in Jerusalem against the killing of women.
The IOA physically assaulted the peaceful protesters and forced them to evacuate the area. The protest was organized by a group of activists against the death of Palestinian women at the hands of Israeli Army or in honor crimes, and to support detained women in Israeli jails. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers fired, on Friday at night, several artillery shells into Palestinian lands, northeast of Beit Hanoun, in the northern part of the coastal region. Media sources in Gaza said the shells landed and detonated in farmlands, causing no casualties among the Palestinians. They added that the Israeli Air Force was extensively seen and heard flying over Gaza city, and the northern parts of the coastal region. The Israeli army said it was retaliating to five shells, which were reportedly fired from the Gaza Strip, on Friday, evening, and landed in open areas near Shear HaNegev settlement and Sderot, and added that siren alerts were sounded in various communities across the perimeter fence with Gaza. On Friday, Israeli soldiers killed two Palestinian children, and injured 81 civilians, including 38 children, one journalist and two paramedics, among them a female, during the Great Return March processions in the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

- At least three Palestinians were injured with rubber-coated metal rounds today, by Israeli occupation forces, during the weekly anti-settlements protest in the village of Kafr Qaddoum, northern West Bank, local WAFA sources said. Israeli soldiers attacked the protesters with rubber-coated metal bullets and tear gas, injuring three protesters and causing many cases of suffocation. The injured were treated on the scene by Palestinian Red Cross medics. Almost every Friday, villagers from Kafr Qaddoum, and neighboring villages, organize a nonviolent protest against illegal Israeli settlements, calling on Israeli authorities to reopen the village’s main road, which has been sealed by the occupation since 2002. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

- Israeli navy ships opened fire, on Friday evening, on several Palestinian fishing boats in the Sudaniyya Sea area, northwest of Gaza city. Media sources said the boats were in Palestinian waters when the navy attacked and opened fire on them. The attack did not lead to casualties, but forced the fishermen back to the shore to avoid further escalating from the navy. Also on Friday, Israeli soldiers attacked the Great Return March processions in the Gaza Strip killing two children, and wounding 81 civilians, including 38 journalists, one journalist and two paramedics. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)
• The Palestinian Health Ministry has confirmed that Israeli soldiers killed, Friday, two children and injured 81 civilians, including 38 children, one journalist and two paramedics, after the army attacked the weekly Great Return March processions along the eastern parts of the besieged Gaza Strip. The soldiers fired live round and rubber-coated steel bullets at the protesters who gathered at many encampments along the border, killing Ali Sami Ashqar, 17, from Jabalia refugee camp, in northern Gaza, after shooting him with a live round to the chest. Furthermore, the soldiers killed another child, identified as Khaled Abu Baker Mohammad al-Rabi’ey, 14, from the Shejaeyya neighborhood, in Gaza. Among the wounded Palestinians in Gaza are 38 children and two paramedics, including a female. In related news, the Israeli army claimed its soldiers arrested, on Friday evening, two Palestinians who reportedly crossed the perimeter fence. According to the Palestinian Center for Human Rights (PCHR), Israeli forces have killed 210 Palestinian civilians since the outbreak of the Great March of Return protest on March 30, 2018. In addition, nearly 14,000 Palestinians have been injured, some severely, while exercising their right to peacefully protest the siege on Gaza. The weekly protests call for lifting the Israeli blockade of the Gaza Strip and for the return of the Palestinian refugees to their ancestral homes in pre-1948 Palestine. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

• Israeli soldiers confiscated, Saturday, two electricity generators in Wad az-Zarzeer area, and abducted one Palestinian near the Ibrahimi Mosque, in Hebron city, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Several army jeeps and armored vehicles invaded Wad az-Zarzeer area before the soldiers broke into a property, owned by a Palestinian family, and confiscated two electricity generators, which he placed on his land. The soldiers also abducted, Nabeeh Taha Abu Sneina, while walking near the Ibrahimi Mosque, in the Old City of Hebron, and took him to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 9 September 2019)

• The Israeli Air Force fired, late on Sunday at night, several missiles into areas in the northern, central and eastern parts of the Gaza Strip, causing excessive damage; the army claimed it was retaliating to a shell fired from Gaza. Media sources in Gaza said the army fired several missiles into an area near the Nusseirat refugee camp, in central Gaza, causing excessive damage without leading to casualties. They added that the army also fired missiles into a site in Beit Lahia, in northern Gaza, and another building southeast of Gaza city, causing excessive
property damage, and that Israeli navy ships fired many flares near Gaza city. According to the Palestinian Quds News Network, two of the targeted sites are run by the al-Qassam Brigades, the armed wing of Hamas, in northern and central Gaza. The Israeli army claimed that it was retaliating to one shell, which was reportedly fired from the Gaza Strip, and landed in an open area near Sderot in the Negev, leading to a “brush fire,” according to Israeli Ynet News. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers shot and seriously injured, on Monday afternoon, a young man, near the central West Bank city of Ramallah, after the army attacked youngsters protesting the death of a Palestinian detainee in Israeli prison. The Palestinian was seriously injured by Israeli army fire, north of al-Biereh city, and was rushed to Palestine Medical Complex, in Ramallah, suffering a life-threatening injury, before he was admitted to surgery. The soldiers also shot a journalist, identified as Abdul-Rahman Younis, while documenting the protests. The Israeli attacks took place when dozens of students of Birzeit University marched towards the northern entrance of Ramallah, protesting the death of a detainee, identified as Bassam as-Sayeh, 47, from Nablus, who was diagnosed with bone cancer in 2011, and Leukemia in 2013, but did not receive the needed specialized medical treatment in Israeli prisons. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Jabal al-Mawalih area in Bethlehem. The IOA raided a bakery owned by a Palestinian resident and wreaked havoc on it. After searching the bakery, the IOA deployed in the neighboring areas and searched other places. No reasons were given for the campaign. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) launched artillery attacks on two resistance posts in the north of the Gaza Strip. An Israeli artillery unit bombed two resistance posts in Beit Lahia several times. No casualties were reported by the medical authorities in Gaza. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) launched several aerial attacks on the Gaza Strip, with no reported casualties. The Israeli warplanes launched four airstrikes on an abandoned civilian house in the southwest of Deir al-Balah City in central Gaza. Over seven air-to-surface missiles also targeted a resistance post in the east of Beit Lahia in northern Gaza. The attacks caused extensive material damage to the bombed sites. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)

- Israeli warplanes launched two raids on the northern Gaza Strip, early Thursday. Palestinian sources said, according to the PNN, that an Israeli reconnaissance aircraft fired two missiles at a site in the town of
Beit Lahia, followed by an F16 raid on the same site a few minutes later. No injuries were reported during the raids. Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said, Wednesday evening, that Tel Aviv was on its way to destroy the rule of Hamas, as he put it. Netanyahu was asked, in a lengthy interview by Channel 7, “what had happened to his promise in 2009 that he would destroy Hamas’s rule.” The prime minister said: “We are working on this, unfortunately we cannot avoid the military operation, I run a group of areas, and we work in all those areas.” It is noteworthy that Netanyahu already threatened, several times, that his army is preparing for a large-scale military operation in the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)

• Israeli soldiers invaded, on Thursday at dawn, the central West Bank city of Ramallah, before storming and searching of headquarters of the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine (DFLP), and confiscated surveillance recordings and equipment. Media sources in Ramallah said the soldiers invaded Tannous Building, in the center of the city, before storming the DFLP office, and violently searching it. They added that the soldiers also confiscated surveillance recording and equipment, and other contents, from the invaded office. During the invasion, the soldiers fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian protesters. The soldiers also invaded Umm ash-Sharayet neighborhood in Ramallah, before storming a shop, and confiscated surveillance recordings. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)

• The Israeli Air Force fired several missiles into the Gaza Strip, on Wednesday at night, reportedly after shells were fired from the coastal region into Hof Ashkelon and Kibbutz Zikim, causing minor damage. Media sources in the Gaza Strip said the Israeli army fired at least two missiles into a site, believed to be run by the al-Qassam Brigades the armed wing of Hamas in Beit Lahia, in northern Gaza, damaging it and causing fire. They added that, just minutes after the first strike, the army fired missile into the same site, and destroyed it. On Monday evening, the soldiers abducted two Palestinians, who reportedly breached the perimeter fence, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip, and claimed that the two carried knives and wire cutters. Israeli sources said the Air Force fired many targets in northern Gaza after rockets sirens were sounded in Kibbutz Zikim and Hof Ashkelon Regional Council, close to the fence with Gaza. They added that some of the sirens were later reported as false alarms, but said that, on Wednesday evening, a shell which was fired from Gaza, caused minor damage to a home in Hof Ashkelon. On Monday at night, the Israeli
army targeted fifteen sites in area in the northern and central parts of
the Gaza Strip, and said that the targeted structures included “a
weapons’ production structure,” in addition to “a compound for
Hamas’s armed wing and a naval force center.” (IMEMC 12 September
2019)

- Dozens of Palestinian citizens suffered from their exposure to tear gas
fumes during violent clashes with the Israeli occupation forces (IOF) in
al-Arroub refugee camp, north of al-Khalil in the West Bank. According
to local sources, a large number of Israeli forces stormed al-
Arroub camp and embarked on firing live and rubber bullet as well as
tear gas and stun grenades at homes in the camp, which provoked
clashes with local young men. The Palestinian citizens in the West
Bank are exposed to daily violations and assaults by Israeli soldiers,
who raid their areas and homes under different security pretexts.
(PALINFO 12 September 2019)

- An Israeli warplane last night bombed a resistance site belonging to the
Palestinian resistance in the north of the Gaza Strip. A reporter for the
Palestinian Information Center (PIC) that a warplane fired at least
three missiles at a resistance post in Beit Lahia in northern Gaza, with
no reported casualties. A spokesman for the Israeli occupation army
claimed the air raid was in response to the launch of projectiles
towards Israeli communities around the border with Gaza. In earlier
incidents, the Israeli artillery bombed on Wednesday afternoon two
resistance posts belonging to al-Qassam Brigades of Hamas in northern
Gaza. The occupation army also carried out aerial attacks on the same
day at dawn on different targets in central and northern Gaza.
(PALINFO 12 September 2019)

- Scores of civilians were treated of the effects of tear gas inhalation, as
Israeli troops attacked a nonviolent procession, and Friday prayers, in
Kufur Malek village, east of Ramallah, in central West Bank. After
holding the Friday prayers, people marched towards the nearby
segregated road for illegal colonialist settlers, before Israeli troops
showered them with tear gas and stun grenades. Cars parked nearby
sustained damage due to the tear gas bombs fired by the Israeli
Occupation Army (IOA). The IOA also assaulted protesters, medics
and journalists. The IOA closed all roads leading the village to stop the
action, however many were able to arrive to the location and hold the
Friday prayers. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded a mosque in the al-
‘Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem, and fired gas bombs, causing at
least three Palestinians to suffer the severe effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA stormed the al-Arba’in Mosque in al-‘Isawiya, and fired several gas bombs at the worshipers. At least three worshipers suffered the severe effects of teargas inhalation. The attack took place just after the local worshipers finished evening prayers in the mosque. The IOA also installed a roadblock at the main entrance of the town and started filming in the area.

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Hamsa alt-Tihta area in the West Bank’s Northern Plains, before stopping many Palestinians and collected their personal information, and later withdrew from the area. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)

• Dozens of Palestinians suffered different injuries when the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) heavily opened fire at the peaceful protesters taking part in the Great March of Return in the Gaza Strip. 55 Palestinians were wounded by IOA live bullets and tear gas bombs on the 74th Friday of the Great March of Return. The Great March of Return was launched along the border between the Gaza Strip and the 1948 occupied Palestinian territories on 30 March 2018 to call for lifting the Israeli siege on Gaza and demand the right of return for the Palestinian refugees. Since the start of the border protests the IOF has killed 324 Palestinians and injured over 32,000 others. (PALINFO 13 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and ransacked several homes in Barta’a town, isolated behind the illegal Annexation Wall, south of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, causing damage. Owners of some of the invaded homes have been identified as Jamal Masoud, Ayed Masoud, Ali Masoud and Abdullah Masoud. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession against the Separation Wall and settlements, in Kufur Qaddoum village, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, causing many injuries. The Palestinians, accompanied by international peace activists, marched from the center of the village, heading towards the village’s main road, which has been blockaded for the last sixteen years. The IOA attacked the protesters immediately after they started marching in their village, an fired many gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets at them. Dozens suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, and others suffered cuts and bruises, before receiving treatment at the local clinic. The IOA also tried to ambush and detained the protesters by hiding behind trees, or around homes and their yards. (IMEMC 14 September 2019)
• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) injured, dozens of Palestinians, among them children, including a girl with special needs, in the al-‘Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA invaded the town and fired gas bombs at many homes, and streets, without any provocation, causing dozens of Palestinians, including children, to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. One of the wounded children is a little girl with special needs, who passed out for around three minutes while in her room after suffering the severe effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 14 September 2019)

• In Ramallah, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) broke into and ransacked a house in Deir Nidham village overnight, with no reported arrests. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

• In Jerusalem, The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al Issawiya town and fired volleys of tear gas grenades at homes, causing one child with special needs to suffer from inhaling the resultant fumes. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

• Several Israeli army vehicles invaded Palestinian lands east of Rafah city, in the southern part of the coastal region. Three armored vehicles, and two military bulldozers, left their base near Sofa Crossing, east of Rafah, and advanced dozens of meters into Palestinian agricultural lands. The army bulldozed sections of the invaded lands and installed sand hills, near the perimeter fence. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired many gas bombs at Palestinian shepherds, east of Khan Younis, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured 46 Palestinians, including children, after the army invaded the al-‘Ezariyya town, east of occupied East Jerusalem, leading to protests, and fired many gas bombs at protesters and many surrounding homes and cars. One child, was directly shot with a gas bomb to her head. Six members of the same family suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, while in their car, and received the needed treatment. The invasion and protests first started in al-Qanatra Bridge area, before spreading to the rest of the town, and that the IOA also surrounded the area of al-Aziz Mosque, and fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)

• Armored Israeli bulldozers carried out a small-scale incursion into the east of Khan Younis, south of the Gaza Strip. Two bulldozers advanced from a military post behind the security fence in a border area in the
east of Khan Younis and embarked on leveling tracts of land. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Monday at night, the village of Taybeh, west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, and fired many gas bombs at protesters, causing several Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. Media sources said the soldiers fired a barrage of gas bombs at random, casing many Palestinians, including families in their homes, to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The village, especially the homes near the illegal Israeli Annexation Wall, witness frequent Israeli invasions and violations. (IMEMC)

- Israeli occupation forces (IOF) on Tuesday arrested two Palestinian youths near Ein Bubin area, west of the West Bank city of Ramallah, over alleged knife possession. The Israeli website "0404" claimed that two Palestinians were arrested near Ein Bubin on suspicion of attempting a knife attack. It added that the detainees were later transferred to an Israeli interrogation center. Ein Bubin is a natural spring located in Deir Ibzi town west of Ramallah. Many Palestinian citizens own farmlands there but they are denied access to their property by the Israeli authorities. The Palestinian site is constantly targeted by Israeli settler groups who aim to completely take over the area. (PALINFO)

- The Israeli occupation navy on Tuesday morning opened fire at Palestinian fishermen and their boat off the coast of central Gaza. According to a Facebook page “documenting Israel’s violations against Gaza fishermen,” an Israeli gunboat attacked the fishermen as they were working within nine nautical miles off the coast of Wadi Gaza area. The naval forces opened fire at the fishing boat and forced the fishermen aboard it to leave their net behind in the water and retreat to the permitted fishing zone, which is six nautical miles off the shores of Gaza. Israeli gunboats are around Gaza fishermen almost every day, harassing them, shooting at them, damaging their boats, and making arrests. Sometimes fishermen are injured or killed during gunfire attacks. Under the 1993 Oslo accords, Palestinian fishermen are permitted to fish up to 20 nautical miles off the coast of Gaza, but since then Israel has kept reducing the fishing area gradually to a limit between six to three nautical miles as part of its blockade on Gaza. (PALINFO)

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- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Monday at night, Einabus Palestinian village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and shot two Palestinians with rubber-coated steel bullets in addition to causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation after illegal colonialist settlers attacked homes. Ghassan Daghlas, a Palestinian Authority official who monitors Israel's illegal colonialist activities in northern West Bank, said several army jeeps invaded the village after the residents intercepted and clashed with illegal colonialist settlers who invaded their community, and attacked a few homes. He added that the soldiers started firing gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at the Palestinians, wounding two with rubber-coated steel bullets and causing scores to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. Daghlas stated that the soldiers shot Suleiman Hasan Abu Sa’da and Miladi Hasan Miladi with rubber-coated steel bullets, and caused dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC)

