



## 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

- The Israeli soldiers uprooted at least 1000 olive springs near Qalqilia, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The soldiers invaded an olive orchard in Hijja village, east of Qalqilia, and uprooted 1000 olive trees. The owner of the orchard, a local farmer identified as Nihad Yousef Da'as, stated that he planted the olive saplings six months ago in his 75-Dunam orchard. The Israeli army claimed that lands have been annexed "by the state" and informed the Palestinian that he is not allowed to enter the area. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- Undercover Israeli soldiers infiltrated the Doha town, southwest of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank, and kidnapped a young Palestinian man. The undercover soldiers infiltrated the town in a car with Palestinian license plates, and kidnapped the young man before regular army units invaded the area and took him away. The kidnapped Palestinian, Mohammad Emad Faraj, 20, from Deheishe refugee camp, south of Bethlehem, was delivering cooking gas cylinders to homes in Doha when the undercover soldiers ambushed and kidnapped him. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- In the occupied Palestinian capital, Jerusalem, several army jeeps invaded Abu Dis town, southeast of the city, searched homes, and abducted a former political prisoner, Hotheifa Bader. The soldiers also invaded the Shu'fat refugee camp northeast of Jerusalem, searched homes, and abducted Arafat Tayyaba. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers invaded Abu Shkheidim village, northwest of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, searched homes, and abducted Mohammad Samer al-Abed, 17. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- In Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, several Israeli army jeeps invaded Beit Fajjar town, south of the city, and abducted three children, Bilal Ayyash Thawabta, 14, Ahmad Luay Thawabta, 15, and Yousef Mohammad al-Issa, 14. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)

- In Tuqu' town, southeast of Bethlehem, the soldiers searched homes and abducted a young man, Mustafa Jamal al-Badan, 22. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- The soldiers invaded the Al-Khader town, south of Bethlehem, and summoned Emad Mahmoud Salah, 39, for interrogation at the Etzion military base after breaking into his home and searching it. Salah is a former political prisoner who was held by Israeli for four and a half years. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- In the southern part of the West Bank in Hebron, the soldiers invaded Tarqoumia town, west of the city, searched homes, causing damage, and abducted a young man, Mohammad Hasan Fatafta. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded Beit Furik town, southeast of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, before the soldiers stormed and ransacked the home of Mofeed Abu Gholmy and confiscated his Nissan Jeep. The Israeli soldiers interrogated Mofeed, the father of a political prisoner, Laith Abu Gholmy, and his family for several hours before withdrawing. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- Israeli soldiers shot a young Palestinian man at the Huwwara military roadblock, south of Nablus, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The Palestinian, who remained unidentified at the time of this report, was shot at the roadblock before the soldiers closed the area. The Palestinian Red Crescent Society medics (PRCS) rushed to the roadblock, but the soldiers refused to allow them to reach the wounded young man. The soldiers then detained the wounded young man and took him to an unknown destination after closing the entire area. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)
- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) attacked Palestinian fishermen and their boats off the northern coast of the beleaguered Gaza Strip. The Israeli gunboats chased and opened fire at fishing boats during their presence within a few nautical miles off the shores of different areas in northern Gaza. The fishing boats in northern Gaza waters were attacked with machinegun fire and tear gas canisters and forced to return ashore. No one was reportedly hurt in the IOF attack. (PALINFO 27 July 2022)
- Four Palestinians were injured in a settler attack in Tulkarem. The four young men were in their lands, near Ramin town east of the city, when a group of settlers attacked them. The young men were left bleeding without

- medical assistance before being taken by IOF soldiers who provided military protection for the settlers' attack. Another Palestinian farmer was injured in the northern Jordan Valley in a similar settler attack. (PALINFO 27 July 2022)
- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) continued to attack Palestinian fishermen and their boats off the northern coast of the embattled Gaza Strip, forcing them to return ashore. Israeli gunboats opened machinegun fire at fishing boats during their presence within a few nautical miles off the shore of Beit Lahia in northern Gaza. No one was reportedly hurt in the shooting attack. (PALINFO 27 July 2022)
  - Crews of the so-called Settlements Council obstructed the work of Palestinian farmers in Khirbet al-Farisiyah community in the northern Jordan Valley. The Settlements Council crews seized a bulldozer working on reclaiming lands in Khirbet al-Farisiyah and prevented it from completing the work on the land. The Settlements Council has intensified its acts in al-Farisiyah and seized in recent days a truck transporting organic fertilizers to farmers. (Wafa 27 July 2022)

