



## 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 Israeli soldiers invaded Beit Ummar town, north of Hebron in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, searched and ransacked many homes, abducted sixteen Palestinians, including children and siblings, and injured a former political prisoner. The soldiers also abducted a young man in Hebron city. The soldiers used explosives to break into several homes in Beit Ummar and conducted violent searches, causing excessive damage. The soldiers confiscated clothes and posters of Palestinians killed by the army in previous invasions. During the violent invasions of homes, the soldiers assaulted a former political prisoner, Hatem Ahmad Sabarna, and abducted his son. Hatem suffered a leg fracture and various lacerations. (IMEMC 15 December 2022)
- Israeli soldiers invaded Askar refugee camp, east of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, assaulted and injured two Palestinians, and abducted two others. The soldiers invaded the refugee camp before storming and ransacking several homes, causing damage. The soldiers repeatedly assaulted two young men, causing various lacerations and bruises. During the violent searches of homes, the soldiers abducted Hisham Hamed Awwad, 22, and Nasser Khamis Abdullah, the son of Khamis, whom Israeli soldiers killed in 2010. (IMEMC 15 December 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers abducted Ala' Nimir, 23, after storming his home and ransacking in the Al- Modawwar village south of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia. (IMEMC 15 December 2022)

## Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli colonizers assaulted a Palestinian elder in a village south of Bethlehem, in the occupied West Bank, causing various injuries. The colonizers attacked Mohammad Yahia Ayesh, 70, in the Khallet An-Nahla area in Artas village, south of Bethlehem. Mohammad suffered various cuts and bruises. The colonizers have lately escalated their violations against the Palestinians and their lands in Khallet An-Nahla and caused several injuries

and serious property damage, including demolishing sheds and structures. (IMEMC 15 December 2022)

- Israeli colonizers invaded a Palestinian school in Orif village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and destroyed solar panels that generate electricity for the education facility. The colonizers hurled stones at the solar panels and ransacked them. The colonizers frequently attacked and caused damage to the school, including when they tried to set it ablaze. Before fleeing the area, the colonizers also attacked several homes in the nearby town of Huwwara, causing damage. (IMEMC 15 December 2022)
- Dozens of Jewish settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem in the morning and later in the afternoon. At least 214 settlers escorted by police officers entered the Mosque in groups through its Maghariba Gate and toured its courtyards. 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 in the eastern area of the Mosque. 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. (IMEMC 15 December 2022)
- Israeli settlers assaulted a Palestinian elderly close to Wadi Rahhal village, south of the occupied West Bank city of Bethlehem. A group of settlers brutally beat 70-year-old Mohammad Ayesh, a resident of Artas village, southwest of the city, while he was tending to his land, inflicting bruises across his body. (Wafa 15 December 2022)
- Israeli settlers attacked a school in Urif village, south of the occupied West Bank city of Nablus. More than 40 settlers sneaked their way into the village and pelted the local secondary boys school with stones, destroying the solar panels used to supply electricity to the school. After checking the recordings of surveillance cameras, the school administration was shocked to find out that it was Israeli settlers who vandalized the school, pointing that the school has become a target of attacks by settlers, who once attempted to torch classrooms. Meanwhile, settlers threw stones towards Palestinian houses at the outskirts of the nearby town of Huwwara, causing damage to some of them. (Wafa 15 December 2022)

## **Home Demolition & Demolition threats**

- The Israeli Occupation army destroyed the main water pipeline of al-Auja community, north of the occupied West Bank village of Jericho. Israeli forces barged their way into the community and welded-shut the sole pipeline supplying water to some 1,200 people and used a bulldozer to erect an earth mound on it. (WAFSA 15 December 2022)
- The Israeli occupation authority (IOA) issued stop-work orders against six Palestinian structures after storming Kafr ad-Dik town west of the West Bank city of Salfit on Thursday. The IOA issued stop-work orders against six Palestinian houses, five of which are inhabited, under the pretext of construction without permit, according to Mayor of Kafr ad-Dik town, Mohammad Naji. He added that the houses belong to the Palestinian citizens Ashraf Ahmad, Bassam ad-Dik, Anan ad-Dik, Taysir ad-Dik, Mohammed Haboub, and Mohammed Naji. The IOA had issued demolition and stop-work orders against dozens of Palestinian houses and agricultural structures in Kafr ad-Dik under the pretext of building in Area C of the West Bank. (PALINFO 15 December 2022)
- Israeli forces demolished a house under construction and a water well in Farsh al-Hawa locality, northwest of the occupied southern West Bank city of Hebron. Israeli soldiers escorted a bulldozer to the locality, where the heavy machinery tore down his 320-square-meter house and 500-cubic-meter water cistern, purportedly for being located in Area C. Meanwhile, the gun-toting soldiers handed six villagers of the western part of Kafr ad-Dik town, west of Salfit, military notices, ordering them to stop the construction of their houses. (WAFSA 15 December 2022)
- Israeli settlers tore down the metal roof covering of a fuel station in the southern occupied West Bank city of Hebron. A group of settlers, under army protection, destroyed the metal roof covering of al-Ja'bari fuel station, located at al-Shuhada Street. (WAFSA 15 December 2022)