- Israeli soldiers, today, assaulted an elderly Palestinian at an army checkpoint to northwest of Ramallah, according to witnesses. They said that soldiers, stationed at a checkpoint outside the village of Deir Nitham, stopped a car driven by Saleh Tamimi, 52, and forced him out of his car before they started beating him for no apparent reason. Tamimi became unconscious and was quickly transported, by village residents, to hospital in Ramallah, WAFA further reports. The Israeli army has, for several days, closed two access roads to Deir Nitham, and has established a permanent checkpoint on the third access road, where residents say they are regularly harassed by the soldiers manning the checkpoint. (IMEMC)

- Israeli navy ships opened fire on several Palestinian fishing boats near the shore of Gaza city. The Palestinian fishing boats were less than three nautical miles from the shore of the Sudaniyya area, northwest of
Gaza. The attack did not lead to casualties but forced the fishermen back to the shore in fear of further violations. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- A Palestinian woman, who was shot and killed by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) after an alleged stabbing attempt. The slain Palestinian woman was later identified as Ala’ Nafeth Wahdan, 28, from Qalandia refugee camp. After she was shot, she was left bleeding for a long time, before an Israeli ambulance moved her to Hadassah Israeli Medical Center in Jerusalem, where she succumbed to her wounds. Following the incident, the IOA closed the terminal and fired many Palestinians with pepper-spray while trying to remove them from the area. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- A child was admitted to Istishari Hospital in the central West Bank city of Ramallah, with very critical bullet wounds after settlers and Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided al-Mazra al-Gharbieh village north of Ramallah. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- In Abu Dis, east of Jerusalem, a young man was shot in the leg during confrontations after the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) entered the village. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- In Tubas in the northern Jordan Valley, youths resisted the invasion of the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and settlers, in response the IOA fired teargas directly at the youths, causing five suffocation cases, one requiring hospitalization. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Deir Nitham village, northwest of Ramallah, searched several homes and photographed several teenage boys. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- Several army jeeps invaded Hebron city, in addition to Bani Neim and Sa’ir towns, east of the city, and searched homes. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded a home, belonging to members of Abu Rajab family, near the Ibrahimi Mosque in Hebron city, in addition to the home of Abdul-Hamid Abu Jaroush in Bani Neim town, in addition to the homes of former political prisoner Younes al-Kawazba, and current political prisoner Islam Kawazba. It is worth mentioning that Younes is the father of Ahmad Kawazba, 17, who was killed by the IOA at Gush Etzion junction, north of Hebron, on Tuesday, January 5th 2016. The soldiers confiscated posters and
pictures of the slain Palestinian and violently searched the homes. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured many Palestinians with rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs, during protests that erupted after the army invaded Halhoul town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. The IOA invaded the town to accompany dozens of settlers, to tour in Prophet Younis mosque, leading to protests. The IOA fired many gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at the protesters, causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation, in addition to shooting several others with rubber-coated steel bullets. In addition, the IOA and the settlers also stormed Hebron’s Commercial area in Bab az-Zawiya. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- Seven Palestinian residents were injured when a homemade shell was fired from Gaza targeting nearby Israeli settlements but landed and detonated in a home in the eastern area of Rafah, in the southern part of the coastal region. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided at around 2:00am the office of Addameer Prisoners Support and Human Rights Association. The IOA stole five laptops, memory cards, three laptop memories, one laptop card, several books and additionally searching through the belongings of the office. This is the third incident where the IOA have raided the office, the first was in 2002 and the second incident was in 2012. (WAFA 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) cut water supply to the village of Bardalla in the northern Jordan Valley after shutting down the water taps supplying the village with its daily water needs. The IOA raided the village and proceeded to shut the pipes supplying the village’s around 2000 population with their daily water needs without giving any reason for this action. (WAFA 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) closed the water pipes which supply Palestinian residents in the village of Bardale, in the northern Jordan Valley, east of the occupied West Bank. The IOA stormed the village in the early morning and closed a number of pipes which supply the area, without mentioning any reasons. (IMEMC 20 September 2019)

- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded, Deir Ghassana Palestinian village, northwest of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The Israeli army invaded
the village and started stopping the Palestinians and their cars on its main road. The army also searched many cars and interrogated the Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. Several Palestinian youngsters protested the invading army jeeps, while the army fired rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, a Palestinian home in the al-‘Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem, and interrogated a child in the property, after alleging that she was filming them when some youngsters reportedly hurled stones at their jeep. The child and her family were on the rooftop of their home barbecuing with relatives. The IOA started interrogating her and asking her if she saw who threw stones at them and if she filmed it on her phone. The child, Sondos Omar Atiya, 12, denied the allegations of the IOA, and that she was on the rooftop with her family and relatives barbecuing and socializing. The IOA then examined several phones, and questioned her father, before leaving the property. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured fifteen Palestinians after the army invaded the al-‘Ezariyya town, east of occupied Jerusalem. Several army jeeps invaded the town and fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at Palestinians protesting the invasion. The IOA also fired many gas bombs directly at several homes in the town, causing damage and injuries. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Azzoun town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, attacked and closed several shops, leading to protests, before the army shot and injured six Palestinians during ensuing protests, one of them, identified as Naji Mofeed Radwan, 25, was shot with a live round in the abdomen. Two others were shot two with rubber-coated steel bullets, and three who suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. In addition, the IOA closed several shops on the main road extending from the town’s entrance to Azzoun Highschool for Boys and prevented the Palestinians from reaching the local mosque for evening prayers. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded, the archeological area in Sebastia Palestinian town, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the area and fired a barrage of gas bombs at the Palestinians to force them away. Many Palestinians protested the invasion, and hurled stones at the soldiers
who fired live rounds and more gas bombs. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

- At least eight Palestinians sustained rubber-coated steel bullet injuries and suffocation during clashes that broke out with Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) at the northern entrance to al-Bireh in Ramallah. Dozens of Birzeit university students demonstrated in solidarity with Palestinian prisoners on hunger strike in Israeli jails and in protest of Israeli measures against them. The IOA attacked demonstrators with rubber-coated steel bullets, tear gas canisters, and stun grenades, injuring at least eight people. The IOA also closed the northern checkpoint known as the DCO, near the northern entrance to al-Bireh city, in both directions in the aftermath of the clashes. (WAFA 23 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed an archaeological site in the town of Sabastia, to the northwest of Nablus, leading to violent confrontations. Dozens of IOA raided the site amid the firing of live bullets and tear gas canisters toward residents, provoking conflict. No injuries or arrests were reported. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

- Two Palestinian paramedics, suffered injuries after Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) targeted them, as they performed their duties during skirmishes between local youth and IOA in Eizariya town, occupied Jerusalem. The Red Crescent paramedics were rushed to the Makassed emergency unit; one of them was hit by a tear gas canister, in his face, and that the other received a foot injury from a rubber-coated steel bullet. The IOA violently stormed Eizariya town, and began firing tear gas grenades and rubber-coated bullets at Palestinians citizens, which provoked confrontations with young local men. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed the Hebron headquarters of the Union of Palestinian Women Committees and seized computer hard discs and other equipment. Sara Mtair, director of the Hebron office of the Women Committees said that the IOA raided her office early this morning, in this southern West Bank city, ransacking it and seizing a camera and a number of computers, while trashing files and damaging furniture. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the northern West Bank city of Nablus, to accompany buses transporting colonialist settlers to visit “Joseph’s Tomb”, east of the city, and attacked dozens of protesters, causing many injuries. The IOA accompanied dozens of
settlers into the site, after invading and surrounding the adjacent Palestinian communities. Many Palestinian youngsters protested the invasion, while the IOA fired gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets. The invasion into the site, and surrounded areas, was carried out by dozens of IOA, accompanying around 1200 settlers. It is worth mentioning that Israel’s Education Minister, former Chief Military Rabbi, Rafi Peretz, and the head of the Regional Council on Settlements, Yossi Dagan, accompanied the settlers in this invasion. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) confiscated a Palestinian car in the ar-Ras al-Ahmar area, in northern Jordan Valley, without providing and cause of justification. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- Israeli police, ordered a Palestinian butchery owned by owner Fadi Zahdeh located in East Jerusalem to shut down for 15 days, for hiring Palestinian help. The police raided his shop in Silwan, took him to their station where he was questioned about hiring a Palestinian resident of the West Bank who did not have a permit to be in Jerusalem. The police ordered that his shop will be closed for 15 days, as a punishment for hiring the Palestinian and that he will be arrested if he opens it during this period. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured several Palestinians in Batn al-Hawa neighborhood, in the central West Bank city of Ramallah, after invading it and surrounding a residential building. The invasion was carried out by at least twenty military vehicles before the IOA surrounded the residential building. The IOA also invaded the al-Jammal nearby building and installed a sniper post on its rooftop, in addition to breaking into and searching a warehouse used for medical supplies. The invasion led to protests with many Palestinians who hurled stones at the army vehicles, while the IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs, concussion grenades, rubber-coated steel bullets, and several live rounds. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, and that a fire broke out due to the intensity of the gas bombs and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- A large Israeli military force invaded, the areas surrounding al-Am’ari refugee camp, al-Quds Street in al-Biereh city, and Kobar town north of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The soldiers invaded al-Quds Street before storming and ransacking many homes, and residential buildings, and interrogated dozens of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The Army force also invaded homes near the al-Am’ari refugee camp, and al-Quds Street in al-Biereh city, in addition to Kobar
town, north of Ramallah. Many Palestinian youngsters protested the invasions, while the army force fired gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets. Several army vehicles invaded the town, and were mainly stationed at its main road, stopped and searched dozens of cars while the residents were trying to leave for work or school. The Israeli force also invaded a land, owned by Abdul-Karim Barghouti, and started bulldozing it without any cause or justification. In addition, the Israeli army safely detonated two explosive devices in an open area in Kobar. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at protesters near Birzeit University, and Abu Shkeidim village. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- Scores of Palestinian citizens were wounded on Friday when Israeli occupation forces (IOF) opened fire at the peaceful protesters in the Great March of Return in the Gaza Strip. The Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza said that 63 Palestinians were injured by live ammunition and tear gas canisters, including four medics. Hundreds of Palestinians marched on the 76th Friday of the Great March of Return along the border between the Gaza Strip and the 1948 occupied Palestinian territories. The marchers voiced their rejection of the conspiracies aimed at liquidating the Palestinian cause, particularly the Deal of the Century, and the US-backed Israeli settlement policies in the West Bank and Jerusalem. Since the start of the Great March of Return on 30 March 2018, the IOF has killed 324 Palestinians, including children, and injured over 32,000. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)

- Dozens of Palestinian citizens and foreign activists choked on tear gas fired by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) at the protesters taking part in the weekly demonstration in Kafr Qaddum village in the West Bank Governorate of Qalqilya. The IOA heavily fired tear gas canisters and rubber-coated metal bullets at the demonstrators wounding dozens of them. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) launched a teargas attack on Palestinian citizens from Nazlat Issa town, north of Tulkarem, causing many of them to suffer from their exposure to the resultant fumes. The IOA suddenly showered a large number of Nazlat Issa residents with tear gas after they gathered near a military gate at the separation fence in their area in Tulkarem in an attempt to go to Palestinian towns on the other side of the fence. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured several Palestinians, during protests that took place after the army invaded the areas Surrounding Abu Dis University, in Abu Dis town, east of occupied East Jerusalem.
The IOA invaded the town after a few young men tried to dig a hole in the illegal Annexation Wall in the town and added that the IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades. Protests erupted in the town, especially around Abu Dis University, in addition to the entrance of as-Sawahra ash-Sharqiya town. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation and received the needed treatment. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured several Palestinians in the ath-Thaher area, in Beit Ummar town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. Several army jeeps invaded the ath-Thaher area, and attacked many Palestinian protesters. The IOA fired many gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at the protesters, and several surrounding homes. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked dozens of Palestinians holding prayers and a nonviolent gathering in the lands of as-Sawahra ash-Sharqiya village, east of occupied Jerusalem, to protest the illegal colonialist outpost which was installed on their lands in the ad-Dibba area. More than 100 Palestinians gathered on their lands and held Friday noon prayers, which were led by the Mufti, Sheikh Mohammad Hussein. The IOA fired many gas bombs at the Palestinians, causing dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The Palestinians also marched in the area, carrying Palestinian flags and chanting against Israel’s illegal colonies, violations, and its ongoing occupation. The IOA prevented the Palestinians from marching close to the newly installed illegal outpost, and near the protest tent which was recently demolished and removed by the army. The demolished protest was installed two days ago by activists of the Colonization and Wall Resistance Commission near the illegal outpost which was installed by the colonists on September 15th, after they brought mobile homes and water tanks. (IMEMC 28 October 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, and caused dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The Palestinians, accompanied by Israel and international peace activists, marched marking the 19th anniversary of the Al-Aqsa Intifada while chanting against the ongoing illegal Israeli occupation, its colonies, and ongoing violations. The IOA, including army jeeps that invaded the area, started firing live rounds, concussion grenades, gas bombs, and rubber-coated steel
bullets. Scores of Palestinians suffered the severe effects of teargas inhalation. The army tried to chase and detain Palestinian youngsters but was unable to do so. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- On 76th Friday of Great March of Return, A Palestinian civilian was killed and 86 civilians were injured as a result of the Israeli military’s continued use of excessive force against the peaceful protests along the Gaza Strip’s eastern border; 22 children, 4 female paramedics, 5 male paramedics and 2 persons with disabilities were among those injured. This Friday witnessed an escalation in the use of excessive force against the protesters as injury of 5 of them deemed serious; one died after hours of his injury while 4, including a child and a female paramedic, are still in a very serious condition. Further, 40 protestors were shot with live bullets while the Israeli forces escalated their attacks against the medical personnel, which enjoys protection under the international humanitarian law, wounding 9 paramedics, including a female paramedic deemed in a very critical condition. 212 killings by Israel since the outbreak of the protests on 30 March 2018, including 46 children, 2 women, 9 persons with disabilities, 4 paramedics and 2 journalists. Additionally, 14,056 were wounded, including 3,020 children, 429 women, 244 paramedics and 215 journalists, noting that many of those injured had sustained multiple injuries on separate occasions. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- Israeli navy ships fired several rounds of live ammunition at Palestinian fishing boats near the shore of Beit Lahia, in the northern part of the besieged coastal region. The Israeli navy fired live rounds at the Palestinian fishing boats while sailing less than three nautical miles from the shore in Beit Lahia. The attack did not lead to casualties but forced the fishermen back to the shore in fear of further Israeli violations. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) handed orders to two women, both teachers identified as Hanadi Halawani and Khadija Khweiss, denying them access to the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound and its surrounding areas of six months. The two women have previously been detained numerous times for protesting the ongoing provocative tours by soldiers, police officers and settlers into Al-Aqsa, especially since the police frequently pushes the Palestinian Muslim worshipers out of the holy site during these tours, in addition to detaining and detaining many of them. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)
Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained eight Palestinian citizens, including a woman, during campaigns in the West Bank and Jerusalem. Among the detainees was professor Widad al-Barghouthi, a lecturer at Birzeit University. She is the mother of prisoners Qassam (journalist) and Karmal al-Barghouthi. Karmal was detained by the IOA upon his return from al-Khalil last night to his home in Kobar town in Ramallah. The IOA also raided the home of ex-detainee Omar al-Barghouthi, the father of martyr Saleh and prisoner Asem, and other homes in Kobar town. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

- In Hebron, in the southern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained once again Aziz Rushdi, an ex-detainee, from his home in al-Arroub refugee camp. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians in Bethlehem, including a young man and his wife at the Nashash checkpoint. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

- In Jerusalem, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al Issawiya Town and detained a young Palestinian man identified as Shadi Atiya. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained one Palestinian citizen in the West Bank city of Hebron, identified as Abdulhadi Abu Sneineh, inside the Ibrahimi Mosque. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Forces detained, early Monday morning, 28 Palestinians from their homes, after soldiers invaded their homes in the occupied West Bank, reported the Palestinian Prisoner Society (PPS). The PPS said the army detained 7 men from the Hebron district, including Thayer Halahleh who spent several years in Israeli prisons, most of them in administrative detention without charge or trial, going on hunger strike for 78 days in 2012, securing his release, according to WAFA. The army also detained 6 Palestinians from the Jenin district and 2 from the Qalqilia area, in the northern occupied West Bank. 3 men were abducted from the Bethlehem district, in the southern West Bank and 1 from Sinjil village near Ramallah. In addition, Israeli forces detained 8 young Palestinians from al-'Isawiya neighborhood in occupied Jerusalem, and 1 from Abu Dis town, east of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 2 September 2019)

