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## Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine 10 March 2020

I he 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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## Violations of the Israeli occupation Army

- More than 20 armed Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the land of Mohammad Mustafa Al-Hroub and uprooted more than 400 olive trees. Al-Hroub is a Palestinian farmer from the village of Wad Fukin, located southwest of Bethlehem. His land is located at the edge of the 1948 Armistice Line, and where the Israeli settlement of 'Tzue Hadasa' was constructed from another side of it. The JAI supported Al-Hroub with 400 olive trees, and also had two international groups to help him and his family plant them. The first planting day was through the Olive Planting Program in mid-February, and the second planting day was by Nord-Norge folkehøgskole students at the end of February. Each group planted 200 olive trees. Al-Hroub witnessed the uprooting and destruction of his olive trees, and he tried so hard to stop the attack by showing the IOA the official ownership papers of the land. The IOA did not stop uprooting the trees, and when they finished, they confiscated all the trees and declared the land as a 'State Land'. (IMEMC 10 March 2020)
- Flares lit up the sky over the eastern border area of Gaza City, as the Israeli occupation forces (IOA) intensively fired live rounds at agricultural plots of land. The IOA opened fire at cultivated lands east of Gaza City, for no apparent reason, in addition to firing flares that lit up the night sky over the area. A Palestinian observation point in the east of al-Maghazi refugee camp (central Gaza) also came under gunfire attack, with no reported casualties. (IMEMC 10 March 2020)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized a large amount of money and gold during raids into homes of Palestinians southeast of the occupied West Bank city of Tubas. The IOA raided, searched and wreaked havoc to the house of Abdullah Daraghmeh and the house of his mother, searched both homes and seized money and gold worth over \$4,000. (WAFA 10 March 2020)

## Other

- Israeli authorities, in February, arrested a total of 41 Palestinian children, imprisoning 20 of them in Ofer prison, according to the Committee of Prisoners and Former Prisoners. The Committee explained that, of the children arrested last month; 20 were kidnapped from their homes, 6 from the streets, 1 for not having permission, 6 were summoned for interrogation and then arrested, and 8 were arrested at military checkpoints. The committee said that two of the children arrested in February were brutally beaten during their arrests and interrogations, while many others were forced to pay heavy fines, estimated at 41,000 Shekels (over \$11,000). (IMEMC 10 March 2020)
- With annexation of all West Bank settlements hanging in the balance, the 245,072 eligible settler voters had more at stake than most of their counterparts in the March 2 election. Residents of Judea and Samaria, which make up some six or seven mandates, are considered to be the bedrock of the Likud and Yamina parties, and as such were heavily courted by politicians in the last election. (<u>IPOST</u>