

Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine 12 December 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.

*The Violations are based on reports provided by field workers and**or news sources.*

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Violations of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli soldiers invaded the Eastern neighborhood of Jenin city, in the ٠ northern part of the occupied West Bank, killed a child while standing on her home's rooftop, injured a young man, and abducted three. The attack occurred before midnight when undercover soldiers following many several armored military vehicles invaded Jenin. The soldiers killed Jenna Majdi Essam Zakarna, 15, after shooting her with live fire in the head. Jenna's family stated that the soldiers fatally shot her while standing on the rooftop of their home in the Eastern Neighborhood. Jenna went to the rooftop of their home to bring her cat, and that is when the soldiers shot her. The soldiers also stormed and ransacked many homes before abducting Hasan Ahmad Mer'ey, 30, Tha'er Jihad Hanthawi, 40, and his brother Mohammad, 33. Furthermore, the soldiers caused damage to several parked cars and a shop during protests that took place in the Al-Bayader area in Jenin. The soldiers also shot a young man with a bullet in the leg suffering mild-to-moderate wounds. (IMEMC 12 December 2022)
- Israeli soldiers injured several Palestinians after the army invaded the Al-Arroub refugee camp north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, leading to protests. The soldiers invaded several neighborhoods, and the area near the main bypass road, leading to protests, before firing many live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets, and gas bombs. The soldiers shot a young man with a live round in the leg and caused many Palestinians to suffer the effects of tear gas inhalation. (IMEMC 12 December 2022)
- A Palestinian from the Al-Isawiya town, east of the occupied capital, Jerusalem, in the West Bank, was forced to demolish his under-construction home. The Israeli City Council in occupied Jerusalem forced Tha'er Obeid to demolish his 100 square meter home under the pretext of being built without a permit. Obeid had to demolish his home to avoid the excessively high fines and fees imposed by the city council if it carried the demolition out using its workers and equipment. Obeid received the demolition order three months ago before he contacted lawyers and started a legal battle in Israeli courts trying to save his home but to no avail. (IMEMC 12 December 2022)

• Israeli military vehicles, including bulldozers, invaded Palestinian lands east of Gaza city and bulldozed them. Nine armored military vehicles invaded the Palestinian lands east of the Sheja'ehyya neighborhood, east of Gaza city. The army bulldozed and uprooted lands near the perimeter fence and removed agricultural sheds. During the invasion, the soldiers fired live rounds and smoke grenades to force the farmer to leave their lands. (IMEMC 12 December 2022)

Israeli Settler Violence

• Scores of Jewish settlers desecrated the Al-Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem on Monday morning and later in the afternoon. Dozens of settlers entered the Mosque in groups through its Maghariba Gate and toured its courtyards under tight police guard. Meanwhile, the Israeli occupation police continued to impose restrictions on the entry of Muslim worshipers to the Mosque, and harassed a number of them during their presence in its courtyards and the entrances leading to it. (PALINFO 12 December 2022)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- A Palestinian from the Al-Isawiya town, east of the occupied capital, Jerusalem, in the West Bank, was forced to demolish his under-construction home. The Israeli City Council in occupied Jerusalem forced Tha'er Obeid to demolish his 100 square meter home under the pretext of being built without a permit. Obeid told WAFA News that he had to demolish his home to avoid the excessively high fines and fees imposed by the city council if it carried the demolition out using its workers and equipment. He added that if he filed more appeals and the city went ahead and demolished his home, he could face fines and fees that might reach 300.000 Shekels. Obeid received the demolition order three months ago before he contacted lawyers and started a legal battle in Israeli courts trying to save his home but to no avail. (IMEMC 12 December 2022)
- Israeli soldiers demolished a Palestinian tent used by a Palestinian farmer to sell saplings and agricultural products in Tuqu' town, southeast of Bethlehem, in the occupied West Bank. The soldiers invaded the Khirbat Ad-Deir area at the entrance of the town and demolished the tent. The soldiers demolished and removed the tent and confiscated its iron easels.

The tent, owned by a local farmer, Salim Hamdan Suleiman, was used for selling saplings, plants, and agricultural tools. (IMEMC 12 December 2022)

- Israeli forces demolished a tent located in Tuquo, southeast of the West Bank city of Bethlehem on the main road and owned by a local resident who used it as a depot for selling seedlings and other agricultural products. The forces also confiscated the tent's metal stakes. This is the second time the military demolishes the tent for the same person. (WAFA 12 December 2022)
- In the Jenin district in the north of the West Bank, demolition orders were issued against several plastic greenhouses. The Israeli soldiers broke into the village and handed demolition orders for greenhouses built on privately-owned Palestinian land but located near the segregation barrier Israel has built in the occupied territories to separate Palestinians from the settlements. The owner of the greenhouse was given until the 28th of this month to present an objection to the order or remove the greenhouse and move it 200 meters away from the segregation barrier. Owners of greenhouses located near the barrier in the villages of Arboneh, Jalbone, and Faqoua also received similar orders. (WAFA 12 December 2022)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

• The Israeli occupation army carried out a small-scale incursion into a border area in the east of the besieged Gaza Strip. Seven armored bulldozers escorted by two Merkava tanks advanced from a military post into a border area in the east of Gaza City, particularly near the closed crossing of Karni. The heavy machinery embarked on leveling and digging swaths of agricultural land, which are located about 50 meters from the border fence. The eastern border areas of Gaza are repeatedly exposed to Israeli military incursions and gunfire attacks. (PALINFO 12 December 2022)