

Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine 24 April 2022

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 soldiers prevented Palestinian farmers from entering their lands near the illegal Annexation Wall in Rommana village, west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin. The soldiers prevented Jamal and Adnan Abu -az-Zein, and their families, from entering their lands. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- In Bethlehem, the soldiers invaded Tuqu town, east of the city, searched homes, and abducted a teenage boy, Mohammad Abdullah al-'Amour. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers invaded the Qalandia refugee camp north of occupied Jerusalem and searched a few homes before abducting Omar Adwan and Amir as-Saqqa. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- In Nablus, in the northern part of the West Bank, the Israeli soldiers abducted a young man, Montaser Abu Heith, from his home in the city. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- In al-Biereh city, in the central West Bank, the Israeli soldiers abducted Khaled Mohammad Seder from his home. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- Thousands of Orthodox Christians from around the world gathered in the Church of the Holy Sepulchre for the ceremony of the Holy Fire in advance of the Orthodox Easter celebration. They were attacked both outside and inside the Church by armed Israeli soldiers. Israeli military forces, which were deployed throughout the Old City of Jerusalem, prevented Christians from freely reaching the Church of the Holy Sepulchre, where one of the priests was attacked by the Israeli military while on his way to the church. Prior to attacking the Christians on their way to Church, the soldiers closed the New Gate, which was supposed to be the passage for Christian pilgrims on their Easter march to the Church of the Holy Sepulchre. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- Israeli navy ships fired, many live rounds at Palestinian fishing boats and attacked them with water cannons near the shore of Gaza city. The navy

ships chased the Palestinian fishing boats, sailing less than three nautical miles from the shore the of Sudaniyya Sea, northwest of Gaza city, The navy fired many live rounds at the boats and used water cannons, forcing them to leave without being able to fish and provide for their families. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)

- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded Tuqu town, leading to protests before the Israeli soldiers fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades at the protesters and many surrounding homes near the local Town Council in the town's western area. As a result, dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of tear gas inhalation and cuts and bruises. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers invaded Al-Khader town and closed the western Meadows area before storming the at-Tal area in the Old City of Al-Khader. The invasion led to protests before the soldiers fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades, causing several injuries. The soldiers also closed the main road leading to the towns of Husan, Battir, Nahhalin, and Wadi Fukin, before preventing the Palestinians from entering or leaving the area. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- Two Palestinian workers were injured when Israeli occupation forces (IOF) opened fire at a group of workers near the separation wall, west of Tulkarm. The IOF soldiers stationed at a military barrier in western Tulkarem opened fire at the workers while trying to cross the Wall, which led to the injury of two workers. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)
- Confrontations between Palestinian youths and the Israeli Occupation soldiers in Kafr Qaddoum village following the start of the weekly antisettlement march. The IOF soldiers fired rubber-coated bullets and tear gas canisters at the citizens. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)
- Israeli occupation police arrested two Palestinian children after storming their homes in the town of Silwan in Jerusalem. Israeli occupation forces arrested a Palestinian employee after shooting and injuring him in the village of Zabouba, west of Jenin. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)
- In Tulkarem, two Palestinian workers from Bal'ah town were injured by Israeli Occupation Forces (IOA) gunfire near a military barrier in the west of the city. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)
- Three Palestinians were kidnaped by the Israeli Occupation Forces (IOA) after a car carrying six workers broke down in the east of Yatta, south of al-Khalil, after a military patrol vehicle chased them. Israeli soldiers kidnaped

three workers and let three others go after chasing them in the area. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)

• In Qalqilya, the Israeli Occupation Forces (IOA) fired stun grenades at West Bank workers near a hole in a separation fence in Hableh town. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Four Palestinian citizens were shot and wounded by Jewish settlers in Surif town to the northwest of Hebron. Jewish settlers from the nearby settlement of Bat Ayin attacked the village of Surif under the protection of the IOF soldiers who were present in the area. Dozens of citizens from nearby hamlets rushed to the aid of the people of Surif, to repel the settlers' attack, which led to the outbreak of confrontations with the occupation forces, who fired gas bombs at them. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)
- Israeli colonizers attacked several Palestinians, including children, in Qaryout village, south of Nablus, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The colonizers invaded the area of a water spring southeast of Qaryout village. The colonizers attacked many Palestinians and forced them to leave their lands and the water spring. Israeli soldiers arrived at the scene and started firing gas bombs and concussion grenades at the Palestinians instead of removing the assailing colonizers. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- Israeli colonizers shot three Palestinians in the al-Qreinat area of Surif town, northwest of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. The colonizers invaded Palestinian lands in the area and fired many live rounds at the local farmers and residents to force them to leave. The colonizers shot one Palestinian with a live round in the abdomen, and another man with a live round in the leg, while the third Palestinian was injured by fragments from the bullets in the arms and legs. The three are from the Ghneimat family, where their wounds have been described as mild-to-moderate. Israeli soldiers also invaded the area and fired many rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs, and concussion grenades, causing scores to suffer the severe effects of tear gas inhalation. (IMEMC 24 April 2022)
- Young Palestinian men clashed with the Israeli occupation Forces after a group of Israeli settlers rallied near Teqoa town, southeast of Bethlehem.

The IOF fired rubber bullets and tear gas canisters at the local youths, who responded by hurling stones and firecrackers. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)

• A group of Jewish settlers wreaked havoc on dozens of olive trees in Izmut village, east of Nablus in the occupied West Bank. A Palestinian farmer said he went to his grove in the village in the morning and was surprised to see that about 30 of his olive trees and saplings had been either destroyed or uprooted by settlers. The farmer pointed out that he started reclaiming his own land about two years ago and planted it with olive trees, but the Israeli occupation forces had been preventing him and other villagers for over six months from reaching the agricultural area in Izmut to take care of their lands. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

• The Israeli Occupation Army bulldozers razed Palestinian-owned lands under the pretext of expanding the settlement of Seleit in the Northern Valley. (PALINFO 24 April 2022)