



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 navy ships fired many live rounds at Palestinian fishing boats near the shore of the northern part of the Gaza Strip. The fishing boats were sailing near the shore of the northern part of the coastal region when the navy fired many live rounds at them. The attack led to damage to a few boats and caused two to lose their fishing nets. (IMEMC 23 July 2022)
- Israeli soldiers injured five Palestinians, including a child, in Kufur Qaddoum, east of Qalqilia, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The Palestinians held a procession in the town before the soldiers invaded it and attacked them with rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs while several young men hurled stones at the invading army jeeps. Five Palestinians, including a child, 11 years of age, were shot with rubber-coated steel bullets and dozens suffered the effects of tear gas inhalation. (IMEMC 23 July 2022)
- Israeli soldiers injured dozens of Palestinians abducted the mayor of the ath-Thaheriyya town and shot the deputy mayor south of Hebron in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, during a nonviolent protest against the colonialist activities. The residents nonviolently marched on their lands in the Shweika area in the town; dozens of residents held the procession on lands Israel intends to illegally annex to expand the Shim'a colony, built on stolen Palestinian lands. The soldiers attacked the nonviolent protesters with gas bombs and concussion grenades, causing dozens to suffer the effects of tear gas inhalation, in addition to shooting the town's deputy mayor, Nayef Makhazra, with a concussion grenade in the leg. They also attacked and abducted the mayor of ath-Thaheriyya, Bahjat Jabarin, and took him to a nearby military base. Israeli colonizers also attacked the procession in front of Israeli soldiers, adding that one colonizer fired live rounds. (IMEMC 23 July 2022)
- Israeli police forces violently broke into local homes in Silwan town in Occupied Jerusalem. Since the early morning hours, the Israeli forces were deployed in large numbers in the Batn al-Hawa neighborhood in Silwan amid heavy firing of teargas and sound bombs. Several children, women

- and elderly suffered breathing problems during the attack. An infant was among the casualties treated for breathing problems while a child was treated for being sprayed with pepper gas. Israeli forces violently broke into the house of the head of the Batn Al-Hawa neighborhood committee, Zuhair Al-Rajbi, and brutally assaulted him along with his family members, including his children. Al-Rajbi family was also subjected to a second attack while on their way to hospital for treatment. Following the attack, Al-Rajbi was arrested along with his older son. An elderly and his wife were also injured during the violent raid. (PALINFO 23 July 2022)
- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) opened fire at Palestinian workmen and injured one of them, while a horde of Jewish settlers wreaked havoc on olive groves in the West Bank. The IOF fired rubber bullets at a number of West Bank workers near the Tarqumiyah checkpoint in the west of al-Khalil as they were trying to cross to their workplaces in 1948 occupied Palestine. One worker was reportedly wounded in his leg and transferred to a hospital. The IOF also kidnaped on the same day a young man from the Old City of Hebron and raided several homes in al-Arroub refugee camp in northern Hebron. Meanwhile, the IOF set up a number of makeshift checkpoints on roads in the south of Jenin and obstructed the movement of Palestinian vehicles and passengers.
 - A group of Israeli settlers destroyed dozens of olive trees in Palestinian groves in Turmus Ayya town, northeast of Ramallah and Bireh. A number of settlers from the illegal outpost of Adei Ad infiltrated into Sahel area in the town and wreaked havoc on 30 olive trees belonging to local farmers. The settlers also blocked a road near Sahel area with rocks to prevent the local residents from going to their lands to check on them. (PALINFO 23 July 2022)
 - Adi Ad settlers deployed several tents in an area near their outpost. Recently, about 450 trees, a few water tanks and an agricultural fence were destroyed by settlers in the same area. (PALINFO 23 July 2022)
 - The Israeli occupation forces stormed the town of Jabal Mukaber, southeast of the occupied city of Jerusalem, and spread in its streets, and closed a road in the town. The occupation police imposed fines against residents of Bab Al-Amoud area in the Old City. (Wafa 23 July 2022)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Scores of Palestinians were injured including local officials, as Israeli occupation forces attacked a nonviolent sit-in protest against Israeli settlement construction to the south of al-Dhahiriya town, in the southern West Bank province of Hebron. Israeli occupation soldiers fired teargas canisters and stun grenades at the protesters, injuring the deputy mayor of the town, Nayef Makharza, with a stun canister in his foot and causing many cases of suffocation from gas inhalation. The town's mayor, Bahjat Jabarin, was also arrested. The protesters were demonstrating against Israel's imminent plan to take over large swathes of private Palestinian land near the town for the benefit of the colonial Israeli settlement enterprise. During the attack, an armed Israeli settler opened gunfire at the participants in the protest in the presence of the soldiers. No one was hurt. (WAFA 23 July 2022)

Expansion of Israeli settlements

- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) issued a tender for the construction of 83 housing units in Givat Hamatos settlement, which is illegally built in Occupied Jerusalem. The tender came a few days after US President Joe Biden's visit to the region. The new settlement plan was first promoted from 2007 to 2012 and includes the construction of about 2,600 settlement units and a hotel complex along al-Khalil Road. The new settlement construction will disconnect the geographical continuity between Jerusalem and Bethlehem. (PALINFO 23 July 2022)

Other

- The Israeli authorities demolished, confiscated, or forced people to demolish 51 Palestinian-owned structures in East Jerusalem and Area C of the West Bank, citing the lack of Israeli-issued building permits; four of the structures had been provided as donor-funded humanitarian aid. As a result, 40 people, including 21 children, were displaced, and the livelihoods of about 500 others were affected. Some 47 of the targeted structures were in Area C, including two structures in southern Hebron areas which are designated as 'firing zones' for military training, and where Palestinian communities are at risk of forcible transfer. On 5 July, the Israeli authorities demolished a 200-metre-long concrete wall around a water spring facility in a 'nature reserve' in Duma (Nablus), for lacking building permits; as a

result, the water valve was destroyed and the water network damaged. This demolition directly affects access to water and the livelihoods of at least 22 households, comprising 132 people. Four structures were demolished in East Jerusalem, including one home destroyed by its owners to avoid paying the fines issued by Israeli authorities. ([OCHA](#) 23 July 2022)

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