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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.

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

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Violations of the Israeli Occupation Army

- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) raided al-Mazra area in Ubeidiya town, east of Bethlehem and then broke into and ransacked the house of Ali Abu Sarhan. The IOF brought one of Abu Sarhan's relatives, who was kidnaped recently, during its raid on the house. Three citizens from the family of Abu Sarhan were taken prisoners a few days ago during an IOF raid on the same house. (PALINFO 8 February 2023)
- Two Palestinians were injured, one of them critically, during an Israeli army raid this morning into Balata refugee camp in the northern West Bank city of Nablus. A youth was brought to a hospital in Nablus in a state of cardiac arrest and unable to breathe after a bullet had penetrated his head from behind the ear and exited from the mouth. The second youth was shot by two bullets in the right hand and is in stable condition. The critically injured Palestinian was 13 years old and the other one injured in the hand is 16. Israeli soldiers broke into the refugee camp and nearby Joseph's Tomb to secure entry of settlers into the site and clashed with Palestinians. The soldiers opened live fire at the Palestinian youths hitting two. (WAFA 8 February 2023)
- Palestine TV journalist Ahmad Hababeh, from Beit Iksa village, northwest of Jerusalem, was among seven Palestinians detained this morning by Israel. Hababeh was detained at an Israeli army checkpoint near his village. (WAFA 8 February 2023)
- The Israeli army detained a Palestinian man and his son in of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. The soldiers detained two other people following an early morning raid at their homes in the village of Bitillo, northwest of Ramallah. (WAFA 8 February 2023)
- In the Jenin district in the north of the West Bank, Israeli soldiers detained two men, 19 and 26 years of age, after raiding and ransacking their family homes in the towns Maythalon and Mislieh, south of Jenin city. (WAFA 8 February 2023)
- Two Palestinian young men were injured after Israeli occupation forces (IOF) stormed Youssef Tomb in Nablus, in the northern occupied West Bank, early on Wednesday. 30 military vehicles stormed the area while Israeli snipers were deployed on roofs of several buildings, which led to the outbreak of violent clashes. Two young men were injured during the clashes, one of them in critical condition after being shot in the head. (PALINFO 8 February 2023)

Israeli Settler Violence

- A group of Israeli settlers savagely assaulted a shepherd identified as Ali Malihat as he was grazing his sheep near Arab al-Malihat area in western Jericho. (PALINFO 8 February 2023)
- Dozens of Jewish settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem in the morning and later in the afternoon. At least 102 settlers entered the Mosque in different groups through its Maghariba Gate and toured its courtyards under tight police guard. 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. Meanwhile, the Israeli occupation police imposed movement and entry restrictions on Muslim worshipers at the Aqsa Mosque's entrances and gates. (PALINFO 8 February 2023)