## Israeli Settler Violence

- Five Palestinians were wounded in a settler attack in the village of Tal, southwest of Nablus, in the northern occupied West Bank. The Palestinian citizens were in their agricultural land when a group of Jewish settlers attacked them with pepper gas, injuring five of them. The settler attack was carried out under Israeli occupation forces' (IOF) protection. The settlers also set fire to a mobile home in the area and targeted a vehicle belonging to the Tal Village Council. (PALINFO 27 July 2022)
- Israeli colonizers attacked Palestinian farmers on their lands in Tal village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, wounding five. The colonizers assaulted several Palestinian farmers and maced them with pepper spray while working on their lands. Five Palestinians were injured, including one who was also assaulted by several colonizers, before the soldiers invaded the area and detained him for a few hours. The colonizers also burnt a mobile home owned by Mohammad Ahmad Hamdan, and caused damage to the windows and windshield of a car owned by the Tal Town Council. (MEMC 27 July 2022)
- Groups of Israeli settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem. At least 71 settlers entered the Mosque in groups through its

Maghariba Gate and toured its courtyards under police escort. During their tours at the Islamic holy site, the settlers received lectures from rabbis about the alleged temple mount and a number of them provocatively performed Talmudic prayers. (PALINFO 27 July 2022)

## **Home Demolition & Demolition threats**

- Israeli soldiers invaded Jericho city in the northeastern West Bank, demolished a Palestinian home, and uprooted trees. Several army vehicles, including a bulldozer, invaded the Sama Jericho area in the city and demolished a 120 square/meter home owned by Rida Zilbani. The soldiers also uprooted several trees near the demolished home before withdrawing from the city. The demolished home is near the Palestinian Complex of Government Institutions in the Jericho governorate. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)

## **Israeli Military Orders**

- Israeli forces posted an order to seize the entrance to At-Tuwani locality, south of Hebron. Israeli forces posted a military order, taking over the entrance to the locality, which also leads to Masafer Yatta. Under the military order, some 180 square meters of land belonging to the Abu Sabha and Rab'I families are seized. (WAFA 27 July 2022)

## **Confiscation & Razing of lands**

- Israeli soldiers bulldozed Palestinian lands and uprooted trees in the al-Isawiya town in occupied Jerusalem in the West Bank. The Israeli bulldozers started uprooting the Palestinian trees and bulldozing the lands after closing the southeastern area of the town. The army also destroyed and removed fences installed by the Palestinians around their lands in the southeastern area of the town. The Israeli attacks are part of the so-called "National Gardens" Israeli colonialist project, benefiting the illegal Israeli colonizers after confiscating Palestinian lands. (IMEMC 27 July 2022)

## **Expansion of Israeli settlements**

- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) approved a plan to construct new settlement units in the southern area of Jerusalem. The plan includes the construction of 1,446 settlement units in the Lower Aqueduct settlement in the Palestinian town of Sur Baher and between the settlements of Har Homa and Givat HaMatos. Preliminary approval to the project had been given in January, but this was a more formal one. The Israeli Interior Ministry also debated a plan called Givat Shaked for around 700 settlement units, located over the Green Line in that same area of the city, near the Palestinian neighborhoods of Shuafat and Beit Safafa. Last week, the IOA issued a new 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. Givat Hamatos was illegally built on Mount Abu Ghneim between Beit Safafa and Sur Baher neighborhoods. 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. Israeli and Palestinian estimates suggest that about 650,000 settlers are living in 164 settlements and 116 outposts in the occupied West Bank. Under international law, all Jewish settlements in the occupied territories are considered illegal. (PALINFO 27 July 2022)