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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 Army (IOA) shot and seriously injured, a young Palestinian man during protests that erupted in the as-Sal'a neighborhood, in Jabal al-Mokabber, south of occupied East Jerusalem, after the army demolished an under-construction six-story residential building. The IOA attacked dozens of Palestinian protesters, who marched in condemnation of the Israeli escalation, including the demolition of homes, and fired many live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs and concussion grenades at them. The IOA shot a young man, identified as Mohammad Moammar Ja'abis, in his twenties, with a live round in the chest. The escalation started in the town, after the IOA invaded the as-Sal'a neighborhood, and [demolished the six-story under-construction building](#) owned by a local Palestinian, identified as Aziz Jamil Ja'abis. (IMEMC 18 August 2020)
- A young Palestinian man was killed when a speeding Israel settler's car struck him near a military roadblock, south of Tulkarem, in northern West Bank. The Palestinian has been identified as Eqab Bashir Darawsha, 21, from Tallouza village, north of Nablus, in the northern West Bank. The Palestinian, a day laborer, had crossed through a breach in the Israeli Annexation Wall, as he and many other workers were trying to get into Israel for work. After being struck by the car, the Palestinian was rushed to Rama Medical Center in Israel, where he succumbed to his wounds. (IMEMC 18 August 2020)
- The Israeli Air Force fired several missiles into Palestinian lands, east of Rafah city, in the southern part of the besieged coastal region. The missiles caused excessive property damage to the targeted area, but did not lead to casualties. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) also fired a few artillery shells into Palestinian lands, near Rafah. In addition, the IOA fired live rounds and shells at a site, north of Beit Lahia, in northern Gaza, while the Navy fired a few shells into Palestinian waters nearby. (IMEMC 18 August 2020)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Dozens of Israeli settlers entered the holy Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem under tight Israeli police guard. 35 settlers and 8 students entered the holy Islamic site. The Israeli authority controlling the so-called “Western Wall Tunnels” has decided to open the tunnels for settlers entering the Aqsa Mosque for the first time after five months of closure. (PALINFO 18 August 2020)
- Israeli settlers, from “*Havat Ma'on*” settlement outpost, in eastern Yatta city, south of Hebron, attacked Palestinians’ lands in Wad al-Sawi area in Yatta and demolished ‘Ali Suliman Abu Hadeed’S (50) tent. The settlers also stole steel pipes and punctured rubber tires for a water tank. (PCHRGZA 18 August 2020)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an under-construction Palestinian residential building in the as-Sal’a neighborhood, in Jabal al-Mokabber town, south of occupied Jerusalem. Many army jeeps and police vehicles, accompanied by three bulldozers, invaded the neighborhood after isolating it and [demolished](#) the six-story under-construction building. The demolished building is owned by a local Palestinian, identified as Aziz Jamil Ja’abis, and was being constructed on his land. Many Palestinian youngsters protested the invasion, while the army fired gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets. The Israeli army claimed the building was being constructed without a permit from the City Council, in occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 18 August 2020)