



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

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The daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats in the occupied Palestinian territory, the confiscation and razing of lands, the uprooting and destruction of fruit trees, the expansion of settlements and erection of outposts, the brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army, the Israeli settlers violence against Palestinian civilians and properties, the erection of checkpoints, the construction of the Israeli segregation wall and the issuance of military orders for the various Israeli purposes.

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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- On 72nd Great March of Return, 94 civilians injured as a result of the Israeli military's continued use of excessive force against peaceful protests along the Gaza Strip's eastern border; 25 children, a woman, 2 journalists and 2 paramedics were among those injured this Friday, 30 August 2019. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) continued to exercise excessive force against Palestinians with the use of live ammunition and targeting the upper part of protestors' bodies. The protests lasted from 15:00 to 19:00 and involved activities such as speeches by political leaders and theatrical performances. Dozens of civilians protested at varied distances from the border fence across the Gaza Strip. To this date, 208 killings were documented by Israel since the outbreak of the protests on 30 March 2018, including 44 children, 2 women, 9 persons with disabilities, 4 paramedics and 2 journalists. Additionally, 13,728 were wounded, including 2,886 children, 420 women, 231 paramedics and 212 journalists, noting that many had sustained multiple wounds on multiple occasions. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, and shot three Palestinians. The IOA tried to ambush the Palestinians by hiding in an under-construction home to use it as a firing post, but the protesters uncovered their hideout. After the hideout was discovered, many army jeeps invaded the town, and the IOA started firing dozens of live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at the protesters. Three young men were shot and mildly injured. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot and moderately injured a Palestinian in northern Gaza. The Palestinian was injured after the IOA fired a barrage of live rounds at a site, run by the Brigades, in northern Gaza. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)
- Violent clashes broke out at dawn between Palestinian citizens and the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) who raided Jenin refugee camp in the northern West Bank. Dozens of Palestinian residents choked on tear gas fired heavily by the IOA. The IOA further attacked the Palestinian youths

who confronted the raid with stun grenades and rubber-coated metal bullets. (PALINFO 30 August 2019)

Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian girl as she arrived at al-Karama crossing coming from the United Arab Emirates. The IOA stopped Mariam Abu Obeid, a resident of the West Bank city of Jenin, at al-Karama crossing and detained her. Abu Obeid, who was on her way back home following medical treatment in the United Arab Emirates, was detained for no apparent reason. (PALINFO 30 August 2019)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Hordes of Israeli settlers raided Ein Bubin, a natural spring in Deir Ibzi village west of Ramallah City. In the early morning hours a number of buses carrying hundreds of Israeli settlers entered the village and stormed Ein Bubin site. The Israeli occupation army later announced the place a closed military zone. (PALINFO 30 August 2019)

Other

- Israel continued to impose severe restrictions on the movement of people in Gaza Strip during July, impeding 661 patients and reducing exports by 42.2 per cent. The Israeli occupation authorities refuse to allow most of the residents of the Gaza Strip to leave or return to it through Beit Hanoun (Erez) crossing. However, it allows patients with serious health issues, subject to a lengthy and complicated process to obtain a pass and strict security measures, to pass through the crossing. The Israeli authorities prevented 661 patients referred to Israeli or to West Bank hospitals, including occupied Jerusalem. Israeli authorities justified denying patients the right to travel through various pretexts, including security reasons and request to change facilities, responses' delay and request for new appointments and the patient's request for a security interview. Israel also continued to ban the export of products from the Gaza Strip, except for minimal quantities, mostly agricultural products. July's exports marked a decline of 42.2 per cent compared to last June. July exports are equal to 3.8

per cent of the sector's monthly exports before imposing the blockade. The occupying authorities have also kept imposing restrictions on the supply of goods classified as "dual-use items". It is noted that the Israeli authorities formally list 118 dual-use items containing different essential products and materials. (PCHR, IMEMC 30 August 2019)

- Palestinian children held in Israeli prisons are subjected to physical and verbal abuse by Israeli forces referring to Testimonies given by 45 children under 18, from Jerusalem al-Quds, who are held in the Israeli prison of Damon. The children were severely beaten by the so-called "Nahshon" forces who accompanied them during transfer to and from courts and during transfer from other prisons to Damon. The Israeli troops punched and kicked them in all parts of their bodies. The children were subjected to insults in the deportation vehicles, or in the courts' waiting rooms. More than 7,000 Palestinian prisoners are currently held in some 17 Israeli jails. Dozens of them are serving multiple life sentences. It is estimated that between 500 and 700 Palestinian children, some as young as 12 years old, have been detained and brought to trial in Israeli courts. The most common charge against them is stone-throwing. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)