- The Palestinian Prisoners Society (PPS) has reported that Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn, at least twenty-four Palestinians, including children and political prisoners, from their homes, in several parts of the occupied West Bank. The soldiers

• Israeli soldiers abducted, Wednesday, at least ten Palestinians, mainly former political prisoners, from their homes in several parts of the occupied West Bank, the Palestinian Prisoners’ Society (PPS) has reported. The PPS office in Nablus, in northern West Bank, said the soldiers abducted five former political prisoners, identified as Abdul-Karim Majed Halabi, Nafe’ Ahmad Salah, Rami Ayman Abu Hdeib,
Mo’taz Jouda and Mosab Tawfiq al-Hindi. In Bethlehem, the soldiers abducted Riyad Talal al-’Amour and Mousa Mahmoud al-Amour, in addition to a former political prisoner, identified as Anas Ismael Nawawra. In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the soldiers abducted Hatem Tayeh Shalalda, from Sa’ir town, and Ahmad Omar Abu Sabha from Yatta. In addition, the soldiers invaded the home of a Palestinian legislator, identified as Riyad Raddad, in Saida village, near Tulkarem, and violently searched it. Furthermore, the soldiers invaded al-Am’ari refugee camp, in the central West Bank governorate of Ramallah, and surrounded an under-construction home, before firing at local youngsters, protesting the invasion. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday evening, two Palestinians in the towns of al-’Isawiya and Silwan, in occupied East Jerusalem. The Wadi Hilweh Information Center in Silwan (Silwanic) has reported that the soldiers abducted a man, identified as Mohammad Mousa Mheisin, in his fifties, while standing in front of a shop in al-’Isawiya. Silwanic added that the soldiers also abducted a young man, identified as Yazan Siyam, after invading his home in Wadi Hilweh neighborhood in Silwan. In related news, dozens of soldiers invaded al-’Isawiya after an Israeli bus driver accidentally drove into the town while heading to an illegal Israeli colony, and accompanied the bus out of the town. The army also stopped many young men in the town, and harassed them while investigating their ID cards. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided Kobar village, northwest of Ramallah City, and clashed with residents. The violent clashes broke out between dozens of Palestinian youths and the IOA who stormed Kobar village in the early morning hours. The IOA heavily fired live ammunition and tear gas canisters at the youths who responded by throwing stones. No injuries were reported. The IOA further raided several Palestinian homes and detained two citizens identified as Diaa Mish’al and Sirri Esam. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Saturday at dawn, a young female student of Birzeit University, after storming her home in al-Biereh city, near Ramallah. Media sources in Ramallah said several army jeeps invaded al-Biereh, before the soldiers stormed and ransacked the home Samah Jaradat, and abducted her. It is worth mentioning that, a week ago, the soldiers abducted Mais Abu Ghosh, a journalism student at Bir Zeit University, from her home in Qalandia refugee camp, north of Jerusalem, in addition to abducting another woman, who teaches journalism at Bir Zeit University, from her home in Kobar town, northwest of Ramallah. In related news, the soldiers invaded Ein
Qiniya village, northwest of Ramallah, before storming the home of a political prisoner, identified as Aysar Ma’rouf, in addition to the home of his brother, Tal’at, and several homes if their relatives. Aysar’s wife, Nour Hamed, said the soldiers caused excessive damage to her home while violently searching it, and confiscated a memory card from the property. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, Friday, three Palestinians, including two children, in Jerusalem and Ramallah, in the occupied West Bank. The Palestinian Prisoners’ Society (PPS) has reported that the soldiers abducted Sari Essam Barghouthi, after invading his home and ransacking it, in Kobar village, northwest of Ramallah in central West Bank. The PPS added that the abducted young man is the nephew of detained Fatah leader and a member of its Executive Committee Marwan Barghouti. In addition, the soldiers abducted Ahmad Khaled Atiyya, 16, while leaving the local mosque in the al-‘Isawiya town, northeast of occupied East Jerusalem. The town has been subject to daily Israeli military invasions, violent home searches, abductions and ongoing protests. Furthermore, the soldiers abducted Jaber Hamad Jaber, 16, near the Ibrahimi Mosque in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, allegedly for “carrying a knife.” The soldiers also closed the iron gate of the main road near Beit Awwa town, west of Hebron, and prevented the Palestinians from crossing. The closed road leads to Beit Awwa, Deir Samit, al-Majd, Sikka, Beit ar-Roush and Deir al-‘Asal villages and towns, southwest of Hebron. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Sunday at dawn, the town of al-Isawiya, in occupied East Jerusalem, searched homes and abducted three young men. Media sources said several army jeeps invaded the town, before the soldiers broke into a few homes, and violently searched them. They added that the soldiers abducted Yousef al-Kiswani, Tareq Mousa ‘Obeid and Anwar Sami ‘Obeid, and took them to an unknown destination. On Saturday evening, the soldiers injured a young man, and abducted a teenage boy, after several army jeeps invaded al-‘Isawiya town, and attacked local youngsters protesting the invasion. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers injured, on Saturday evening, a young Palestinian man, and abducted a teenage boy, after several army jeeps invaded al-‘Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem, and attacked local youngsters
protesting the invasion. Media sources said several army jeeps invaded the al-Arba‘in Street in the town, and forcibly removed the Palestinians, leading to protests. They added that the soldiers shot a young man with a concussion grenade in the head, while he was filming the invasion and the protests. The soldiers also abducted a teen, identified as Mohannad Abu ‘Assab, 17, while standing near the al-Arba‘in Mosque in the town, and took him to an interrogation facility. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Saturday evening, the town of Sebastia, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and abducted a young Palestinian man in addition to wounding several others. Mohammad Azem, the mayor of Sebastia, said many armored Israeli military vehicles invaded the town, before Palestinian youngsters protested the invasion and hurled stones at them. Azem added that the soldiers fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs, causing scores of Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The soldiers also ab ducted a young man, identified as Rezeq Nahedh Aqel, and took him to a nearby military base. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)

- The Palestinian Prisoners’ Society (PPS) has reported that Israeli soldiers shot a child, and abducted thirteen Palestinians, after the army invaded many communities, in several parts of the occupied West Bank, on Monday at dawn and during morning hours. Media sources in Ramallah, in central West Bank, said several army jeeps invaded Beit Rima town, northwest of the city, and shot a Palestinian child with a rubber-coated steel bullet in his neck, after the army attacked local youngsters, protesting the morning invasion into their town. They added that the soldiers also invaded and ransacked several homes in the town and occupied rooftops. The soldiers also abducted three children, who remained unidentified at the time of this report, while they were walking to their schools. In Silwad town, northeast of Ramallah, the soldiers invaded and searched many homes, and abducted Khalil Hasan Hamed, Mousa Yasser Najjar, No‘man Saleh Hamed, Mohammad Lutfi Hamed and Mohammad Yasser Hamed. Furthermore, the soldiers abducted a former political prisoner, identified as Mahmoud Mohammad Shorti, from his home in the al-Mazra‘a ash-Sharqiya village, northeast of Ramallah, after invading his home and searching it. In Jenin in norther northern West Bank, the soldiers abducted Amin Zakarna and Ahmad Yousef Kamil, from their homes in Qabatia town, south of Jenin. The soldiers also abducted one Palestinian, identified as Malek Eshteyya, from his home in Tal village, west of the northern West Bank city of Nablus. In Hebron city, in
southern West Bank, the soldiers abducted Emad Nairoukh, in addition to Laith Yousef Asafra and Mohammad Jihad Asafra, from their homes in Beit Kahil town, west of the city. The soldiers also invaded many neighborhoods in Hebron city, and searched homes, in addition to installing roadblocks in Jouret Bahlas area, in its northern part, in addition to the entrances of Halhoul and Sa‘ir towns, north and northeast of the city, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated scores of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 09 September 2019)

- Israeli police physically attacked a Palestinian mother before detaining her son, while they were near the light rail, close to Shu‘fat refugee camp, northeast of occupied Jerusalem, said witnesses. The mother and her son were attacked and pepper sprayed by Israeli police, for no apparent reason, before they detained the son and took him to an interrogation center in Jerusalem. The police reportedly used foul language against the mother during the attack, WAFA further reports. (IMEMC 09 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn and morning hours, thirteen Palestinians, including four former political prisoners and one woman, in Jenin, Qalqilia and Jerusalem, in the occupied West Bank, the Palestinian Prisoners’ Society (PPS) has reported. The Jenin office of the PPS, in northern West Bank, said the soldiers abducted a former political prisoner, identified as Jaber Noah, from his home in Jenin refugee camp. It added that the soldiers also Moayyad Turkman, after stopping him at a sudden military roadblock, near Jenin, in addition to Morad Fashafsha and Baha‘ Fayez Salatna, from their homes in Jab‘a town, southwest of Jenin. The soldiers also abducted Mustafa Marwan Zayyoud, 21, after storming his home and ransacking it in Silat al-Harithiya town, west of Jenin. In addition, the soldiers invaded and searched homes in Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, and abducted Abboud Abu Sheikh, 21, and Nour Adnan ‘Abed, 20. In occupied Jerusalem, the soldiers invaded and searched homes in the al-‘Isawiya town, and abducted five Palestinians, identified as Mohammad Haitham Mustafa, Mahmoud Omran Mustafa, Abdul-Razeq Mousa Mustafa, Mohammad Zakariya Mustafa and Ahmad Amer Mahmoud. It is worth mentioning that Abdul-Razeq was released a few hours after the soldiers abducted him, but was slapped with an order preventing him from entering his town for one week. Also in Jerusalem, the soldiers abducted a Palestinian woman, identified as Nafeesa Khweiss, and summoned for interrogation another woman,
identified as Fatima as-Sous. In related news, the soldiers abducted one Palestinian, and searched many homes, in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and Yatta town west of the city. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn, one Palestinian, and searched many homes, in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and Yatta town west of the city. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)

- Several army jeeps invaded Abu Sneina neighborhood, in the southern part of Hebron city, and abducted Na’el Ahmad Abu Hussein, 59, after violently searching his home. His family said the soldiers caused excessive property damage to their furniture and belongings, and that the army also used dogs in the search, reportedly “looking for weapons.” The soldiers also violently searched the homes of his sons Fadel, Khader, Ramadan and Yousef. Furthermore, the soldiers invaded and searched the homes of two former political prisoners, identified as Ahmad Omar Abu Hussein and Sa’id Mustafa Abu Hussein. In addition, many army jeeps invaded Jabal Abu Romman area, southwest of Hebron city, and searched the homes of Kathem al-Qasrawi and Azzam Abu Aisha. In addition, the soldiers invaded Yatta town, south of Hebron, and searched the homes of Zoheir Abu Zahra, causing damage. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)

- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians, identified as Mahmoud Abu Zeitouna, Ahmad Abu Zeitouna and Saher Masoud. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Abdul-Karim Athamna, and a high-school student, Aws Raed Ersheid. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Abdul-Rahman Walid Sarhan, 16, and Baker Mousa Qawwar, from their homes in Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young woman, identified as Ghadir Nasser Karkour, in addition to Firas Karkour, Mohammad Karkour, Mohammad Met’eb, Yousef Hzeina and Riyad Nasser ar-Resheq, from several parts of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
• In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two Birzeit University Students, identified as Amir William Hazboun and Yazan Maghames. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained seven Palestinians, including a girl, from the Old City of Jerusalem. The IOA raided Bab Hatta in Old Jerusalem, and detained Mohammed Meteb, Ahmad Meteb, Yousef Hazina, Riyad al-Rishq, Firas Karkour, Mohammad Karkour and the girl Raneem Karkour (18 years). (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained invaded many communities, south of Hebron, searched homes, tents and cave, in areas between the Ma’on and Avigal settlements. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian young man at a military checkpoint south of Jenin City. The IOA detained Oday Abu Na’sah at a checkpoint abruptly installed near Ya’bad town, south west of Jenin. Abu Na’sah was handcuffed and transferred by an IOA vehicle to an undeclared destination. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Balata refugee camp in the east of Nablus and detained two brothers identified as Mahmoud and Ahmed Abu Zaytun. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man identified as Saher Mas’oud from Nablus city. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) on Wednesday evening kidnapped two Palestinian young men during their presence in a southern border area of the Gaza Strip. A spokesperson for the IOF claimed the young men infiltrated through the wire fence using cutters and were also found in possession of knives. Every once in a while, the IOF announces the arrest of Palestinian young men from Gaza at the pretext of infiltrating through the border fence. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

• Israeli soldiers abducted, on Thursday at dawn, eight Palestinians, including a mother and her son, in Hebron and Bethlehem governorates, in the occupied West Bank, the Palestinian Prisoners’ Society (PPS) has reported. The PPS office in Hebron, in southern West Bank, said the soldiers invaded and searched several homes in the ath-Thaheriyya town, south of the city, and abducted Khawla Bader Abu ‘Allan, 50, along with her son, Ibrahim Adel Abu ‘Allan, in addition to Odai Shaher Abu ‘Allan. It added that the soldiers also searched homes in the al-‘Arrroub refugee camp, north of Hebron, and abducted a young man, identified as Moath Khaled Abu Sham’a. Furthermore, the
soldiers abducted Mohammad Jamal al-‘Azza, 25, Mohannad Khader Abu ‘Ahour, 22, Mohammad Ahmad al-Hreimi, 21, and Ala’ Mohammad al0-Hreimi, 21, from their homes in the Saff Street area and Wadi Maali area, in Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Wednesday evening, a Palestinian teenage boy, identified as Mohammad Nasser Mahmoud, in the al-‘Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem. The Wadi Hilweh Information Center in Silwan (Silwanic) said the undercover officers, wearing civilian clothes, infiltrated into the town, and abducted the teen, before taking him to an unknown destination. It added that the regular army units invaded the town when the undercover officers invaded Obeid family home, and fired live rounds in the air, to prevent the Palestinians from approaching them, and withdrew from the town. Earlier Wednesday, the soldiers abducted two Palestinians, and demolished several sheds and tents, in Masafer Yatta area, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) at dawn Thursday kidnaped at least 11 Palestinian citizens from their homes in the West Bank. The IOA three citizens from the family of Abu Allan, including a woman, during raids on homes in ad-Dhahiriya town, southwest of al-Khalil. The IOF also stormed al-Jalazoun refugee camp in northern Ramallah and Kafr Aqab neighborhood in northern Jerusalem and kidnaped two citizens from their homes. The citizens were identified as Tahrir al-Arayshi and Tahadi al-Tawkhali. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation police on Thursday morning kidnaped a Palestinian young girl from her home in Issawiya district, east of Jerusalem, claiming she carried out a car-ramming attack. According to 0404 website, a 20-year-old girl from Issawiya was arrested for carrying out a vehicular attack last night on a road near Atarot settlement in Jerusalem. The Israeli police said last night that one border police officer and a settler were injured when a speeding car hit them, adding that they launched an investigation into the incident. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

- Israeli police forces on Wednesday evening stormed anew Issawiya district in the east of Occupied Jerusalem, assaulted Palestinian citizens and kidnaped two of them, including a kid. According to local sources, police forces kidnaped a young man called Ibrahim Muhaisen from al-Arba’ein Mosque in Issawiya. Later, plain-clothes police officers kidnaped a 14-year-old child called Mohamed Mahmoud from a street in the district and fired gunshots in the air to prevent local residents
from intervening. For many weeks, Israel has been sending paramilitary police forces to raid the east Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiya every day, ransacking homes and arresting and assaulting Palestinians. The Israeli campaign against Issawiya is aimed at oppressing and making life miserable for all who live there as part of its efforts to push the native residents out of the holy city. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young Palestinian men from their homes in Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, in the West Bank. The IOA invaded and searched several homes and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA detained Mahdi Omar Ziyada and Montaser Hasan Shakhtour and took them to a nearby military and security center. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)

