



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

- Dozens of Palestinians were injured, while others were arrested after Israeli police forces violently stormed al-Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem and attacked worshipers. 42 injuries were reported among the worshipers, 22 of them were transferred to the Hospital. Israeli forces stormed the holy site in large numbers shortly after tens of thousands had performed the dawn prayer. Following the prayer, the worshipers gathered at the Mosque courtyard and chanted pro-Aqsa slogans. Teargas bombs and rubber bullets were fired by the Israeli police offices during the attack. The Israeli forces further closed Al-Silsila gate for hours, preventing worshipers' access into Al-Aqsa, and surrounding nearly 1,500 others inside the Qibli Mosque. Several worshipers suffered head injuries. Medical crews were denied entry into the Mosque during the attack, while a medic was severely beaten. A number of youths were also arrested during the confrontation before Israeli forces withdrew from the courtyards. (PALINFO 29 April 2022)
- Israeli soldiers attacked the weekly procession in Kufur Qaddoum, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, and injured dozens of Palestinians, including two children. The Palestinians marched from the center of the town while chanting against the ongoing Israeli occupation. Israeli soldiers invaded the town and started firing rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs, and concussion grenades. The soldiers shot nine Palestinians, including two children, with rubber-coated steel bullets and caused dozens to suffer the effects of tear gas inhalation.(IMEMC 29 April 2022)
- Israeli soldiers attacked dozens of nonviolent protesters on their lands in Beita and Beit Dajan, east and south of Nablus, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. Palestinians marched to their lands in Sbeib Mountain in Beita before the soldiers attacked them with a few live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets, and gas bombs. The soldiers also attacked a similar protest in Beit Dajan when the Palestinians headed to their lands. The Palestinians hold weekly protests in Sbeih Mountain and Beit Dajan to counter the ongoing Israeli colonialist attempt to illegally annex their lands. Dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of tear gas inhalation, and a few sustained cuts and bruises while the soldiers were chasing them. (PALINFO 29 April 2022)

- The Israeli soldiers abducted a journalist, Ayman Qawareeq, 36, while crossing the Qalandia terminal, north of occupied Jerusalem. The abducted journalist is from Awarta village, southeast of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, while was heading to Jerusalem to pray in the Al-Aqsa Mosque. (IMEMC 29 April 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers abducted a child, only fourteen years of age, after stopping him at Salahuddin Street in Jerusalem. The child, who remained unidentified at the time of this report, is from Anata, northeast of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 29 April 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers abducted a young man, Bassem Zghayyar, after stopping him near Bab al-Asbat near the al-Aqsa Mosque. (IMEMC 29 April 2022)
- In the al-Isawiya town in Jerusalem, the Israeli soldiers abducted a Palestinian woman and took her to an interrogation facility. Her abduction comes only a day after the army abducted her son. (IMEMC 29 April 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers assaulted and abducted a young man, Anas Abu Naab, by the rail station near the Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood. (IMEMC 29 April 2022)
- The Israeli army and the navy attacked Palestinian farmers and fishing boats near Gaza City and Khan Younis in the southern part of the coastal region. The soldiers, stationed on military towers across the fence east of Khan Younis, fired many live rounds into farmland east of Abasan al-Kabeera and Khuza'a towns east of Khan Younis. The attack did not lead to casualties but forced the farmers to leave their lands, fearing additional violations. In addition, Israeli navy ships fired many live rounds at Palestinian fishing boats in the Sudaniyya Sea area, northwest of Gaza city, forcing them to return to the shore without being able to fish and provide for their families. (IMEMC 29 April 2022)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Jewish settlers have continued to raze Palestinian-owned lands in Khirbet al-Farisiyah in the northern Jordan Valley for nearly a week. Ten Israeli military bulldozers stormed the area and started razing Palestinian-owned

lands since the early morning hours on Friday. A few days ago, Jewish settlers set up a number of mobile houses and started bulldozing the area. The lands were razed for settlement expansion. (PALINFO 29 April 2022)

Expansion of Israeli settlements

- The Israeli Supreme Court rejected a petition submitted by the Peace Now movement and the Hebron municipality to prevent the construction of two settlement buildings in the Old City of Al-Khalil, comprising 31 housing units. Planning for the two buildings started several years ago, but was frozen for a while before the Supreme Court rejected the petition submitted in this regard, which means allowing the completion of the construction of the 31 settlement units. This plan is part of a larger plan that includes building 60 settlement units. (PALINFO 29 April 2022)