



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.

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Violations of the Israeli occupation Army

- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded Faqqu'a village, east of Jenin city, searched homes, and detained Amir Monther Masad. (IMEMC 8 August 2020)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a child, identified as Sami Fuad Sawalma, while walking near Huwwara military roadblock, south of the city. (IMEMC 8 August 2020)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad 'Atiya Sbeih, 23, from the Hindaza Mountain area, east of Bethlehem city, south of occupied Jerusalem in the West Bank, in addition to Hamza Bilal Dibis, 20, from Deheishe refugee camp, south of Bethlehem. During the invasion into the Deheishe refugee camp, the IOA attacked protesters and fired many live rounds, gas bombs, and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 8 August 2020)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded Nur Shams refugee camp, east of the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem, searched a few homes, and detained a young man, identified as Omar Abu al-Rob. (IMEMC 8 August 2020)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a child, identified as Abdul-Hadmi Raed Tirawi, from Balata refugee camp, while walking near Huwwara military roadblock. (IMEMC 8 August 2020)
- Five Palestinian citizens suffered bullet injuries when the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) attacked a march organized in Turmus Ayya town in Ramallah against settlement activities. The IOA attacked the march after local residents went to an area threatened with annexation in Turmus Ayya in order to perform the Friday prayer and protest the Israeli decision to appropriate their lands. The IOA stormed the town and fired live bullets at the protesters. (PALINFO 8 August 2020)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) delivered stop-work orders against two inhabited homes in al-Maniya village, southeast of Bethlehem. Two brothers from the family of al-Farroukh received military notices ordering them to stop construction activities at their homes. The Israeli army claimed the owners had no permits to carry out such expansion works at their homes. (PALINFO 8 August 2020)

Israeli Military Orders

- Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) distributed orders to seize dozens of dunums of Palestinian land in Rafat village in the West Bank district of Salbit. The land seizure orders come in favor of the expansion of Israeli quarries close to the targeted areas. (PALINFO 8 August 2020)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) Prevented a number of Palestinian farmers from staying on their lands in al-Khalil city. The IOA stormed grapevine fields in Farsh al-Hawa neighborhood in the west of Hebron city and ordered farmers to leave the area. The IOA claimed that the measure was intended to secure the travel of Jewish settlers on a nearby road. (PALINFO 8 August 2020)

Expansion of Israeli settlements

- An Israeli plan to build 1,000 settler units on lands annexed from the villages of at-Tur, Anata, Eizariya and Abu Dis in the area known as "E1" in east Jerusalem. The plan is aimed at expanding the borders of Occupied Jerusalem as part of what Israel calls the "greater Jerusalem" project and its intents to annex large areas of the occupied Palestinian territories. The project, if implemented, would completely close off the eastern area of Jerusalem, encircle Anata, at-Tur and Hizma with settler units and block the possibility of any future Palestinian urban expansion towards the east. The Israeli project would connect all the settlements in the eastern area and outside the Israeli municipal borders in Jerusalem with the settlements within the municipal boundaries of Moshe Leon and turn the Palestinian villages and districts in this area into besieged ghettos. The

Israeli occupation authority might annex wide areas of the West Bank to the new municipal boundaries of greater Jerusalem. (NBPRS, IMEMC 8 August 2020)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) set up checkpoints at the northern entrances to Hebron and the entrances to the towns of Beit Kahil, Sa'ir and Halhul, where they embarked on intercepting Palestinian vehicles for security check. The IOA also raided and searched several homes in Hebron city. (PALINFO 8 August 2020)

Israeli Closures

- The Israeli occupation police closed off Bab al-Amud area in the Old City of Jerusalem and banned Palestinian citizen from going in or out for a while after they allegedly discovered a suspicious object. Israeli police officers closed Bab al-Amud area near the Aqsa Mosque and detained dozens of Jerusalemite citizens outside and inside the holy site. Police officers also embarked on provocatively searching citizens and their belongings in the area. (PALINFO 8 August 2020)