- At least seven Palestinian citizens were injured when the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) violently raided al-Eizariya village in Occupied Jerusalem. A six-year-old girl was transferred to the hospital after she was hit with a tear gas canister in the head, while six citizens choked on tear gas fired at their vehicle by the IOA. The IOA stormed al-Eizariya amid heavy firing of live ammunition and tear gas bombs, which led to the outbreak of violent confrontations. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinian citizens near the West Bank city of Salfit. The IOA detained three Palestinian young men in Kifl Haris village, north of Salfit. The detainees, whose identities have not been revealed, were taken to an undeclared destination. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained the 16-year-old Mohamed Hijazi from his home in Bethlehem city. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) ‘stormed the house of MP Hatem Qafisha in al-Khalil (Hebron) and his relatives’ homes and handed him a summons for interrogation from the Shin Bet. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinian citizens after ransacking their homes in the West Bank. The IOA claimed that the two detainees were wanted for their involvement in resistance activities against Israel. The IOA also raided at dawn student apartments in the north of Ramallah and interrogated students from Birzeit University about some of their friends who were arrested recently. (PALINFO 15 September 2019)
• The Israeli occupation authorities have issued a four-month administrative detention order against the Jordanian detainee Abdulrahman Mar‘i, 29. Mar‘i was detained on 2 September at al-Karama crossing between Jordan and the West Bank. Mar‘i is suffering from a brain tumor and he has undergone many surgeries since 2010. Nearly 24 Jordanian prisoners are currently held in Israeli jails under harsh conditions. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) assaulted a Palestinian child in the town of al-‘Isawiya, in occupied East Jerusalem, and detained him. The IOA Assaulted the child, identified as Nabil Mohammad Abu al-Hummus, 12, while he was walking to a shop near his home. The IOA then detained the child and took him to a detention facility in Jerusalem, after alleging that he hurled stones at their jeep. The IOA also attacked the child’s father while he was trying to talk to them and was telling them Nabil is just a child who was going to the shop. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the old city of Jerusalem and detained Faiza Ziyada, from her home. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded homes in the al-‘Isawiya town, and detained Nassim Amjad Mheisin, 20, and Mohammad Mousa Hamdan, 20. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched homes in Qaffin town, near the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem, and detained Mohammad Mahmoud To‘ma. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian woman, identified as Amal Hamad Bouziyya, in addition to Akram Jaber Abu Ya‘coub and Makram Salah, from Kifl Hares village, west of the central West Bank city of Salfit. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young Palestinian man from his home in ‘Aida refugee camp, north of the West Bank city of Bethlehem. The IOA invaded and ransacked the home of Mohannad Mahmoud Ja‘ara, 22, and detained him. The IOA were heavily deployed in various streets and alleys in the refugee camp and interrogated several Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 17 September 2019)
Six Palestinian detainees being held in Israeli prisons are continuing an open-ended hunger strike against their arbitrary administrative detention without charge or trial. Five of them are languishing in al-Ramla prison clinic. The six detainees are identified as: 42-year-old Ahmad Ghannam, a resident of Dura city, to the southwest of Hebron; entered his 65th day of hunger strike. 38-year-old Sultan Khallouf, a resident of Burqin town, to the west of Jenin; entered his 61st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Ismael Ali, a resident of Abu Dis village, in occupied Jerusalem; entered his 55th day of hunger strike. 46-year-old Tariq Qa’dan, a resident of the Jenin Governorate; entered his 48th day of hunger strike. 31-year-old Nasser al-Jada’, a resident of Burqin town, to the west of Jenin; entered his 41st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Thaer Hamdan, a resident of Beit Sira village, to the west of Ramallah; entered his 36th day of hunger strike. (IMEMC 17 September 2019)

Scores of Jewish settlers on Tuesday morning desecrated the Aqsa Mosque’s courtyards under tight police protection. According to local sources, dozens of settlers carried out provocative tours at the Mosque and received explanations about the alleged temple mount. The Aqsa Mosque is exposed to daily desecration by Jewish settlers in the morning and the afternoon except on Fridays and Saturdays. The Israeli occupation police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 17 September 2019)

The Israeli occupation authority (IOA) on Monday evening kidnapped a Palestinian businessman at the Beit Hanoun (Erez) crossing in the north of the Gaza Strip. A Palestinian official from the crossings and border authority told Quds Press that Israeli intelligence officers arrested a businessman called Jawad Hassan after he went to the crossing for an interview. He added that Hassan had submitted a request asking to allow him to travel through the crossing. The arrest of a passenger at the crossing was not the first such incident since the beginning of the current year. The IOA had arrested four citizens after they applied for permission to travel through the crossing for medical and commercial purposes. (PALINFO 17 September 2019)
• Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn, a young Palestinian man from his home in ‘Aida refugee camp, north of the West Bank city of Bethlehem. The Bethlehem office of the Palestinian Prisoners’ Society (PPS) said the soldiers invaded and ransacked the home of Mohannad Mahmoud Ja’ara, 22, and abducted him. The soldiers were heavily deployed in various streets and alleys in the refugee camp and interrogated several Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. In related news, the soldiers invaded the northern West Bank city of Jenin, and violently searched the homes of Qussai Sa’adi and Monjid Thieb Jaber, while interrogating them and their families. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

• The Commission of Detainees and ex-Detainees Affairs said, in its Sunday report, that six Palestinian detainees being held in Israeli prisons are continuing an open-ended hunger strike against their arbitrary administrative detention without charge or trial. Five of them are languishing in al-Ramla prison clinic. The commission noted that the six detainees are identified as: 42-year-old Ahmad Ghannam, a resident of Dura city, to the southwest of Hebron; entered his 65th day of hunger strike. 38-year-old Sultan Khallouf, a resident of Burqin town, to the west of Jenin; entered his 61st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Ismael Ali, a resident of Abu Dis village, in occupied Jerusalem; entered his 55th day of hunger strike. 46-year-old Tariq Qa’dan, a resident of the Jenin Governorate; entered his 48th day of hunger strike. 31-year-old Nasser al-Jada’, a resident of Burqin town, to the west of Jenin; entered his 41st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Thaer Hamdan, a resident of Beit Sira village, to the west of Ramallah; entered his 36th day of hunger strike. The commission confirmed, according to Al Ray, that the detainees are suffering serious health conditions which cause severe pains throughout their bodies, in addition to weight loss, vision impairment and severe wasting. Moreover, most of them cannot walk for long distances. The commission added that most of the detainees were infected with diseases before being detained by Israeli authorities, and are in need of effective medical follow-up, as with the case of the prisoner Ahmad Ghannam, who suffers from blood cancer. The commission warned that there is a real danger to the life of Ghannam after entering his 64th day of open-ended hunger strike, due to the weakness of his immune system. The commission noted that the Israeli Prison System (IPS) is deliberately carrying out a series of punitive measures against Palestinian detainees in Israeli jails, which include repeated transfer of the detainees among jails, putting them in solitary confinement, which
lacks key ingredients to life, and conducting search and storm campaigns against the prisoners, while they are in their cells. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian child in the al-‘Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem in the West Bank, as he was walking back home from school. The IOA detained Mohammad Ali Dirbas, 16, after stopping him while heading back home from school, and took him to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Silwan town in occupied Jerusalem and detained two children, identified as Mohammad Wasim ‘Obeid, 14, and Mohammad Khalil Kleib, 15, while walking in the al-Bustan Street. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Silwad town, east of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, searched many homes and detained Mohammad Kamel and Suleiman Kamel. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young Palestinian men near Ein Bonin spring, northwest of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, after searching them and reportedly finding a knife. The IOA detained the two Palestinians and took them to an interrogation facility run by the Israeli Security Agency. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian businessman from Gaza while travelling through the Beit Hanoun/Erez crossing with Israel. Israel detained Yousef Jawad Hassan, who was on his way from Gaza to the West Bank going through Erez crossing, after he was interrogated by Israeli security. Hassan is the second Palestinian detained at Erez crossing in one week and the fifth since the beginning of the year. (WAFA 18 September 2019)

• Violent confrontations flared up between Israeli occupation Army (IOA) and dozens of Palestinian youths in Azzun town east of Qalqilya City. The IOA later installed a checkpoint on the road between Azzun and Jayyus towns, stopped Palestinian vehicles, and interrogated the passengers. (PALINFO 18 September 2019)

• In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Nathmi Abu Zagha, Yousef Eshrein, Ahmad
Sabah, Bassem Esteeti, Soheib Mer’ey, and Mohammad Hussein Manasra. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahdi Hashem Sabri, Abada al-Haj, Hamza ‘Oweinat, and Mohammad Kabeer. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Dia’ Sbeitani, Raed Waheed and Yousef Hashash. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- In Ramallah governorate, in central West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained five Palestinians from Kafr Ni’ma village, identified as Mohammad Mansour Abda, 18, Ehab Mohyeddin Abda, 18, Moheeb Abda, 18, Bara’ Saed Sayes, 24, and Hussein Abda. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- In occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three children from Abu Dis town, east of the city. They have been identified as Ahmad Ezz Odah, 14, Issa Luay az-Zaro, 14, and Mohammad az-Zaro, 14. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Rayyan, from Beit Doqqo town, northwest of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- The health of prisoner Naser al-Jada has seriously declined as a result of his prolonged hunger strike. The Israeli jailers in Nitzan prison transferred prisoner Jada from his isolation cell to Kaplan Hospital after he suffered serious health problems recently. The prisoner also refuses to undergo medical examination or go to the prison infirmary. Jada started his hunger strike 44 days ago in protest at his detention administratively, with no trial or indictment, and his exposure to harsh incarceration conditions. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) kidnapped a Palestinian young man at a military checkpoint in the south of Nablus identified as Mohamed Baddad, a resident of Jaba town in Jenin, as he was trying to cross the Za’atara military checkpoint in southern Nablus. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Safa area, north of Beit Ummar, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, detained five Palestinians and confiscated one car. The IOA stopped a Palestinian car transporting five Palestinians, including children, before confiscating the car and detaining the Palestinians who were identified as...
Mohammad Bassam Ekhlayyel, 16, Abdul-Aziz Mohammad Ekhlayyel, 17, Mohammad Nimir Ekhlayyel, 18, Abdullah Amjad at-Teet, 18, and Suleiman Mohammad Abu Dayya, 15. The IOA cuffed and blindfolded the five Palestinians and took them to Etzion military base and security center, north of Hebron. (IMEMC 21 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians from Masafer Yatta area, south of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Many Palestinians visited the village and the families, whose homes were demolished by the army two weeks ago, to express solidarity with them as they continue to be subject to constant invasions. Several Israeli army jeeps invaded, Deir Ghassana Palestinian village, northwest of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The Israeli army invaded the village and started stopping the Palestinians and their cars on its main road. The army also searched many cars and interrogated the Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. Several Palestinian youngsters protested the invading army jeeps, while the army fired rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, a Palestinian home in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem, and interrogated a child in the property, after alleging that she was filming them when some youngsters reportedly hurled stones at their jeep. The child and her family were on the rooftop of their home barbecuing with relatives. The IOA started interrogating her and asking her if she saw who threw stones at them and if she filmed it on her phone. The child, Sondos Omar Atiya, 12, denied the allegations of the IOA, and that she was on the rooftop with her family and relatives barbecuing and socializing. The IOA then examined several phones, and questioned her father, before leaving the property. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured fifteen Palestinians after the army invaded the al-'Ezariyya town, east of occupied Jerusalem. Several army jeeps invaded the town and fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at Palestinians protesting the invasion. The IOA also fired many gas bombs directly at several homes in the town, causing damage and injuries. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Azzoun town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, attacked and closed several shops, leading to protests, before the army shot and injured six Palestinians during ensuing protests, one of them, identified as Naji Mofeed
Radwan, 25, was shot with a live round in the abdomen. Two others were shot two with rubber-coated steel bullets, and three who suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. In addition, the IOA closed several shops on the main road extending from the town’s entrance to Azzoun Highschool for Boys and prevented the Palestinians from reaching the local mosque for evening prayers. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

• in addition to home and structures demolitions. The IOA detained the head of Tiwana Village Council, Mohammad Rib’ey, in addition to the coordinator of the Protection and Steadfastness Committee, Fuad al-‘Amour and a member of the committee, identified as Ali Rashed Awad. (IMEMC 21 September 2019)

• In Hebron governorate, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained six Palestinians from Beit Kahlil and Beit Ula towns, west of Hebron city, after the IOA invaded and searched their homes, in addition to searching many other homes in the governorate. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Salem Zhour, Zahran Mahmoud Zhour, Mohammad Taiseer Asafra, Moath Mahmoud Asafra, and Yousef Ahmad Asafra, from Beit Kahlil town, in addition to Raed Abdul-Afo al-‘Emla from Beit Ula. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Emad Nihad Qayyim, from Ras al-‘Ein area, after stopping him at Beit Forik military roadblock, east of Nablus, in northern West Bank, after the IOA claimed he had a knife in his possession. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

• In occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yasser Khatib, from his home in Hizma town, east of the city. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

• Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and police officers, including military and police intelligence Units, invaded al-‘Isawiya and Silwan town in Jerusalem, before storming and ransacking dozens of homes. The invasions and violent searches included the use of K9 units and that the IOA also interrogated dozens of residents while inspecting their ID cards and violently searched their homes and property. During the invasions of homes, the IOA detained Mohammad Abdullah Dari, his brother Mahmoud Dari, Dia’ Ayman Obeid, Mohammad Fawzi Obeid, Sufian Nasser Mahmoud, along with his

• In Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched a few homes in Ein al-Louza neighborhood and detained Tawfiq Abu Tayeh and Majdi Abu Tayeh. The IOA and police officers invaded many neighborhoods in Silwan, ticketed cars and other vehicles, in addition to imposing fines on shop owners, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. During the invasions, the IOA fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian protesters but did not cause injuries. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• The many Israeli armored army jeeps invaded the Deheishe refugee camp, south of Bethlehem, searched several homes, and detained Bilal Omar Daoud, 26, Mousa al-Khmour, 25, in addition to Jamal Osama al-Ayasa, 24. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• In Ramallah governorate, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) abducted four Palestinians in the neighborhoods of al-Masyoun and al-Masayef, in addition to Birzeit and Durham towns, north of the city. Two of the detained Palestinians, Yazan Maghames, from Birzeit, and Bassel Filyan, from Burham village, north of Ramallah, are students of Birzeit University. The other two were identified as E’tiraf Bajes Rimawi, a former political prisoner and the head of Bisan Center for Research and Development, in addition to Nassar Jaradat, also a former political prisoner. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• In Salfit governorate, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched many homes in Qarawat Bani Hassan town, before detaining Hazem Zaher Aassi and Abdul-Rahman Abdul-Aziz Rayyan. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Odaí Hamza Hussein, 29, a former political prisoner, in addition to Kathem Mofeed Radwan, 26, and Ali Ahmad al-Jada’, from Azzoun town. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
• In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained five Palestinians from Jenin refugee camp, identified as Tareq Abu Tabeekh, Tha’er Sweity, Eqab Sweity, Tamer Nasharti, and Mohammad Abu Nassar. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Amjad Wa’el E’mayyer, 31, Mohammad E’mayyer, 39, and Ali Younis Abu Younis, 46, from their homes in Bal’a town, east of the city. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yousef Ghaleb Hannoun, from Anabta town, east of Qalqilia, while crossing a military roadblock near Jeet village. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Rami Mohammad al-’Oweiwi, 30, and Nizar Mohammad Seder, 36. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded al-Masyoun and al-Masayef neighborhoods in Ramallah city and initiated violent searches of homes. Many Palestinian youngsters protested the invasions, and hurled stones at the army jeeps, while the IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets. Several Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, in addition to cuts and bruises. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

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• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Burham town and Birzeit city, north of Ramallah, and fired gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at Palestinians, protesting the invasions. The army invaded and searched homes, before detaining Yazan Maghames, a university student from Birzeit. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• A university student, identified as Bassel Filyan, was detained from his home in Burham village, north of Ramallah. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed an ransacked many homes in several villages and towns, in the southern West Bank governorate of Hebron, and detained nine Palestinians identified as Faisal Mohammad Najjar, Rami Ali Najjar, Ahmad Mohammad Najjar,
So'oud Abu Yousef, Mahmoud Abdul-Rahman Najjar, Mohammad Jibreel Najjar and Ghaleb Mohammad Qar’ish, all from Yatta, in addition to Aref Qabaja from Tarqoumiah, and Yasser Barbarawi, 27, from Halhoul. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- In Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four former political prisoners, identified as Ahmad Mazen Raqban, Jihad Omar Ayyad, Omar Ayyad al-Hreimi and Mohammad Hadia. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained one Palestinian, identified as Omar Abdul-Rahman Awad, from Salfit, in central West Bank. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Harith Mohammad Shallash, from his home in Shuqba town, northwest of the city. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Ummar town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, detained one child and injured many other Palestinians in the ath-Thaher area. The IOA invaded the ath-Thaher area of the town, near the illegal Karmie Tzur settlement and fired a barrage of gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at protesters and homes. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA also broke into a blacksmith workshop, owned by Jihad Ali Sabarna, and detained his son, Mohammad, 15. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- 140 Palestinian detainees being held in Israeli jails continue in their open-ended hunger strike. Detainees are continuing their strike in opposition to the installation of the cancer-causing jamming devices in their cells for the 14th day in a row. The prisoners took escalating steps as the IPS keeps its position of rejection to meet with their demands, which include removing the devices, installing public phones inside prisons, as well as ending the punitive measures imposed against the hunger-striking detainees since last Tuesday. The Palestinian detainees, specifically those held in Raymond prison, launched a mass open-ended hunger strike on September 9, after Israeli Prison Service (IPS) had denied the agreement made with the detainees last April, which included these demands. After denying the agreement, the detainees held several negotiating sessions with IPS, to meet their demands, but they were all of no avail. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Birzeit town, north of Ramallah, and stormed a residence for students of Birzeit University, before detaining three of them. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

