

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.

The Violations are based on reports provided by field workers and \or news sources.

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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

• Israeli naval forces opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats off the coast of northern Gaza with no injuries reported. Israeli gunboats heavily opened fire at Palestinian fishermen sailing in Gaza waters in the early morning hours. The Fishermen were attacked while fishing within the permitted area, which is three nautical miles. (PALINFO 23 November 2019)

Israeli Arrests

- A video showing the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a 13-year-old Palestinian boy in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and, while blindfolded, walking him through the streets. On November 3 at about 11:30 am local time, the IOA detained Abed al-Razeq Idris, 13, put him and a jeep, blindfolded him and drove him around. They then took him to another neighborhood about one kilometer from his home where they took him out of the jeep and walked him, blindfolded, through the streets. (BTSELEM, IMEMC 23 November 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem, detained two young Palestinian men, and injured several others. Several army jeeps invaded al-'Isawiya, and fired many gas bombs, concussion grenades and rubber-coated steel bullets at youngsters, protesting the invasion into 'Obeid neighborhood in the town. Dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA detained two young men, identified as Ala Esmat Obeid and Mahmoud Sa'adi Rajabi, and took him to an interrogation facility in occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 23 November 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as Ayyoub Shehada al-Hawamda, from the as-Sammoa' town, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, after summoning him for interrogation in Etzion military base and security center, north of Hebron. The Palestinian was summoned for interrogation when the IOA stormed and ransacked his home. (IMEMC 23 November 2019)

Israeli Settler Violence

- 50 Palestinian vehicles were vandalized in the latest series of Israeli settler attacks in the West Bank Governorate of Salfit. A group of Israeli settlers sneaked their way into the Palestinian village, slashed the tires of 50 vehicles, and scrawled anti-Palestinian hate graffiti on several vehicles and the walls of houses. Graffiti reading "A closed military zone" was scrawled across the wall of a villager's house, in Hebrew. (IMEMC 23 November 2019)
- A group of settlers sneaked their way into Majdal Bani Fadel and Qabalan villages, where they torched several vehicles and scrawled anti-Palestinian hate graffiti. (IMEMC 23 November 2019)
- Israeli Settlers overnight sneaked their way to Beit Dajan village, east of Nablus city, where they vandalized the home of Thaer Hanaysha, and set his vehicle on fire. Two Palestinian citizens suffered bruises after Israeli settlers attacked them near Abu Al-Rish checkpoint in . (IMEMC 23 November 2019)
- In the southern areas of Hebron in the southern West Bank, 8 citizens were injured after Israeli settlers, escorted by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA), attacked them with batons and pepper gas. Five Palestinian youths were detained and harassed by the settlers in a shop in Al-Sahla area. (IMEMC 23 November 2019)
- Hundreds of Israeli settlers coming from different settlements in the Occupied West Bank stormed Hebron City to perform Talmudic rituals at the Ibrahmi Mosque. (PALINFO 23 November 2019)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

• A flying Israeli army checkpoint placed on a road leading from Ramallah to dozens of villages to the northwest of Jerusalem has caused a serious traffic jam. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) caused a total halt to movement of cars on that road, the only thoroughfare for 60,000 people who live in these village as they slowly inspect cars. The IOA would allow few cars to pass every while after inspecting the passengers and their ID cards leading to a long line of cars waiting to cross the checkpoint aimed to reach these villages or travel to nearby Ramallah. (WAFA 23 November 2019)

Other

- The Israeli Electricity Company (IEC) is going to increase power cut to Palestinians getting their power supply from the Palestinian power distributing company, the Jerusalem District Electricity Company (JEDCO), to three hours, instead of the current two hours, starting next months. The IEC started one month ago to impose punitive measures against JEDCO by cutting power supply to Palestinian households within JEDCO concession area, which includes Jerusalem, Ramallah, Bethlehem and Jericho and surrounding villages, for two hours every two or three weeks due to what IEC claims was unpaid debt by JEDCO that reached around \$500 million. IEC seems to have decided to increase the power cut to three hours as of next month, from 2:00 pm to 5:00 pm local time, to pressure the privately-owned Palestinian company and the Palestinian Authority to pay the debt to the Israeli company. (JDECO, IMEMC 23 November 2019)
- Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) last week prevented 10 Palestinian citizens from travelling through Al-Karama crossing between the West Bank and Jordan. (PALINFO 23 November 2019)