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Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine

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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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Violations of the Israeli occupation Army

- Israeli navy ships opened fire at several Palestinian fishing boats in Gaza Sea, wounding one fisherman with a rubber-coated steel bullet in the head. The navy attacked the Palestinian fishing boats while sailing less than three nautical miles from the shore, in the al-Waha area, northwest of Gaza city. One fisherman, 26 years of age was shot with a rubber-coated steel bullet in the head, and suffered moderate wounds. The fishermen lost all his fishnets in the sea due to the attack, and had to return to the shore without being able to fish to provide for their families. (IMEMC 15 May 2020)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers attacked a number of Palestinian vehicles near Burin village, south of the occupied West Bank city of Nablus. A large number of settlers hurled stones at Palestinian vehicles travelling along the road connecting the west Bank cities of Nablus and Qalqilia. The settlers also sneaked their way into Burin village in an attempt to attack the villagers' houses, but their attack was fended off. The settlers came from Yitzhar settlement. (WAFA 15 May 2020)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) ordered a halt on the construction of eight houses and agricultural structures in Nahalin town, west of the southern West Bank city of Bethlehem. The IOA ordered a stop on the construction of the houses and structures, including a house under construction, purportedly for being built with licenses. Just three days stop-construction orders were served to eight houses, at least three of which are inhabited, in the town, under the same pretext, a move that he slammed as a "fierce attack" against Palestinian construction to make room for the expansion of the nearby Israeli colonial settlement bloc of Gush Etzion. The orders were served after the settlement group Regavim

posted a video purportedly claiming that Palestinian urban expansion in the area hinders Israel's annexation move. (Wafa 15 May 2020)

Israeli Closures

- The Israeli Occupation sealed off all entrances to Ya'bad town, west of Jenin city. The IOA closed the main eastern entrance of the town as well as other secondary roads linking the town to the surrounding villages of Nazleh, Tura al-Gharbiya and Tura Ash-Sharqiya with barrels and cement blocks, maintaining a tight cordon on the town. The western entrance of the town has been closed with a metal gate for over 10 years. The IOA stormed Leila Hamarsheh family's house after detonating the main door, and abused her family members, including her father, a disabled person, who spent 14 years in Israeli imprisonment. (Wafa 15 May 2020)