The Israeli Prison Authority transferred five hunger-striking detainees from Ramon prison to solitary confinement in Tzlamon prison, which is usually used to house Israelis held on criminal charges. The four detainees are among more than 100 other political prisoners, holding a hunger strike protesting the installation of signal jamming devices that are impacting their health and causing complications. The detainees have been identified as Mohammad Riyadh Abu Tayeh, Sajed Abu Gallous, Nassim Hamada and Ismael Hijazi, all from occupied Jerusalem, in addition to Hamza Matrouk, from Tulkarem, in northern West Bank. The detainees are facing very difficult conditions, and are kept in solitary confinement, to separate them from Israeli prisoners. On September 10th, the detainees, especially in Ramon, started a series of measures after the administration unilaterally voided the agreement which was reached with the striking detainees this past April, especially the removal of jamming devices, and the installation of public phones. The detainees held several sessions of negotiations with the administration, but their demands were rejected, and no progress was ever reached. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the Palestinian Authority’s Jerusalem Affairs Minister Fadi al-Hadmi, after invading and searching his home in the Suwwana neighborhood, in occupied East Jerusalem. Many IOA, police and Internal Security officers, invaded al-Hadmi’s home, and violently searched it. The IOA detained him after interrogating him and his family while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the home of Jerusalem Governor Adnan Gheith, in Silwan town, south of the Al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem, and summoned him, along with his son, for interrogation. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) prevented the Palestinian Minister of Social Development, Ahmad Majdalani, from entering Jerusalem, and threatened to detain him. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

The Israeli Authorities issued a five-month Administrative Detention order, without charges or trial, against the female detainee from Jordan. The detainee, identified as Hiba Ahmad al-Lubbadi, 24, is currently held at the al-Maskobiyya detention and interrogation center,
in occupied Jerusalem. The young woman was detained by the IOA, on August 20, 2019, while she was crossing into the West Bank, and has been denied any legal representation since then. Hiba, a Jordanian citizen who also holds a Palestinian ID, was accompanying her mother to Jenin, in northern West Bank, to attend a wedding celebration for one of their relatives. The young woman was interrogated for 35 consecutive days in Petah Tikva prison, and no charges were ever filed against her before a court decided to slap her with an Administrative Detention. She was also held at the Damon Israeli prison. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, many Israeli army jeeps invaded Azzoun town, east of the city, searched homes and detained Ekrima Ayyoub Zamari, 21. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the al-Jalazoun refugee camp, north of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and detained a young man, identified as Ahmad Taiseer Rashed, after ransacking his home. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- In Hebron governorate, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and violently searched homes in Hebron city, and Halhoul town, north of the city, before detaining two Palestinians, and summoned one for interrogation. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- In Hebron, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Bashar Abdul-‘Alim Da’na, and summoned Majd Badran Jaber for interrogation. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- In Halhoul town, north of Hebron, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched a few homes, and detained a former political prisoner, identified as Islam Eyad al-Baw. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Shweika village, near the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem, and attacked dozens of Palestinians. The IOA also confiscated several Palestinian cars in Tulkarem and fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades at the protesters. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) kidnaped three Palestinian citizens after ransacking their homes in different West Bank areas. The IOA detained three Palestinians, describing them as wanted by the security authorities. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) summoned three Aqsa Mosque guards for interrogation. The Aqsa guards are Zuhair Damiri, Zain al-
Maged and Hamza Khalaf. They were summoned after a Palestinian kid was shot at and arrested outside the Mosque in Bab al-Silsila area. The Israeli police also closed the Mosque and prevented Muslim worshipers from entering it for prayers following the incident. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three former political prisoners, identified as Ayed Doudin, Khaled al-Fasfous, and Tawfiq Abdul-Fattah al-Hroub, from Doura town, southwest of Hebron. During the invasion, the IOA stormed and ransacked many homes and interrogated scores of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards, in addition to stopping and searching many cars. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, Ismael an-Nattah, from Ethna town, west of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Fadi Ghneimat from Surif town, northwest of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) kidnapped a former political prisoner, identified as Mohammad Yousef al-Hroub, while crossing a road in Sinjer village, southwest of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Thieb al-Hroub and Ezz Qassem al-Hroub, after stopping a car they were riding, in Deir Samit town, west of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- The Palestinian Prisoner Samer al-‘Arbid was referred to Hadassah Hospital in Jerusalem due to the serious deterioration of his health condition while being interrogated by the Israeli Security Agency (Shin Bet) in the Moscovia Prison in occupied Jerusalem. The Israeli authorities raided and searched the house of Samer Mina al-‘Arbid in Batn al-Hawa neighborhood in Ramallah on Wednesday, 25 September 2019. He was arrested and then, taken to the Moscovia Prison, where he was interrogated on suspicions of carrying out the “Dolev” Settlement attack, west of Ramallah, which took place on 23 August and resulted in the killing of a female settler and injury of 2 other settlers. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two former political prisoners, identified as Aseel Dia’ Zogheibi and Rami Hisham Abu Farha, from the city. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Mustafa Mardawi, from Arraba town, southwest of Jenin. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Khaled Bassel Bazzour, from Raba village, southeast of Jenin, after invading their homes and ransacking them. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) searched many homes and detained two former political prisoners, identified as Kamal Ibrahim Abu Tharifa, from the Northern Mountain Area, and Mohammad Eid Tabanja, from Khallet al-'Amoud. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Maher al-Hroub, a member of the local committee for coordination between political parties, from his home in Balata refugee camp, east of Nablus. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• In Awarta village, south of Nablus, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Sa’id and Nabeeh Awwad, from their homes. The two are former political prisoners. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Ayman Haj Mahmoud, from Beit Forik town, east of Nablus. Ayman Haj Mahmoud is a former political prisoner. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Asira ash-Shamaliya town, north of Nablus, and detained three young men, identified as Ja’far Omar Rawajba, Ali Omar Shouli, and Ali Noureddin Daraghma. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ala’ Zoheir al-Jayyousi, 40, from his home in the al-‘Iskan neighborhood, east of the city, and confiscated his car. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• In Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Odai Makh louf Zawahra, 20, from his home in the al-Karkafa area, in the center of the city. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• In Nahhalin town, west of Bethlehem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched homes and detained two siblings, identified as Ammad
Mohammad Shakarna, and his brother Khalil. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Kobar town, north of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and searched many stores, in addition to a few abandoned homes. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Birzeit town after withdrawing from Kobar and fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian protesters. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah. The four Palestinians were identified as Samer Mina Salim ‘Arbeed, 44, from Ramallah, Qassem Abdul-Karim Shibli, 25, Yazan Hussein Mijmas, 25, and Nizam Sami Awlad Mohammad, 21, from the nearby city of Birzeit. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• Prisoner Samer Arbeed was taken to a hospital, in critical condition, as a result of brutal torture which he had been subjected to, in the Mascobiyyeh investigation center. Shin Bet Israeli security said it had obtained a “permit,” from the court, which allows it to use exclusive methods of investigation. Al-Arbeed was severely beaten and tortured and taken to Hadassah Hospital in Jerusalem in a very serious condition. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) took Samer into custody on 25th of September, when they stormed the city of Ramallah. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) issued in September administrative detention orders against 101 Palestinians currently held in Israeli jails for periods ranging between two and six months. Some of the orders were issued against Palestinians detainees for the first time, while others had their administrative detention renewed. According to statistics, there are 500 administrative detainees in Israeli jails. Administrative detention is the imprisonment of Palestinians without charge or trial at orders from a military commander and on the basis of secret evidence. The order normally goes for six-month periods, indefinitely renewable by Israeli military authorities. (WAFA 30 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained in Jerusalem Walid Ilyyan, from Issawiyeh neighborhood, hours after he was freed from prison after serving five years for resisting the Israeli occupation, along with his father, Daoud. (WAFA 30 September 2019)
• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained four others from the same neighborhood all from the Obeid family, including Samir Obeid, father of Martyr Mohammad Obeid, 20, who was shot dead by the IOA in the neighborhood on June 27. (WAFA 30 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinians from Dheisheh refugee camp in Bethlehem. (WAFA 30 September 2019)

• Seven detainees in Israeli prisons, including one woman, are ongoing with hunger strike, protesting being held under the arbitrary Administrative Detention orders, without charges or trial. One of the detainees, identified as Ahmad Abdul-Karim Ghannam, 42, from Doura town, southwest of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, started the hunger strike 79 days ago, and is facing serious complications, especially since he also has cancer. The second detainee, Ismael Ali, 30, from Abu Dis near Jerusalem, was taken prisoner in February of this year and started his strike 69 days ago. The third detainee is Tareq Qa’dan, 46, from Jenin governorate in Northern West Bank; he started the strike 62 days ago. He was frequently abducted and imprisoned, spending a total of 11 years in prison. The fourth detainee is Mos‘ab al-Hindi, 29, from Tal town near the northern West Bank city of Nablus; he was taken prisoner on September 4th and started the strike seven days ago. Al-Hindi is a former political prisoner who previously also went on hunger strike for being held under Administrative Detention orders which were renewed for a total of 24 times, over the course of numerous abductions and imprisonment. The fifth detainee is Monir Bassel Sawasta, 36, from Tubas in northeastern West Bank; he was abducted on March 29th and received a six-month Administrative Detention order. He is a former political prisoner who was held for a total of four years in prison prior to his current detention. The sixth detainee, Ahmad Zahran, 42, from Deir Abu Mashal town, near Ramallah in central West Bank, started his strike seven days ago. He is a married father of four and was abducted this past March. Zahran started the strike seven days ago after Israel refused to release him, despite an agreement that was reached after he held a 39-day hunger strike earlier this year. The seventh detainee is Hiba al-Lubbadi, 24, a bearer of a Jordanian and a Palestinian citizenship, who was abducted when she was traveling to Jenin to visit with her family. She was taken prisoner on the border terminal between Jordan and the occupied West Bank and was subjected to harsh interrogation for 25 consecutive days, before she was slapped with an Administrative Detention order, and started the hunger strike seven days ago. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)
• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as Hamza Maswada, while walking in an alley in the Old City, and took him to a nearby detention and interrogation facility. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Waleed Obeid, Waseem Nayef Obeid, and Ayyoub Bahay Obeid, from their homes in occupied East Jerusalem. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched and ransacked homes in Hebron governorate, in southern West Bank, and detained Atallah Issa Abu Sbeih, in addition to searching the homes of Mohammad Khaled Shaweheen and Hafeth Rashid and Ali Rashid, in Yatta town, south of Hebron city. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a child, identified as Osama Essam Rajabi, 15, after stopping him at Abu ar-Reese military roadblock, west of the Ibrahim Mosque in Hebron city, while he was heading to his school. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

• In Bethlehem, South of Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Raghad Raed Shamrookh, 24, and Bassel Waleed Da’amsa, 25, from their homes in Deheishe refugee camp, South of the city. Protests erupted after the IOA invaded the refugee camp, and the soldiers fired rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs, and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

**Israeli Settler Violence**

• A Palestinian farmer sustained injuries in the head, when he was brutally assaulted by Israeli settlers near the village of Artas, to the south of Bethlehem, in the occupied West Bank. Settlers from the Israeli settlement bloc of Gush Etzion broke into the farm of Ayman Khalil Sa’ad, who comes from Artas, while working in the farm near the village. As Sa’ad attempted to prevent the settlers from raiding his own farm. The latter assaulted and beat him, causing him bruises in the face and eye. (IMEMC 1 September 2019)

• Israeli Minister of agriculture Uri Ariel along with scores of Jewish settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque’s courtyards amid tight security protection. Ariel and about 30 settlers toured the Mosque’s courtyards in the morning. The Israeli occupation police allowed about 3,330 Jewish settlers to defile the Aqsa Mosque last August. The Israeli police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at
10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

• A hoard of armed Jewish settlers, on Monday, appropriated and bulldozed a Palestinian-owned tract of agricultural land in Beit Jala town, west of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank. Local official Hasan Berijiya said that bulldozers, escorted by a group of settlers carrying weapons, stormed the agricultural area of al-Makhour and embarked on razing four dunams of land belonging to a local resident named Saba Iskandar. Berijiya added that the settlers threatened to place mobile homes on this piece of land, noting that the seized land is located near the Palestinian restaurant and the house that had been demolished about a week ago, by the occupation authority. (IMEMC 3 September 2019)

• A group of fanatic illegal Israeli colonialist settlers installed, Tuesday, a large tent in Tal Romeida Palestinian neighborhood in Hebron city, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, to welcome Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, who intends to conduct a provocative visit to the city, Wednesday. The colonists installed the tent in the Palestinian neighborhood, which falls under full Israeli military control, to receive Netanyahu, who will be touring in the occupied city as part of his reelection campaign ahead of the Knesset elections on the 17th of this month. Tal Romeida is a historic and archeological area, located northwest of the Ibrahimi Mosque, where Israel also built the illegal Ramat Yishai colony on Palestinian land in the Old City. Ramat Yishai is one of four outposts in the Old City of Hebron; Beit Hadassah in the barricaded Shuhada Street, Beit Romano which was installed in Osama Bin al-Monqith School for Boys, located at the entrances of the Old City and the Shuhada Street, and Avraham Avino, which was installed in the closed Fruits and Vegetables Market in the Sahla Street. In related news, an armed Israeli colonist fired many live rounds at Palestinians selling fruits and vegetables at a junction between Burqa and Bazaria towns, north of Nablus, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The attack did not lead to casualties but forced the Palestinians to leave in fear of further assaults and violations. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

• Dozens of Palestinian citizens suffered from exposure to tear gas, in Madama village, to the south of Nablus, during confrontations with
Israeli soldiers and settlers. Village chief Ihab al-Qut said that a hoard of Jewish settlers from the illegal settlement of Yitzhar, in Nablus, stormed the southern area of the village and fought with local youth, in the presence of soldiers who fired volleys of tear gas grenades. Dozens of young men suffered from inhaling tear gas, during the events. The settlers also set fire to many olive trees under military protection, while soldiers prevented local residents from going to their lands to extinguish the flames. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

• Many fanatic illegal Israeli colonialist settlers attacked, on Sunday at dawn, Palestinian homes and cars in Aseera al-Qibliyya village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, causing property damage. Hafeth Saleh, the mayor of Aseera al-Qibliyya village, said the attack was carried out by at least twenty assailants, who came from the nearby illegal Yitzhar colony, which was built on Palestinian lands near the village. He added that the Israeli assailants targeted many homes and cars in the eastern area of the village, causing damage to a few homes and three cars, in addition to puncturing car tires. Owners of some of the attacked homes and cars have been identified as Abdul-Basset Mohammad Abdul-Rahman, Rafiq Abdul-Basset Ahmad and Abdul-Wahab Abdul-Rahman Ahmad. Saleh also stated that the attacks were carried out approximately at five in the early morning, and added that some of the assailants were masked, and others were armed. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)

• Dozens of Jewish settlers on Thursday morning desecrated the Aqsa Mosque’s courtyards under tight police protection. According to the Islamic Awqaf Authority in Occupied Jerusalem, 155 settlers, including university and religious students received guided tours at the Mosque. Some settlers tried to perform rituals during their presence at the holy site. The Awqaf Authority also said that 17 Israeli government employees entered and toured al-Marwani prayer building of the Aqsa Mosque. The Aqsa Mosque is exposed to daily desecration by Jewish settlers in the morning and the afternoon except on Fridays and Saturdays. The Israeli police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

• A horde of Jewish settlers on Wednesday attacked Palestinian vehicles traveling on the Jenin-Nablus road between the West Bank towns of
Burqa and Silat ad-Dhahr. Local sources told a reporter for the Palestinian Information Center (PIC) that settlers swarmed the hill where the settlement of Homesh was once located before its demolition, and embarked on stoning Palestinian cars on the road. They added that several cars sustained material damage and two Palestinian passengers were injured in the attack. Incidents of sabotage and violence by extremist Jewish settlers against Palestinians and their property are a daily occurrence throughout the West Bank. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

