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Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine 29 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.

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Violations of the Israeli Occupation Army

- The Israeli navy today attacked Palestinian fishermen while sailing off the northern Gaza coast and forced them to return to shore, according to WAFA correspondent. He said that the navy opened fire towards the fishermen and fired tear gas at them, forcing them to rush back to shore to avoid being injured or arrested and have their boats impounded. Fishing is one of the main income sources for the impoverished Gaza Strip, which has been under Israeli siege for the last 16 years. (WAFA 29 December 2022)
- On Thursday night, Israeli navy ships attacked many Palestinian fishing boats near the shores of the northern part of the Gaza Strip. Media sources said the navy ships fired many live rounds and high-velocity gas bombs at the fishing boats, sailing only three nautical miles from the Gaza shores. They added that the attacks took place near the shores of the Al-Waha and As-Sudaniyya areas, forcing the fishermen to leave without being able to fish to provide for families to avoid further escalation. (IMEMC 29 December 2022)
- On Thursday dawn, Israeli soldiers injured several Palestinians, including one who suffered life-threatening wounds, in several parts of the occupied West Bank. The Palestinian Health Ministry has confirmed that a young man, 20, is in critical condition after Israeli soldiers shot him in the chest in the Za'ta area in Beit Ummar town, north of Hebron in the southern part of the West Bank. The Health Ministry said the soldiers shot the young man in the chest and added that the bullets exited from his back, compounding the seriousness of his wounds. the Palestinian was shot during protests that erupted after several army jeeps invaded Beit Ummar. The army also invaded the Al-'Arroub refugee camp north of Hebron, leading to protests, before the soldiers fired many live rounds, gas bombs, and concussion grenades. Medical sources said many Palestinians, including several in their homes, suffered the effects of tear gas inhalation. In Jenin, in the northern West Bank, the soldiers shot a Palestinian woman, 39 years of age, with a live round in the leg while standing in front of her home when the army invaded Jaba' town, south of the city. Palestinian medics rushed her to the Jenin Governmental Hospital. In Bethlehem, several army jeeps invaded the Deheishe refugee camp south of the city, leading to protests,

and shot a young man with a live round in the leg. (IMEMC 29 December 2022)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers today attacked Palestinian vehicles driving on northern West Bank roads causing damage to cars and freighting the commuters, according to witnesses. They said that settlers threw stones at cars on the main road going through the town of Hawwara, south of Nablus, while provoking the local Palestinian residents and shopkeepers. Reports said that the settlers sprayed pepper in the face of several people. (WAFA 29 December 2022)
- The year 2022 witnessed the highest ever in the number of violations against Al-Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem with 48,238 Jewish fanatics storming the Muslim holy compound and violating its sanctity, today said Azzam Khatib, director of the Islamic Waqf Department, which is in charge of Al-Aqsa Mosque. He said in a statement that the fanatics carried out acts that provoked the sentiments and feelings of the Muslims by performing Jewish rituals and raising the Israeli flag inside the walled compound during Jewish holidays not caring what this holy place means for two billion Muslims around the world, warning that the new right-wing government in Israel may carry out acts that could trigger a religious war in the region and the world. (WAFA 29 December 2022)
- Scores of extremist Jewish settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque in Occupied
 Jerusalem on Thursday morning. According to local sources, at least 147
 settlers escorted by police officers entered the Mosque in groups through
 its Maghariba Gate and toured its courtyards under police protection in the
 morning. During their tours at the Islamic holy site, the settlers received
 lectures from rabbis about the alleged temple mount, and a number of them
 performed Talmudic prayers in the eastern area of the Mosque. Meanwhile,
 the Israeli occupation police imposed movement and entry restrictions on
 Muslim worshipers at the Aqsa Mosque's entrances and gates. (PALINFO
 29 December 2022)
- One day after illegally occupying privately owned Palestinian lands and installing a barn in the Northern Plains of the Jordan Valley in the occupied West Bank, Israeli colonizers started installing water pipelines for the barn and a new outpost. Palestinian human rights activist Aref Daraghma said the colonizers occupied about one Dunam of land Wednesday, west

of <u>Khirbat Makhoul village</u>, and established a barn. Daraghma added that the colonizer started installing water pipelines Thursday to provide the barn and the intended new illegal colonialist outpost with the needed water, which also means they will be working on the infrastructure that would lead to more theft of Palestinian lands. He stated that the new outpost would also lead to the annexation of large areas of Palestinian farmlands and grazing lands used by the locals, who would eventually be denied access to these areas. (IMEMC 29 December 2022)

