



ARIJ DAILY REPORT

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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.

The Violations are based on reports provided by field workers and/or news sources.

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Violations of the Israeli occupation Army

- Five Palestinians were injured live rounds fired by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stationed in a military base across the perimeter fence, east of Gaza city. The incidents took place while the army also fired several missiles into various parts of the coastal region. The Palestinians were injured when the Israeli army fired its rounds at many homes, and into farmlands in the besieged coastal region. In addition, an Israeli drone fired missiles into a site and farmlands, east of the al-Boreij refugee camp, in central Gaza, causing excessive damage. The army also fired at least one missile into a building, west of Beit Lahia, in northern Gaza, causing property damage. (IMEMC 16 August 2020)
- Israeli warplanes launched a number of missiles at Palestinian civilian areas in the northern, southern and eastern West Bank. The areas hit include Khan Younis, in the southern West Bank, Beit Lahia, in the north, and al-Boreij refugee camp, in eastern Gaza. Dozens of injuries have been reported. (IMEMC 16 August 2020)

Israeli Settler Violence

- A group of right-wing Israeli settlers, accompanied by an Israeli military escort, invaded Palestinian land in the northern West Bank and uprooted dozens of olive trees. This attack came a day after the settlers had tried to set up tents to begin establishing a new colony on the Palestinian farmland, but were driven out by local Palestinians. The land in question belongs to Palestinian villagers in the village of Asira ash-Shamaliya, to the north of Nablus city in the occupied West Bank. The settlers, protected by an army escort, invaded an agricultural area in the vicinity of the village. They then embarked on uprooting the olive saplings that had been planted by Palestinian activists in the area, which is facing an Israeli threat of confiscation. (IMEMC 16 August 2020)