• Israeli settlers set up a new outpost on Al-Muntar mountain, east of the Palestinian town of Sawahra. A number of settlers placed several mobile homes and barrels of water on the mountain, at 4 am. Two days ago, a number of settlers tried to set up a container in the town, south of the settlement of Kedar. However, the residents in the area prevented them. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)

• A group of Israeli settlers attacked, several Palestinian homes in the al-Hareeqa neighborhood, in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, causing property damage, and chanted racist slogans. The settlers came from the Kiryat Arba’ settlement. The settlers hurled stones at Palestinian homes and chanted racist slogans; damage was reported to several homes, while many children suffered anxiety attacks. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)

• A group of Israeli settlers stormed al-Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem amid heavy police presence. Dozens of Israeli settlers forced their way into al-Aqsa Mosque through al-Maghareba Gate and carried out provocative tours inside the compound. Meanwhile, restrictions were tightened on the Palestinian worshipers entering the site. (PALINFO 15 September 2019)

• Dozens of Israeli settlers, under the protection of the Israeli occupation Army (IOA), attacked Palestinian homes in Al-Haraiq neighborhood in Hebron, throwing stones and burning bottles at them. Dozens of settlers from the settlement of Kiryat Arba settlement, built on Palestinian lands, east of Hebron, and attacked homes under the protection of the IOA. The settlers broke a number of windows while chanting racist slogans, which spread fear and panic among the children. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)

• A horde of Jewish settlers on Monday evening attacked a number of Palestinian homes in the south of Nablus in the occupied West Bank. Local official Ghassan Daghas said that dozens of settlers attacked the homes of citizens with stones in the northern area of Einabus village, south of Nablus, adding that local residents managed to fend off the
assailants. In another incident, another group of settlers stormed Duma village in southern Nablus, slashed tires of some cars and spray-painted death threats and racist slurs on a house’s wall. (palinfo)

- Israeli settlers broke into a mosque in the center of the southern West Bank city of Halhoul, adjacent to Hebron, and held rituals at the site provoking clashes with local Palestinian residents. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) first raided the area in order to secure Nabi Younis mosque in the center of Halhoul for the settlers to hold their Jewish rituals. Palestinians provoked by the raid clashed with the IOA and settlers. The IOA fired rubber bullets and teargas at the Palestinians causing several injuries. (WAFA 9 September 2019)

- Scores of Jewish settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque’s courtyards under tight police protection. Dozens of settlers carried out provocative tours at the Mosque and received explanations about the alleged temple mount. The Israeli occupation police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 17 September 2019)

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- Israeli settlers protected by The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) broke into the center of Hebron’s business area in Bab al-Zawieh and held rituals on Beersheba road. (WAFA 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation police allowed dozens of Jewish settlers to enter the Aqsa Mosque and tour its courtyards. About 50 settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque’s courtyards. The Israeli occupation police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances
leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)

• At least one farmer was injured as Israeli settlers attacked several Palestinian farmers working in a farm near the village of Beitin, northeast of Ramallah in the West Bank. About 25 Jewish settlers protected by an Israeli army force broke into the farm, physically assaulted some of the farmers and injured one of them in the head. The settlers also attacked vehicles belonging to local Palestinian citizens and smashed their windshields. (WAFA 20 September 2019)

• Israeli settlers razed a Palestinian-owned land near the village of Turmus Ayya, to the north of Ramallah in the occupied West Bank. Settlers from the illegal settlement of Adi-Ad, nearby, and who were escorted by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) proceeded to raze about six dunums of land near the village. The land razed belongs to a local Palestinian farmers from the village. (WAFA 22 September 2019)

• A number of Palestinians suffered from suffocation during clashes with Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) who secure a break in by Israeli settlers into Joseph’s Tomb in the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Palestinians clashed with the IOA who sealed off the Palestinian area to secure the visit of the settlers into the site resulting in 10 injuries mainly from suffocation due to inhaling teargas fired by the soldiers. About 1200 settlers broke into the site early in the morning, heavily protected by the IOA and accompanied by Rafi Peretz, Israeli Education Minister and Yossi Dagan, a settler leader. (WAFA 24 October 2019)

• Former Israeli Minister of Internal Security and Shin Bet director Avi Dichter, stormed the courtyards of Al-Aqsa Mosque under strict guard of Israeli occupation police. Dichter, WAS accompanied by a group of settlers and guarded by occupation forces stormed Al-Aqsa and made several provocative rounds in the courtyards. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

• Groups of Israeli settlers staged a march in the Old City of Jerusalem and around the Aqsa Mosque and its gates to mark the Jewish new year. The settlers marched through the entrances of the Aqsa Mosque and performed dances while singing at its gates. Meanwhile the Israeli occupation police blocked many roads in Jerusalem during the march, especially those leading to the Old City and the Aqsa Mosque’s western wall. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)

• Israeli settlers attacked Palestinian farmers while working on their own farms, near the village of Deir Sharaf, to the west of Nablus City, in the northern occupied West Bank. A group of Israeli settlers chased
Palestinian farmers while they were working on their farms, in preparation for the annual olive harvest, in attempt to force them to leave. Another group of settlers broke into the farms and stole a large amount of immature olives before leaving. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

- At least 120 Israeli settlers invaded the courtyards of the Al-Aqsa Mosque, through the al-Magharba Gate, while the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) removed the Muslim worshipers to facilitate these provocative tours. The invasion was led by Israeli Minister of Agriculture Uri Ariel and Likud Member of Knesset Yehuda Glick. It is worth mentioning that settler groups in Israel have created a greeting card to be used in celebrating Rosh Hashana showing an image of the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound completely vacant of any mosque or Islamic structure, with the Mosque (the third holiest site in Islam) “replaced” on the card’s image with a Jewish temple. This is part of their openly-stated mission to demolish Al-Aqsa and build a Jewish temple in its place. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

- The Israeli police closed Bab al-Magharba gate, one of the gate of Al Aqsa Mosque, before allowing around 94 Israeli settlers to conduct provocative tours into the holy site. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli authorities in occupied Jerusalem forced, Tuesday, a Palestinian from Silwan town to demolish the rooftop of his commercial structure, which was destroyed by the City Council two days ago. Media sources said the Palestinian, identified as Ma’moun Jalajel, had to demolish the rooftop at his own expense, to avoid the excessively high fines and penalties, in addition to the exaggerated costs of demolition if the city carries it out using its workers and machines. On Sunday evening, the Palestinian demolished the foundation of his property after receiving an order for its destruction from the City Council, for installing it without a permit. A month earlier, the Jalajel received an administrative demolition order, and was instructed to head to the City Council to pay fines, and he did so to avoid the destruction of his 30 square/meter property which he built two months ago. Jalajel stated that he built the property with a concrete floor, poles, in addition to reinforced sheet metal and bricks, before he was ordered to demolish it. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

- Israeli authorities in Jerusalem forced a Palestinian homeowner to demolish his own home, using only hand tools, on Wednesday. Jamil
Masalmeh told reporters that he was in mourning for his home, which he was forced to demolish on Wednesday or else pay a 48,000 NIS fine. His home is located in Silwan, an area targeted by Israeli authorities for annexation into Israel by the use of force. The municipality gave the resident a 24-hour period to demolish the entire house (walls and ceilings), or be fined 48,000 shekels. Masalmeh was forced to move in with his son, since he had no other place to go once he lost his home due to the Israeli order. The Israeli authorities claim it was “built without a permit” despite the fact that Israel has not issued any permits to Palestinian landowners since it took over the city of Jerusalem by military force in 1967. Israeli Jewish landowners, however, are issued permits nearly 100% of the time they apply. This double standard is one of the reasons that Palestinians in Jerusalem say they are being ‘ethnically cleansed’ from their homeland in Jerusalem. More than 110 “residential, agricultural and commercial” buildings have been demolished this year in various neighborhoods of Jerusalem, more than 30 of which were demolished by their owners, who faced steep fines if they refused to carry out the demolition. Given the high cost of bulldozers, many, like Masalmeh, had to demolish their homes by hand, using sledgehammers and other hand tools. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

• Israeli authorities, on Tuesday, demolished a Palestinian house in al-Tur town, east of Jerusalem, under the pretext of unlicensed construction. Homeowner Mohamed Abul Hawa said that Israeli police forces and municipal employees demolished his 90-square-meter house in the town because it was built with no permit. Abul Hawa added that he had been served with a demolition notice from the municipality 15 days ago, Days of Palestine further reports. The Israeli municipality systematically demolishes Palestinian homes and structures in occupied Jerusalem under the pretext of unlicensed construction, while it prevents the local residents from obtaining permits or make it difficult for them to meet construction conditions. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Maser Yatta area, south of Hebron city in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, before demolishing several residential sheds and tents, and detained two Palestinians. The IOA demolished a tent and a shed, owned by Maher al-Hamamda, in the al-Maqfara area. The IOA also demolished one residential shed, owned by Mahmoud Hussein Hamamda, in the same area. In addition, the IOA confiscated a car, owned by Masafer Yatta
Village Council, in addition to destroying a water network extending from the Tiwani village to Masafer Yatta. The IOA also destroyed solar panels in the Zakeer area, and two residential room in Khallet ad-Dabe’ area. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the head of the Tiwani Village Council, Mohammad Rib’ey, in addition to Bakr Fadel Rib’ey. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

- Israeli municipal bulldozers demolished two Palestinian-owned residential buildings under construction in al-Eizariya town, east of Occupied Jerusalem. The buildings belonged to a local resident called Samer Abu Ziyad and were located in Ras al-Bustan area of the town. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

- Dozens of Israeli soldiers, accompanied by bulldozers, invaded large areas of Palestinian agricultural lands, on Thursday morning, and started uprooting them, in addition to destroying water wells. Abdullah Bisharat, the head of Atouf Village Council, said the soldiers invaded lands in Um Kbeish area, in the western part of the village, and started bulldozing and uprooting hundreds of dunams of Palestinian farmlands. He added that the bulldozers are cutting and uprooting dozens of trees and other plants in the farmlands, without a prior notice or any justification. Bisharat also stated that the soldiers also demolished four wells, used by the farmers for irrigation for their lands. The targeted Palestinian agricultural lands are thousands of Dunams, planted with various sorts of trees and plants, and are owned by Palestinians living in that area. Bisharat also stated that the Israeli government, headed by Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, seems to have already started the annexation of the Jordan Valley and the Northern Plains, following statements in this regard as part of his election campaign to win the votes of illegal colonialist settlers, living in the occupied West Bank. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed an agricultural structure at the main entrance to Zeita town in Tulkarem and wreaked havoc on its contents. Several IOA stormed a prefabricated storehouse used for agricultural purposes and embarked on smashing its contents. The IOA also threatened to remove the structure next Tuesday. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) demolished one Palestinian house and two agricultural rooms as well as fences and a road in al-Walaja village, northwest of Bethlehem. The bulldozers escorted by the IOA stormed the area of Ein Juwaiza and Khilat al-Hour and demolished a
house belonging to a local resident called Mustafa Abd Rabo. The IOA also knocked down two structures used for agricultural purposes belonging to a woman from the village as well as concrete fences of two homes belonging to other villagers. A road was also bulldozed in the village by the IOF during the demolition campaign. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded ‘Atouf village, east of Tammoun, southeast of the northeastern West Bank city of Tubas, and demolished an agricultural room owned by a Palestinian, identified as Eyad Faisal Qalalwa. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) delivered stop-construction orders for a number of Palestinian houses and shacks in Barta’a, a village isolated behind Israel’s separation wall, southwest of Jenin. An Israeli military Army raided Barta’a and handed eight residents notices ordering them to halt the construction on their houses and shacks purportedly for being built without licenses. (WAFA 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished two agricultural structures in the village of Atouf in the Jordan Valley. The structures are a caravan and a shack. The IOA also seized a tractor owned by a Palestinian resident of the village of al-Ras al-Ahmar, southeast of Tubas. (WAFA 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the Ramadin area, southwest of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and delivered orders halting the construction of the al-Badia Basic School. The IOA ordered halting the construction of the school, located in the western part of the town. The school is close to the illegal Annexation Wall, which was built on Palestinian lands in the area. There are thirty students in this school, and construction was underway to expand it to be able to provide the needed education to more children. It is one of many Somoud and Tahadi Schools which were recently built by the Palestinian Education Ministry, and a few them have been demolished. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) ordered a halt on the construction of several residential and agricultural structures in the village of Ras al-Ahmar, near the town of Tubas in the Jordan Valley region. The IOA accompanied by staff from the Israeli Civil Administration broke into the village and handed a notice ordering a halt on the construction of five residential structures and animal barns, under the pretext that they are being built without a permit. The village is located in Area C of the
West Bank, under full Israeli administrative and military control, where Israel rarely issues construction permits to Palestinians, forcing many to build without permits. (WAFA 19 September 2019)

- Teams from the Israeli municipality of West Jerusalem accompanied by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) informed a number of Palestinians in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiyeh that their homes are going to be demolished because they were built without permit. The municipality staff handed over demolition orders to several homes in the neighborhood and summoned others to appear before municipality officials for building without a license. The staff also took pictures and measurements of several homes, which is usually a prelude to their demolition. Most of the building are inhabited. (WAFA 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) cut off water supply to the Palestinian village of Bardala in the northern Jordan Valley. The IOA stormed the village and sealed up water holes that feed the local residents of the village with water, without stating the reason for such action. The Israeli army had cut off water supply to the village many times before in an attempt to force the local residents to leave the area. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli Magistrate Court ruled to evict a Palestinian Jerusalemite family from its home in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Wadi Hilweh in Silwan for the benefit of settlers. The court ruling came in favor of the settler organizations of Ateret Cohanim and Elad, which filed a lawsuit demanding that the house be evicted under the pretext that it was absentee property. Ateret Cohanim and Elad organizations are settler groups that aim to create a Jewish majority in East Jerusalem at the expense of Palestinians. (WAFA 23 September 2019)

- Many Israeli army jeeps and bulldozers invaded Ras al-‘Ein neighborhood, in Silwan town, south of occupied East Jerusalem, and demolished for stables for horses. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA), accompanied by personnel of the Engineering Department of the City Council in occupied Jerusalem, surrounded Ras al-‘Ein neighborhood, before invading it. The IOA then isolated the area around four stables, owned by Na‘im Roweidi, and demolished them. The Palestinian installed the stables several years ago and was using them to provide shelter for his horses, and to store their fodder. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- Staff of the so-called Israeli Municipality of West Jerusalem demolished a Palestinian house under construction in Mount of Olives
neighborhood in occupied Jerusalem. The municipality staff, backed by Israeli police, cut the iron columns and destroyed the roof of the house owned by Issa Khalil. Israeli police detained the owner and his brother after physically assaulting members of the family who were present at the house. (WAFA 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Bulldozers demolished a barn for horses in Silwan in occupied East Jerusalem and seized a vehicle in the Jordan Valley town of Toubas. The IOA used a bulldozer to demolish the 100-square meter barn under unclear reasons. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized a vehicle in the area of Ras al-Ahmar near Tubas in the northern Jordan Valley. No reason was given for the seizure. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished, a shed and an agricultural structure in Deir Ballout town, west of the central West Bank city of Salfit. The IOA surrounded the entire area before invading it and demolished the two structures without prior notice. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an agricultural room, and a water tank, east of Hebron. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an under-construction home in the al-Hijra village, at the southern entrance of Doura city, south of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Several army jeeps and bulldozers, invaded the village and demolished the two-story property of 250 square/meter each floor. The owner of the demolished property, Samir Nimir Doudin, said the army first issued orders stopping the construction for not receiving a permit from the “Civil Administration Office,” the executive branch of Israel’s illegal military occupation of the West Bank. Doudin filed an appeal with an Israeli court to halt the demolition and give him enough time to obtain all needed permits, however, the court never made a ruling in the case and the army didn’t wait and went ahead with the demolition. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, the Sawahra town, east of occupied East Jerusalem, and removed a protest tent, which was installed by locals and international peace activists, to protest the establishment of a new illegal colonialist outpost in the al-Mintar Mountain, east of the town. The IOA invaded the area, and forcibly removed the nonviolent activists from the tent, and removed it. The
army invaded the area a week ago and informed the nonviolent protesters of its decision to demolish and remove the tent. It is worth mentioning that, on September 15th, a group of Israeli settlers installed several mobile homes and water tanks on the mountain, in preparation for establishing a new outpost on the Palestinian lands. The army did not attempt to remove it. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

