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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Violations of the Israeli occupation Army

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired fire bombs in Yatta town in the southern occupied West Bank, causing Palestinian-owned farm lands to be set ablaze. The IOA fired some torch bombs in the sky over Hebron, which burned half an acre of Palestinian farm land of barley and wheat to blaze. The fire bombs, launched by Israeli troops, also set on fire two homes owned by the Rashid family. (IMEMC 16 May 2020)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) blocked all entrances to Ya’bad town, west of Jenin city after several days of military invasions into the northern West Bank town. The military has invaded the town several times and arrested dozens of Palestinians. Israeli troops closed the main eastern entrance of the town and secondary roads, with barrels and cement blocks, isolating the town, a possible prelude to even more incursions. (IMEMC 16 May 2020)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked a peaceful protest, and wounded five Palestinians in the village of As-Sawiya, south of Nablus, in the northern occupied West Bank. The IOA suppressed the demonstration and fired concussion grenades and tear-gas canisters at the crowd, in addition to assaulting some of the demonstrators. (IMEMC 16 May 2020)

- For the fifth consecutive day, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided the northern West Bank town of Yabad and terrorized its residents, particularly children. The IOA detained Suhaila Yousef Abu Baker, 45, a mother of eight, and her 16-year-old daughter, Eman. The father, Nathmi Abu Baker, 48, was detained five days ago. The IOA grabbed the woman from her parents' house and terrorized the residents, particularly the children when they fired sound bombs inside the house. The IOA also raided her brother's house and ransacked it, said WAFA correspondent. (WAFA 16 May 2020)