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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 occupation authority (IOA) decided to ban entry of building materials into the coastal enclave as of August 11, and until further notice. Private sector companies were informed of the Israeli decision to prevent shipments of building materials, such as cement, steel bars and aggregate, from entering Gaza. (PALINFO 11 August 2020)

Israeli Settler Violence

- A Palestinian man was attacked and injured today by Israeli settlers in the town of Huwwara to the south of Nablus, according to a local activist. Ghassan Daghlas, in charge of the settlement file in the northern West Bank, told WAFA a group of settlers from the nearby illegal Israeli settlement of Yitzhar, chased after and attacked local resident Mustafa al-Masri, 30, while he was working on his land to the north of Huwwara town, causing him fractures and bruises in his legs. (WAFA 11 August 2020)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- Several Israeli army jeeps and bulldozers invaded the Farasin village, west of Jenin in northern West Bank, and demolished a home and a water reservoir used by the Palestinians. The army demolished a 250 cubic/meter water reservoir providing the needed water supplies to the villagers. The army also demolished a 70 square/meter home, owned by Fayez Amarna, rendering five family members, including children, homeless. Ten days ago, the army invaded the village and handed military orders for the demolition of 36 homes, structures, and water wells, and informed the villagers that their structures will be leveled within a few days. (MEMC 11 August 2020)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and personnel of the City Council in the occupied Palestinian capital, Jerusalem, demolished a home, owned by

- Ibrahim Abu Seeb'a, in the southern part of the city, rendering him and family, homeless. (IMEMC 11 August 2020)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a home, owned by Khaled Abu Ta'a, in Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood, in Jerusalem, displacing him and his family. Abu Ta'a has six family members, and he recently modified a home for his older son, who is getting married soon. Two months after modifying the property, the City Council came and ordered the demolition of the property. Abu Ta'a tried all legal venues for more than 18 months, and he tried to obtain a construction permit twice but was denied. In the end, Abu Ta'a decided to self-demolish my property to avoid the high fines and fees they impose on the Palestinians if the occupation authorities carry the demolition out. Abu Ta'a was only given one month to demolish the property, and other Palestinians here helped him carry the demolition out. (IMEMC 11 August 2020)
 - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) forced a Palestinian family, in the southern part of occupied Jerusalem, to demolish their home, rendering them, including the children, homeless. The home is owned by Ibrahim Abu Seeb'a, and is built on his land. His children had to watch the destruction of their home, their place of safety while sobbing and crying. (IMEMC 11 August 2020)
 - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed a new fortified observation room In Tal Abu Jundiyya area, east of Yatta town in Hebron, in southern West Bank. The room, which contains fortified glass overlooks the Palestinian homes in the area, and the Havat Ma'on Settlement. (IMEMC 11 August 2020)
 - The Israeli occupation authority (IOA) demolished a three-story house belonging to the family of Tahhan in the Jerusalem city of Silwan and displaced its residents. Israeli police forces escorting a municipal crew encircled the house and embarked on removing its furniture before demolishing it. Five families were living in that house, which was built 20 years ago. (PALINFO 11 August 2020)
 - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) destroyed a tent, confiscated other tents and construction equipment, and delivered a stop-work order against a crude home in Susya hamlet, south of Yatta town in Hebron Governorate. The IOA stormed Susya hamlet and wreaked havoc on a tent belonging to Ahmed al-Nawa'ja before confiscating it. The IOA also confiscated two tents and construction equipment belonging to another

- citizen in the hamlet and ordered him to halt the construction of a crude house. (PALINFO 11 August 2020)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized three water pumps used for agricultural purposes in Beit Ummar town, north of Hebron. Israeli intelligence officers escorted by IOA stormed al-Thagra area in the northern area of Beit Ummar town and confiscated three water pumps belonging to a local resident called Nabil Bargeeth. The Israeli intelligence also ordered Bargeeth to go to the Gush Etzion interrogation center on Tuesday for questioning. (PALINFO 11 August 2020)
 - The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) tore down two residential tents in Masafer Yatta villages of al-Fakhit and Maghayer al-Abeed. At least 10 people were displaced in the two demolitions. (WAFSA 11 August 2020)
 - In the village of Susya, east of Yatta in the southern Hebron hills, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed the village, where they tore down and seized a tent. The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) ordered a halt on the construction of a tin structure in the village and seized construction materials, two tents and equipment, including an electrical generator and a concrete mixer. (WAFSA 11 August 2020)
 - In Tuqu village, near Bethlehem, The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) handed Fuad al-Aruj a military notice ordering him to demolish his barns or risk paying exorbitant fines and being prosecuted. The IOA also ordered several farmers in the area not to reclaim their farmlands. One of the farmers was ordered to appear before Israeli intelligence at the Gush Etzion colonial settlement. (WAFSA 11 August 2020)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Palestinian olive orchards near Wad Rahhal village, south of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank, and uprooted more than 100 saplings. The IOA uprooted more than 100 olive saplings in a 2.5 Dunams orchard. The orchard is owned by Amer Abu Zaghrif, and that the IOA also demolished retaining walls surrounding his land. The targeted is assigned as “archeological,” Israel is planning to annex 1200 Dunams from their Palestinian owners, to build a new settlement. (IMEMC 11 August 2020)