• Workers of the City Council of occupied East Jerusalem and Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an under-construction Palestinian home belonging to Abu Issa Khalil in the at-Tour town, allegedly for being constructed without a permit, and assaulted the family before detaining two of them. The IOA, and personnel of the City Council stormed the home after surrounding and isolating it, and assaulted the family, before detaining Abu Issa Khalil sons, Qussai and Issa. The two detained sons were interrogated for several hours at a detention facility, and were released under the condition of being forced out of Jerusalem for 48 hours. The IOA alleged that Abu Issa Khalil sons “assaulted them”, while they were forcing the family out, and attacked his other son, Odai, causing various cuts and bruises, before he was rushed to a hospital in Jerusalem. The IOA demolished his residence using handheld tools because it is on the top third floor. Khalil also said that the City Council recently informed him that he has until Monday evening to demolish the residence, and he demolished its rooftop, however, the IOA invaded the area, Tuesday, and demolished the remaining walls. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

• Caught in the middle of an enclave of Israeli settlers, the Sumrin family in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Silwan is living the constant nightmare of eviction from the home it has lived in all its life. For 28 years, the family has spared no legal effort to prevent its eviction from its home in order to turn it over to the settlers. But the family today is facing imminent eviction after the Israeli Magistrate Court in Jerusalem ruled on September 23 that is has 90 days to evacuate the house on the pretext that the house is considered “absentee property”. The house (owned by Ahmad Sumrin, 36) is built on a plot of land 800 square meters in area and is located in the middle of the so-called “City of David” enclave in Wadi Hilweh area of Silwan where the settlers are concentrated. The Sumrin house is surrounded by settlers, separated only by barbed wire and surveillance cameras. The Sumrin family home has a total area of 350 square meters and consists of four apartments housing 15 people, all of whom are now under the threat of eviction and displacement. The court ordered the family to pay 50,000
Israeli shekels (app. $14,000) in rent for the last three years to be paid for the custodian of absentee property under the pretext the house was owned by the custodian. The family was originally told to pay two million shekels ($600,000). (WAFA 28 October 2019)

**Israeli Military Orders**

- Israeli soldiers confiscated, Sunday, approximately 100 Dunams (24.7 Acres) of privately-owned Palestinian lands from villages south of Nablus, in northern West Bank, and northeast of Ramallah, in central West Bank. Ghassan Daghlas, a Palestinian official who monitors Israel’s illegal colonialist activities in northern West Bank, said the soldiers handed the confiscation orders to residents of Qaryout and Jaloud villages, near the northern West Bank city of Nablus. He added that similar orders were handed to residents of Turmus Ayya village, north of the central West Bank city of Ramallah. The confiscation of the lands is part of Israeli plans to expand Shilu illegal colony, which was built on private Palestinian lands. The confiscated lands are in the following areas: Ras al-'Ein and Ras Moweis, Basin #1 of the southern area of Qaryout village, southeast of Nablus. Basin #12 of Jaloud village, south of Nablus. Basin #10 and Basin #3 of Turmus Ayya village, northeast of Ramallah. Daghlas stated that Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is escalating the confiscation of Palestinian lands and the attempts to build and expand the illegal colonies as part of his efforts to appease the colonists ahead of the upcoming general election on September 17th. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)

- Israeli occupation authorities, ordered the confiscation of Palestinian-owned lands in Nablus district, to expand the Yitzhar settlement. The village councils of Burin, Huwara, Asira al-Qibliya, Madama, Urif and Einabus all received copies of an Israeli order to seize Palestinian-owned lands in the vicinity of Yitzhar. Anyone wishing to file a complaint against the Israeli move has a 21-day time limit, according to the written order. (IMEMC 14 September 2019)

- The Israeli army confiscated at least 1500 Dunams (370.65 Acres) of Palestinian lands, owned by the residents of Doura town, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, by reinstating a military order, issued in 1987, regarding the illegal annexation of the lands that were designated as “state-owned lands.” The lands in question as not only owned by the Palestinians, by are also inhabited by them, and include many homes, agricultural structures and are planted with olive and...
almond trees. The lands are under the jurisdiction of Doura City Council. The first order, which was issued in 1987 designated Basin #8 of Doura as “state lands”, and in July of this year, Israel reexamined the order, and altered it to confiscate more lands. The order, although an old one, was modified recently in order to illegally annex more Palestinian lands, on both sides of Be‘er as-Sabe‘ Road, which connects the eastern countryside of Doura with the al-Thaheriyya town, south of Hebron, after claiming the lands are “state-owned.” The lands are owned by the families of Amro, Abu Sharar, al-Khatib, Shahin, Doudin, al-Harbiyyat, in addition to other families that recently bought lands in the same area. The largest segment of the lands is in Abu Hilal area, Ein Omran and the al-Majoor agricultural area, in addition to lands where Israel built a military base and tower in al-Majnoona area, extending from the al-Jabal al-Abiad to the east of Doura, until the village of Deir Razeh. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

- The Israeli authorities in the occupied West Bank, issued three orders for the illegal annexation of Palestinian lands in Beit Jala city, Teqoua‘ and Rashayda towns, in Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied Jerusalem in the West Bank. Hasan Breijiyya, the coordinator of the Wall and Colonization Commission in Bethlehem, said the first Israeli order targets Palestinian lands in Basin 2 of the al-Makhrour area Beit Jala, west of Bethlehem, and are owned by residents from Beit Jala and al-Khader. Breijiyya added that Israel wants to confiscate lands in that area to expand colonialist bypass road #60, linking between occupied Jerusalem and Gush Etzion colony, south of Bethlehem, which effectively means annexing hundreds of Dunams of Palestinian agricultural lands. The second order targets lands in the Rashayda village, east of Bethlehem, and aims at expanding Maali Amos illegal colony. The third order targets lands owned by the Palestinians in Teqoua‘ village, east of Bethlehem, and aims at expanding Nokdim illegal colony. Israel’s colonies in the occupied West Bank, including those in and around Jerusalem, are illegal under International Law and the Fourth Geneva Convention. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

- Several Israeli army vehicles invaded, on Monday at dawn, Palestinian lands in northern and central Gaza, and bulldozed them while military drones flew overhead. Media sources said four armored military vehicles advanced dozens of meters into Palestinian agricultural lands, east of Jabalia, in the northern part of the coastal region, and bulldozed them. They added that four other bulldozers invaded lands, east of
Juhr Ed-Deek town, northeast of the al-Boreij refugee camp in central Gaza Strip, and bulldozed them also while military drones hovered overhead. The invasions are part of ongoing Israeli violations against the Palestinians in the besieged Gaza Strip; such assaults include attacking farmers, workers and fishermen, in addition to bulldozing lands. (IMEMC 09 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) uprooted dozens of olive trees and demolished water wells in Umm al-Kobaish area, east of Tammun town, south of Tubas. Local official Mutaaz Bisharat said that Israeli troops uprooted 300 olive trees and destroyed five wells used to gather water. Bisharat added that the olive trees and wells belonged to Palestinian farmers living in the area. The area has been exposed recently to frequent demolitions by the IOF. On June 11, dozens of olive trees and two wells were destroyed by Israeli army bulldozers. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) bulldozed and uprooted, large areas of Palestinian agricultural lands in Hijja village, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, and near Salfit in central West Bank. Several army bulldozers started uprooted approximately 145 Dunams of farmlands. The Israeli violation comes as part of the efforts to expand the Industrial Zone of the illegal Karnei Shomron settlement, which was built on privately-owned Palestinian lands. Most of the bulldozed lands were planted with olive trees, and are owned by approximately five families. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Palestinian lands in Broqin village, west of the central West Bank city of Salfit and uprooted around 150 olive trees in Khirbat Qarqash area, northeast of the village. (IMEMC, WAFA 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) chopped down scores of Palestinian-owned olive trees in Burqin village, to the west of the occupied West Bank Governorate of Salfit. The IOA destroyed more than 100 olive trees in the Khirbet Qarqash area, located in the northeastern part of the village. No reason was given for the destruction of the trees. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished two agricultural structures in the village of Atouf, Jordan Valley, a caravan and a shack. The IOA seized a tractor owned by a Palestinian resident of the village of al-Ras al-Ahmar, southeast of Toubas. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) bulldozed a vast tract of agricultural land in the West Bank village of Hajjah village, east of Qalqilya. The IOA bulldozers razed 145 dunums of agricultural land in order to expand the industrial zone of Karnei Shomron settlement. Large areas of this land, which belong to five families, are planted with olive trees. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)

• The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) razed a greenhouse in Atuf village to the east of Tamun, in southeastern Tubsa governorate. The IOA drove a bulldozer into the land of Iyad Qalalwa and destroyed his greenhouse. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) prevented a Palestinian farmer from plowing and working on his own land, and confiscated a bulldozer working on the land, in the al-Mintar area, in Kafr Thulth town, south of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia. The IOA confiscated a bulldozer, owned by Ayman Ahmad Mara’ba, who was working on lands owned by Abdul-Latif Hasan Arar, who hired him to do the job. The IOA forced the Palestinians out of the land, and closed with sand hills the agricultural road linking between Azzoun and Kafr Thulth and leading to al-’Oyoun area in Wadi Qana. It is worth mentioning that the road was recently opened to provide the Palestinian farmers an easier access route to their farmlands and orchards. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

• Israeli settlers razed a Palestinian-owned land near the village of Turmus Ayya, to the north of Ramallah in the occupied West Bank. Israeli settlers from the settlement outpost of Adi-Ad, nearby, and who were escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) Proceeded to raze about six dunums of land near the village. The land razed belongs to a local Palestinian farmers from the village. (WAFA 22 September 2019)

• Israel is preparing a plan for the illegal annexation of Palestinian lands in the Naqoura village, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, to expand a settlement. The plan aims at expanding the illegal Shave Shomron settlement, which was built on Palestinian lands, by confiscating Palestinian lands, in Basin #12, adjacent to the settlement. The Israeli plan would lead to the annexation of more lands, not only for the new illegal constructions, but also infrastructure and “security zones”, off-limits to the Palestinians. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

**Expansion of settlements**
• Israeli occupation authorities have issued a military order to confiscate nearly 25 acres of private Palestinian land, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank, as Israel moves ahead with land expropriation and settlement construction policies, in violation of international law and UN Security Council resolutions. Israeli officials have served orders to people in the villages of Qaryout and Jalud, located approximately 30 kilometers (19 miles) south of Nablus, notifying them of the decision to seize almost 100 dunams (24.7 acres), in order to expand the nearby Shilo settlement. Daghlas added that similar notices had been distributed among the residents of Turmus Ayya town. (IMEMC 09 September 2019)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed roadblocks on roads leading to many towns in Hebron governorate, before stopping and searching many cars and interrogated the residents while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded many neighborhoods in Hebron city, in addition to Yatta and Beit Awwa towns, and installed roadblocks on main roads leading to the northern and southern parts of Hebron city, in addition to Sa’ir and Halhoul towns, before stopping and searching dozens of cars while examining the ID cards of the passengers. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

• The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed roadblocks in Hebron’s northern roads, and the entrances of Sa’ir Yatta and as-Sammoa’ towns, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

Israeli Closures

• The Israeli occupation police closed the Burj Aluqluq Social Center Society in the Old City of Jerusalem and detained its manager. The IOA stormed the society, closed its doors and rounded up its manager Muntaser Edkidek. The police also circulated an order banning Jerusalemite families from holding a soccer tournament on the society’s playing field. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) also detained head of the society Naser Ghaith and coordinator of tournaments Alaa Gamjoum in Jerusalem. The decision to close the society and ban its
activities was taken by Israeli security minister Gilad Erdan. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) welded shut the door of a Palestinian home in the Old City of al-Khalil. The Israeli Civil Administration, accompanied by IOA, stormed al-Shuhadaa Street and welded shut the main entrance to Sami Zahdeh’s house. The house was set on fire about two weeks ago and the IOA prevented the fire crews from entering the area. The Palestinian residents were forced to make a hole in the wall of one of the neighboring houses to extinguish the fire. The Civil Administration later ordered the family to enter the house from that hole, and told them not to reopen the closed door. (PALINFO 13 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) will impose a complete closure on the West Bank and Gaza Strip crossings during the Knesset elections. "Based on the security situation evaluation and directives of the political authority, a complete closure will be imposed on the West Bank areas and Gaza Strip crossings," a spokesman for the Israeli army said in a statement. The army explained that the closure would begin at 12:00 a.m. Tuesday and last for 24 hours, pending a situational assessment. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) blocked the entrances to the village of Kifl Hares, near the West Bank town of Salft. The IOA closed the village’s main south entrance with a metal gate and banned local Palestinian passengers and drivers from using it. In the meantime, the IOA set up a checkpoint on the west entrance of the village, causing a huge traffic jam for those attempting to enter or leave the village. No reason was given to these acts. (WAFA 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation police closed all the gates and entrances of the Aqsa Mosque and barred Muslim worshipers from entering it following an alleged stabbing incident in the Old City of Jerusalem. However, the Mosque was reopened a few hours later. (PLAINFO 27 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed the Ibrahimi Mosque to all Muslim worshipers, to allow groups of Israeli settlers to visit it during the Jewish New Year. The closure is for 24 hours, starting at ten on Sunday night. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation authorities have imposed a strict siege on the occupied West Bank and the Gaza Strip, starting on Saturday night at midnight and ending on Tuesday night at midnight, during the celebration of the Jewish New Year (Rosh Hashana). All of the border crossings leading to the West Bank and the besieged Gaza Strip have been closed, while the Israeli army has also imposed many roadblocks
across the occupied West Bank. In addition, the Israeli police deployed more units in occupied Jerusalem, especially on roads and alleys leading to the Al-Aqsa Mosque, preventing dozens of Palestinians, especially young men, from entering the holy site. The restrictions on entry into Al-Aqsa include Palestinian men with Israeli citizenship, while a few women were allowed into the holy site after the soldiers and the police held their ID cards as a precondition of entry, to collect them once they leave. The severe restrictions on the entry into the Al-Aqsa Mosque and its surrounding are taking place as Israeli settler leaders and Israeli officials are calling for massive provocative tours into the holy site, to celebrate the Jewish new year. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

