

Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine 15 March 2020

The daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats occupied Palestinian territory, in the 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 against Palestinian civilians violence 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

- A Palestinian young man suffered shrapnel wound in his back, when the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) fired towards a peaceful group, marching in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of Qalqilia. The IOA opened fire at the participants, injuring one Palestinian man in the back with shrapnel from live ammunition. (IMEMC 15 March 2020)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) closed most of the doors of the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in occupied Jerusalem, under the pretext of "precautionary measures against the Corona virus," while allowing dozens of settlers to storm it. The IO closed the gates of the sacred Mosque, to Palestinian worshipers, with the exception of three doors, which are Hatta, Majlis and Silsilah. Illegal Israeli settlers were then allowed to storm the compound from the Mughrabi Gate, under the protection of the Israeli police. (IMEMC 15 March 2020)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) installed a military roadblock at the entrance of Kharrouba neighborhood, in the northern West Bank city of Jenin, before detaining many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA stopped and searched dozens of cars and residents and were questioning many Palestinians. Although the IOA did not detain any Palestinian in this incident, they detained many of them for a few hours, before eventually allowing them to leave. (IMEMC 15 March 2020)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers attacked Palestinian herders as they were grazing their livestock near the village of al-Mughayir, east of Ramallah city, in the central occupied West Bank,. The settlers chased the shepherds out of the pastures and attempted to steal some of the livestock. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) made no attempt to stop the settlers; rather they provided them with cover and protection. (IMEMC 15 March 2020)
- Many Israeli settlers invaded, the western area of Huwwara town, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and caused damage to at least

twenty cars, trucks and buses. The settlers hurled stones at more than twenty Palestinian cars and buses, causing excessive damage. The settlers fired many live rounds at random and fled from the village; there have been no reports of injuries in the incident. (IMEMC 15 March 2020)

• A group of Israeli settlers squatting on Palestinian lands invaded the al-Janiya Palestinian village, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah. The settlers invaded the outskirts of the village, before the locals intercepted them, and started forcing them away. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) rushed to the area and started firing gas bombs and concussion grenades at the Palestinians to secure the retreat of the settlers. It is worth mentioning that this is the second attack against the village in the last few days. (IMEMC 15 March 2020)