



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

- Israeli forces opened fire, towards non-violent Palestinians who gathered in Beita town, southeast of Nablus and Beit Dajan village, east of Nablus, in the northern occupied West Bank. In Beita town, a citizen was wounded by live bullets in the leg and was taken to hospital, while 7 others suffered from tear gas suffocation. The army fired live and rubber-coated steel rounds, concussion grenades and tear gas canisters at the demonstrators who gathered to express their rejection to the ongoing colonization of the West Bank by illegal Israeli settlers. 44 civilians suffocated during clashes that took place in the village of Beit Dajan. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)
- Israeli forces attacked, demonstrators at the weekly non-violent march in Kufur Qaddoum village, east of Qalqilia in the northern occupied West Bank, injuring dozens, including a child. Israeli forces shot 5 protestors, including a child, with rubber-coated steel rounds. A fourteen-year-old child, identified as Moamen Murad Shteiwi, was shot in the abdomen with a rubber-coated steel round, the other 4 suffered suffocation. Additionally, soldiers fired live rounds and tear gas canisters at the crowd, causing dozens to suffer the toxic effects of tear gas inhalation, all suffocation cases were treated at the scene by local medics. Palestinian youths confronted the soldiers by using slingshots to throw stones and tear gas canisters back towards the fully armed attacking army. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)
- Israeli forces shot and killed, a Palestinian man who allegedly attempted to carry out a stabbing attack near the illegal Ariel colony, northwest of Salfit in the central occupied West Bank. The seriously injured young man was pronounced dead one hour after being shot after medical crews were denied access to provide him treatment. The slain Palestinian man was later identified as Amir Atef Khader Rayyan, 36, a married father of several children, from Qarawat Bani Hassan town, northwest of Salfit in the central West Bank. His brother, Mansour, is a former political prisoner who was exiled by Israel from the West Bank to the Gaza Strip, several years ago. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)

- Israeli soldiers fired many live rounds at Palestinian farmers and shepherds on lands east of the al-Boreij refugee camp, in the central Gaza Strip. The soldiers, stationed in military bases across the perimeter fence, fired many live rounds and gas bombs at the Palestinian shepherds. They added that the attack did not lead to casualties but forced the farmers and the shepherds to leave their lands in fear of further escalation. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)
- The Israeli soldiers invaded Husan town, west of Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem in the West Bank, before breaking into several homes and shops, and inspecting surveillance recordings. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)
- In Hebron city, in the southern part of the West Bank, the Israeli soldiers invaded the Bab az-Zawiya area in the center of the city and closed several streets. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)
- Israeli soldiers injured, several Palestinians and caused many to suffer the effects of tear gas inhalation, in addition to abducting two, in Silwan town, south of the Al-Aqsa Mosque, in the occupied Palestinian capital, Jerusalem, in the West Bank. Several army jeeps invaded the town before the soldiers broke into and searched a few homes, leading to protests. The soldiers fired many live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs, and concussion grenades. Two Palestinians who were shot with rubber-coated steel bullets and many others who suffered cuts and bruises in addition to the effects of tear gas inhalation. During the invasion, the soldiers abducted two young men, identified as Ehab Abu Sneina and Monther Roweidi, and took them to an interrogation facility in occupied Jerusalem. It is worth mentioning that the soldiers assaulted and injured Monther before abducting him. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Illegal Israeli colonizers attacked, many Palestinian cars on the Jenin-Nablus Road, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The colonizers hurled stones at many Palestinian cars, causing damage. The attacks took place near various towns, especially Sebastia, Burqa, and Bazaria where the colonizers gathered and closed roads. Israeli soldiers

- were extensively deployed in the area, providing protection to the colonizers instead of removing them. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)
- Israeli soldiers accompanied dozens of colonizers into the archeological area in Sebastia town, after closing various roads and preventing the Palestinians from crossing. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)
 - Backed by Israeli occupation forces (IOF), settlers from Alei Zahav illegal settlement stormed Palestinian-owned agricultural lands, west of Salfit, and stole dozens of olive seedlings. The settlers stole a tractor, 80 olive seedlings, and mobile phones belonging to the land's owner. (PALINFO 31 December 2021)
 - In Nablus, a group of settlers cut down 46 olive trees in Burin village. (PALINFO 31 December 2021)

Land Razing and Confiscation

- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) wreaked havoc on hundreds of dunums of Palestinian agricultural and grazing land in the northern Jordan Valley. Hundreds of dunums planted with vetch, wheat, barley and vegetables were destroyed by Israeli tanks and armored vehicles during military drills in Bedouin areas in the northern Jordan Valley. Most of that destruction happened in the hamlets of Khirbet Ibziq, al-Farisiya and Qa'oun. Before the drills started, the IOF displaced dozens of Bedouin families from their homes in these areas and forced them to sleep outdoors. (PALINFO 31 December 2021)

Closure

- The Israeli army closed the main Jenin-Nablus Road, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank, until further notice. The soldiers closed the road extending from Shavei Shomron roadblock until Silat ath-Thaher town, south of Jenin, blocking all Palestinian traffic. The soldiers closed the road to the Palestinians while at the same town allowing dozens of illegal Israeli colonizers from Shavei Shomron and other nearby colonies in the area to gather there, especially near the former Homesh colony. It is worth mentioning that, on Thursday evening, the colonizers attacked

many Palestinian cars on the Jenin-Nablus Road, in addition to the streets leading to Sebastia, Burqa, and Bazaria, causing damage to many cars. However, instead of removing the assailing colonizers, the army decided to close the road to Palestinian traffic. (IMEMC 31 December 2021)

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