Other

- Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said, on Sunday morning, that he will declare Israeli sovereignty over all settlements, in the near future. “Remember that this is the land of Israel, our land,” Netanyahu said at the opening of the school year, in the settlement of Alcana. “We will impose Jewish sovereignty on all settlements as part of the State of Israel. We are building new houses here,” he said. Netanyahu reiterated statements, from last July, that he would not allow the evacuation of any settlements. “We are working hard to fortify settlement projects, which require money, determination and overcoming pressure, which all governments under my leadership, with the help of God, and with your help, have done. We will continue to do this together. ” In response to a question about international pressures that may be formed in response to the maintenance of settlements, Netanyahu explained that “such things have existed for many years and can always be maintained.” “We face (pressures) firmly, deliberations, patience, Above all, with perseverance, our reality continues to resonate openly, and I say to all world leaders, that we are not rooted in a foreign land. On the contrary, the people of Israel in Samaria (the occupied West Bank) are at home.” Netanyahu said: “This is a pledge, it is not limited within the space of time, but limited because I offer in my name: can not uproot any settlement from the land of Israel, and will not be” uprooted “any political plan. We’ve finished this nonsense, you all know what we got when we moved out of the settlements, peace? We got terrorism and missiles.” Israeli settlements, which are housing units built on Palestinian land in the occupied West Bank and Jerusalem, and illegal under international law. (IMEMC 2 September 2019)
Prime Minister Netanyahu visited Hebron on 4 September 2019 to mark the 90th anniversary of the 1929 Hebron Massacre. Hebron settlers campaigned unsuccessfully to have the Prime Minister commit to establishing a new settlement in the old wholesale market in Hebron...but there will be further rounds. For any future attempts to establish another settlement in Hebron, it is worth bearing in mind the following reasons for why this should not happen: 1. It is ethically inadmissible to settle beyond the sovereign borders of one’s state, in an area where one’s own military exercises effective control over a local population and prevents it from acquiring full rights. Moreover, it is the very settlements themselves that stand in the way of a political agreement that would end this military control (i.e. the Occupation) and grant Palestinians freedom from foreign rule (or, theoretically, equal rights within Israel). The common settler refrain is that they are merely “coming back to live in their ancient homeland,” yet this explanation entirely ignores the context of how their living in the West Bank perpetuates Israel’s military rule over the Palestinians at the cost of the latter’s freedom. 2. It imposes a security burden – Establishing a new settlement in the heart of a Palestinian city, where 800 settlers live among a population of 200,000 Palestinians, will necessarily demand that the IDF invest more forces to guard them. 3. It’s not just “another hill” – A settlement in the heart of a dense Palestinian urban area is unlike any settlement. In order to protect the settlers in the Palestinian-populated area, the IDF imposes extreme measures on the population, including by closing shops and businesses, closing streets for vehicular traffic, and in some streets forbidding Palestinians from walking on them entirely. In this sense, the settlement in Hebron is the ugly face of Israeli control over the Palestinian Territories. It is both immoral and a public relations disaster for Israel. 4. The Wholesale Market is a symbol – The wholesale market complex was the vibrant heart of the Old City of Hebron. It was tragically closed by the IDF’s order in 1994 following the Baruch Goldstein Massacre of Muslim worshipers at the Tomb of the Patriarchs. At the Hebron Protocol, signed by then Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Palestinian Authority President Arafat in 1997, Israel committed to re-open the wholesale market in Hebron as part of the “Normalization of Life in the Old City.” However this commitment was never implemented and the shops are still closed to this day. 5. Legally, the land belongs to the Hebron municipality (in protected tenancy) – The protected tenants cannot be “thrown out” without justifiable grounds and judicial decision. The political will of the Israeli government to establish a settlement cannot be grounds for this, and it means adopting the apartheid-like system
whereby the Israeli population is superior to the Palestinian population (see explanation below). 6. The allocation of land to the settlement will constitute acceptance of the principle of Right of Return – The basis of the settlers’ demand for the establishment of a settlement in the wholesale market is that the land was owned by Jews before 1948. Israel has hundreds of thousands of dunams and properties owned by Palestinians before 1948. If the Israeli government accepts the claim of the landowners to right to return to their land taken in 1948, it will undermine the Israeli claim that the Palestinians’ right of return inside Israel need not be implemented. 7. Political Damage – Apart from the moral, security, legal and breach of Israeli commitments, the expansion of the settlement in Hebron precludes us Israelis from the prospect of a two-state agreement. In so doing, we are weakening our own ability to preserve Israel’s democratic character by making our military rule over a non-enfranchised Palestinian population permanent. The protected tenancy of the Hebron Municipality – the legal opinion of the Ministry of Defense: Until recently, the legal advice in Israel was that according to existing law, the rights of the protected tenants of the Hebron municipality should not be withdrawn without proper legal process, in accordance with the terms of the Jordanian law on tenant protection. Last November, Defense Minister Avigdor Lieberman announced his intention to build a new settlement in the wholesale market, based on a legal opinion prepared by the Defense Ministry. The Movement for the Freedom of Information filed for the Ministry of Defense to send over the legal opinion, but the Ministry of Defense refused on the grounds that it was an internal document. Following a petition filed by the movement to the district court of Tel Aviv, the Defense Ministry agreed to “paraphrase” the opinion and give the movement a summary of the main points of the full opinion. The opinion argues that it is permissible to build over the structure of the wholesale market because, it claims, the protected tenancy of the municipality is only in the shops themselves and not on the roof or the ground. It also states that because in the foreseeable future, the wholesale market is unlikely to reopen to the Palestinians due to the “political-security” situation, Israel is also allowed to demolish the stores to dig new foundations for construction, and then build the stores and above them the settlers’ houses. (PEACENOW 2 September 2019)

- The US embassy in Jerusalem began constructing a wall surrounding the building of its new quarter, with a height of 6 meters, according to Al Ray. It was agreed upon, previously, to build a wall with a height of 3.2 meters, but it was recently decided to build the wall with a height
of 5.8 meters. Israelis living in the same neighborhood reportedly complained that the height of the wall covers the scenery, depriving them from enjoying the sight. It was noted that Israelis living near the embassy sent a letter to Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, as well as to US Ambassador David Friedman, demanding them to retreat from this step. Finance Minister Moshe Kahlon has already signed an order to raise the wall, citing security reasons, as part of the implementation of pre-approved emergency instructions, including the construction of a private street. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

- Israeli prime minister Benjamin Netanyahu, on Wednesday evening, carried out a provocative “visit” to al-Ibrahimi mosque, in the southern occupied West Bank city of Hebron, amidst tight security measures that affected the city’s Palestinian population and which came following another such “visit” by Israeli President Reuven Rivlin. Netanyahu said, at an election campaign to win settlers’ vote in al-Ibrahimi mosque, that “we are not strangers to Hebron and we will stay here forever.” “I am proud that my government was the first to develop the ghetto program in the city [of Hebron] to build dozens of new housing units,” he said, according to WAFA. Israeli forces clamped a curfew on the Palestinian neighborhoods of the old section of Hebron, as hundreds of soldiers and police were deployed in preparation for Netanyahu’s arrival. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

- In Gaza alone, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) have injured 30 journalists since March 22. “30 journalists covering the protests were injured” by the Israeli army, during the protests held along the Israel-Gaza fence. Since the start of protests in March 2018, known as Great March of Return, a total of four Anadolu Agency journalists were also wounded, two in Gaza and two in occupied West Bank. In the same period, two other journalists working in other media organizations in Gaza were killed. Israel used tear gas, rubber-coated bullets, water cannon and sound devices, as well as regularly fired live ammunition, against the demonstrators. As a direct result, since 22 March 2019, 13 Palestinians, including five children, have been killed. Hundreds of others, including health workers and journalists, have been injured. Many have been left with permanent disabilities, including 20 who have undergone amputations, two who have been paralyzed, and six who have permanently lost their vision in one eye. These 13 deaths since March 22, 2019 follow the killings of 189 Palestinians in the previous 12 months – including 38 children. Since the Gaza rallies began in March 2018, nearly 270 protesters have been martyred, and
thousands more wounded by Israeli troops deployed near the buffer zone. Demonstrators demand an end to Israel’s 12-year blockade of the Gaza Strip, which has shattered the coastal enclave’s economy and deprived its two million inhabitants of many basic amenities. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)

- The health NGOs in the Gaza Strip work under a crippling blockade imposed by Israel on the enclave since 2006 and suffer from a severe lack of medical supplies. The crisis has worsened following the launch of the Great March of Return. The high number of martyrs and wounded marches and the lack of supply have caused a serious deterioration in the situation. 40% of the medicines are not found in stores while 45% will run out after three months. As for the medical consumables, the total deficit is 55%. (PNGO, PALINFO 11 September 2019)

- Jerusalem Municipal Data Reveals Stark Israeli-Palestinian Discrepancy in Construction Permits in Jerusalem: Only 16.5% of Jerusalem’s building permits are for Palestinians, whom constitute 38% of the city’s residents. Nearly half of the construction for Israelis is in neighborhoods beyond the Green Line. According to data the Jerusalem Municipality sent to the Movement for the Freedom of Information after two years of delays on building permits approved by the Local Planning and Construction Committee from 1991 to 2018, while 38% of the city’s residents are Palestinians, only 16.5% of the building permits were given for construction in Palestinian neighborhoods. The figures also indicate that 45% of all Israeli building permits in Jerusalem were in Israeli neighborhoods beyond the Green Line in areas unilaterally annexed by Israel in 1967. Of 57,737 housing units approved in construction permits in Jerusalem from 1991 – 2018: Permits for 9,536 housing units (16.5%) were approved for construction in Palestinian neighborhoods. Permits for 21,834 housing units (37.8%) were approved for construction in Israeli neighborhoods in areas annexed to Jerusalem in 1967 across the Green Line. Permits for 26,367 housing units (45.7%) were approved for construction in West Jerusalem. **What is a construction permit?** After the planning process and approval of the construction plans (and in the case of government-initiated construction, after the tender process), when there are developers who wish to implement the planned construction, they must obtain a building permit from the local authority. The Local Planning and Construction Committee reviews the permit applications and their compliance with the applicable plans, as well as safety and
environmental standards, etc. After the committee approve the permit, there is some bureaucratic procedures, the municipality issues a building permit and the developers can begin construction. Typically, between the permit approval and the start of construction, it takes several weeks to months. Most of the approved construction permits are also actually built, thus they are a good indicator of the number of units actually built. A. Lack of planning and construction for the Palestinians: The data reveals the known truth about the plight of construction in East Jerusalem. Since 1967, Israeli authorities have refrained from actively encouraging construction for Palestinians in Jerusalem. While the government has initiated planning, appropriation of land for construction, tenders for the construction of more than 55,000 housing units for Israelis in East Jerusalem since 1967, the Palestinians have seen government-initiated construction of only 600 housing units (in the 1970s). This means that almost all Palestinian construction in East Jerusalem is the result of a private initiative by families who have to bear planning costs and encounter many difficulties in obtaining a building permit. Another notable figure is the average number of units approved in each permit. While in Israeli neighborhoods both in East and West Jerusalem the average is 10.5 units per permit, the average in Palestinian neighborhoods is 3.5 units per permit. This means that the construction in Israeli Jerusalem is for much larger projects, including bigger buildings and compounds, while construction in Palestinian Jerusalem consists of much smaller projects, less organized and in a more sporadic manner. For more on construction planning neglect in the Palestinian neighborhoods of Jerusalem, see – Deliberately Planned – a report of Bimkom and Ir Amim. In the absence of planning and with virtually no chance of obtaining building permits, East Jerusalem Palestinian residents are forced to build without permits and live under the constant threat of demolition. Over the past three years, nearly 200 structures have been demolished in East Jerusalem per year (a sharp increase since the Obama administration years). B. Construction in Israeli neighborhoods beyond the Green Line: Since 1967, Israel has built 12 settlement neighborhoods beyond the Green Line on land expropriated for public purposes in East Jerusalem. The number of housing units in these neighborhoods is estimated at over 55,000. Most of the construction was done relatively soon after 1967, in the 1970s and 1980s. Municipal data shows that since 1991, 21,834 housing units have been approved in Israeli neighborhoods across the Green Line. An increase of about 33% since Netanyahu’s 2009 election – From 2000 to 2008, the average number of housing units approved in neighborhoods
beyond the Green Line was about 500 housing units per year. Since Netanyahu was elected prime minister in 2009, the average has risen by about 33% and stands at 665 housing units approved per year. A dramatic increase after Trump’s election – Between 2017-2018, 1,861 housing units were approved in those neighborhoods, up from 1,162 in the previous two years (rise of 58%). The graph of construction permits in Israeli neighborhoods in East Jerusalem tells the story of the settlements there. For instance, in 1991, 2,096 housing units were approved, almost all of them were in the Pisgat Ze’ev neighborhood, which was then in the advanced stages of construction. 2000 was the year in which the Har Homa settlement began to be built (1,707 housing units), after the approval by Prime Minister Netanyahu in 1997 to establish Har Homa as the first new settlement since the Oslo Accords. C. Data quality and accuracy: 1. Difficulty in obtaining data – The information requested and received from the municipality of Jerusalem is a list of all construction permits approved over the years since the system was computerized. On 13 November 2017, the Movement for Freedom of Information applied to the Jerusalem Municipality to request the information. This is after a request that the Peace Now motion in December 2014 was only partially complied with, without the data being complete. About four months later, on 7 March 2018, the Jerusalem Municipality’s response was finally received, with the list of building permits without detailing the number of units approved in each of the permit. The municipality reported that the information does not exist in the computerized system. But since Peace Now had an old file from the computerized system from a few years ago with information on the number of units, a new round of correspondence and conversations began and the Jerusalem Municipality moved to acquire the full information. The Movement for Freedom of Information file a new application on 15 January 2019. It was only on 30 May 2019 that the municipality sent a reply, but the requested information was given in a PDF file and the attempts to convert it to Excel to be analyzed and examined amounted to nothing. Only after the threat of filing a petition in court was the information in Excel format finally received, on 9 July 2019. 2. Quality of data – The list received from the Jerusalem Municipality included information on tens of thousands of permits, including the permit number, date of approval, number of housing units added, address, neighborhood, and the plan number according to which the permit was granted. Peace Now still had to screen the data: erasing duplicates, correcting some typos (in some cases the wrong number of housing units was typed, or an incorrect neighborhood name was entered). It is
important to emphasize that despite efforts to improve and correct the data, there are still data inaccuracies. But since these are large numbers of thousands of housing units, the order of magnitude is likely to be negligible. The information was also checked against CBS data on construction starts, and similar trends were discovered. (PEACENOW 12 September 2019)

- On 15 September, 2019, the Israeli government cabinet approved the official establishment of a new settlement, Mevo’ot Yericho, currently an outpost in the Jordan Valley. The units of the outpost will still need to be retroactively authorized through the settlement plan approvals process, for which the cabinet decision has given the political green light to be promoted. This announcement marks the christening of a sixth official settlement since the Oslo Accords, following declarations for the Havat Gilad outpost (2018), Amichai settlement (2017), Bruchin (2012), Sansana (2012) and Rechelim (2012). Over a dozen other outposts have been retroactively authorized as “neighborhoods” of existing settlements so that the government could deny officially creating new settlements. For more on the revival of building outposts under the Netanyahu government and efforts to legalize them, click here. Mevo’ot Yericho lies strategically just 650 meters from the Area A of the northern edge of Jericho, thus blocking potential Palestinian develop. The move comes just days after Prime Minister Netanyahu presented a detailed plan to annex the Jordan Valley, while encircling Palestinian Areas A and B. (PEACENOW 15 September 2019)

- The Israeli government approved its proposal to legalize an outpost in the Jordan Valley two days before the Knesset election after its attorney general agreed to retract his opposition. However, the final approval for legalizing the outpost will be made by the next government. "The government will decide on kick-starting the process of establishing the settlement of Mevo’ot Yeriho in the Jordan Valley," said Israeli premier Benjamin Netanyahu at the cabinet meeting, which was held in the outpost. "The final approval will of course be given upon the formation of the new government," he said. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)

- The health condition of the Palestinian prisoner Sultan Khalaf, who has been on hunger strike for 62 days in Israeli jails, has seriously deteriorated. Khalaf, a resident of Jenin in the West Bank, started an open-ended hunger strike 62 days ago protesting his administrative detention without charge or trial. Israeli occupation authorities detained Khalaf on 8 July 2019 and 10 days later he started a hunger
strike after he was sentenced to extendable six months without indictment or trial. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)

- The Israeli government is deliberately targeting Palestinian journalists in both the Gaza Strip and the West Bank. The Ministry of Information, on the International Day of Solidarity with Palestinian journalists, reported that the number of human rights violations, from the beginning of year 2019 to the end of August 2019, totaled 415; this included 82 journalists who were injured while covering the Great Return March, in Gaza. (IMEMC 27 September 2019)

- Israel’s security agency, Shin Bet, has recommended a ban on travel, holding back a competition over the Palestine Football Cup, between Rafah Services Club and Balata Youth Center. The final match between the two teams was to be held today, in Nablus, but was canceled, as the court approved the recommendation of Shin Bet and the army coordinator, to prevent the travel of some players. Israeli occupation authorities refused to give travel permission to the players of Rafah Services Club, but allowed it for five administrators and seven players. The Israeli Central Court in Jerusalem approved the decision on Monday, putting the second leg of the Palestine Cup to a halt, under the pretext of security risk. (IMEMC 27 September 2019)

- Out of 219 patient applications (133 male; 86 female), or 13% of the total, who were denied in August Israeli permits to leave Gaza through Erez/Beit Hanoun crossing for healthcare in West Bank or East Jerusalem hospitals, 40 were children under 18 years of age and 35 aged 60 years or older. A quarter (24%) of denied applications were for appointments in oncology, 19% for orthopedics, 7% for ophthalmology, 6% for hematology, 6% for cardiology, and 5% for general surgery. In addition, 356 patient applications (195 male; 161 female), or 21% of the total, were delayed access to care, receiving no definitive response to their application by the date of their hospital appointment. Of these, 100 applications were for children under the age of 18 and 48 applications were for patients aged 60 years or older. A third (31%) of those delayed had appointments for oncology, 10% for hematology, 8% for cardiology, 8% for pediatrics, 7% for ophthalmology, 6% for orthopedics, and 6% for internal medicine. The remaining 24% were for 18 other specialties. The majority of delayed applications (259 or 73%) were ‘under study’ at the time of appointment. There were 1,734 patient applications to cross Erez for healthcare in August. Almost a third (31%) were for children under 18 and 18% were for patients aged 60 years or older, said WHO, adding that 46% of applications were for female patients and 92% were for
medical care funded by the Palestinian Ministry of Health. Of the total applications, 1,159 (602 male; 557 female), or 69%, were approved – similar to the average approval rate so far in 2019, said the health organization. Regarding patients companions, there were 1,897 companion permit applications to Israeli authorities in August to cross Erez to accompany patients, including parents or other companions applying to accompany children. Only one companion is allowed to accompany each Gaza patient. A total of 975 patient companion applications (51% of the total) were approved, 317 applications (17%) were denied and the remaining 605 (32%) were delayed, receiving no definitive response by the time of the patient’s appointment. (WHO, WAFA 30 September 2019)