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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

- The Israeli military court of Salem, near Jenin city in the West Bank, ordered the extension of the detention of Palestinian teenager, Qasem Abu Baker, 17, from the Palestinian village of Y'abad, south of Jenin city. The extension is the 6th to be imposed on the teen in the past 12 months. Qasem was detained in April of 2019 and placed under Administrative Detention at the Jalama Israeli prison, with no charges filed against him. Israeli authorities continue to hold dozens of Palestinian prisoners under Administrative Detention, that Israeli military courts extend from time to time. Israel holds 400 Administrative Detainees in its prisons, many are minors, under the age of 18. (IMEMC 19 May 2020)
- Israeli police detained two Palestinians in the occupied city of Jerusalem. The police brutally assaulted and detained a Palestinian young man, whose father is the Imam of Al-Aqsa Mosque, at Bab al-Wad Road. Police also detained one of the Islamic Endowments Authority-appointed guards while he was exercising his duties at the Dome of the Rock inside the mosque complex. (WAFSA 19 My 2020)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian journalist from the besieged Gaza Strip while travelling through the Beit Hanoun/ Erez crossing with Israel. The IOA detained Muhammad Amin Abu Daqqa, a resident of Absan town, east of Khan Younes city, as he was on his way back from Jordan to the besieged Gaza Strip. Abu Daqqa is a liver cancer patient who receives his treatment at a Jordanian hospital. (WAFSA 19 My 2020)

## Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli set fire to farmland in al-Sawiya village, in the northern occupied West Bank. Israeli settlers from the Rechalim Settlement, set fire to a large area of Palestinian land, south of Nablus City, which resulted in the destruction of crops and olive trees. (IMEMC 19 May 2020)

## Confiscation & Razing of lands

- In the West Bank city of Tulkarem, Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and bulldozers attacked Palestinian farm land, and army bulldozers began razing olive trees in an area estimated at four acres in size. The farm land razed is located between the Kafa and Shoufa villages, southeast of Tulkarem city in the northern occupied West Bank. More than 10 Israeli army bulldozers, backed by armored vehicles and several armed Israeli settlers, embarked on bulldozing the farm land and uprooting the olive trees, among other crops. The razed farm land belongs to the Palestinian families of Hamed, Aref and Yaccoub, and is located west of the Israeli settlement of Avni Hefetz, which was erected on the soil of the Palestinian villages of Alshofa, Kafa, Kufr Albalad and Alhafasy. Few months ago, Israeli troops closed main roads, leading to those farm lands by placing large sand piles. Since then, the IOA prevented local farmers from reaching their farm lands. (IMEMC 19 May 2020)
- Israeli troops embarked on erecting a bypass road, in the Huwara village, south of Nablus city in the northern occupied West Bank. The Road is seven kilometers-long and that it will be located on about 100 acres of Palestinian farm lands. Israeli army bulldozers have been bulldozing and razing Palestinian farm lands, for the second day consecutively. The bulldozing will cause the destruction of a total of 2800 olive trees owned by Palestinians in the villages of Burin, Huwara Beta, Ourta, Yatma, Sawiya and Yasouf, located in southern Nablus city. (IMEMC 20 May 2020)