

Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt

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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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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli warplanes shelled two locations in the Gaza Strip targeting a tunnel.
- The Israeli Occupation Army arrested 3 Palestinian citizens from Tulkarem and Ramallah Governorates.

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• The Israeli Occupation accompanied with what so-called the Israeli Water Authority stormed Sahl Al Marj Ben 'Amer east of Jenin and started searching for water wells used by the local farmers claimed were built without license.

Israeli Military orders

- The Israeli Occupation Authorities issued an amendment to the military order number 29/07/t which was issued back in the year 2007 and states the confiscation of 321.9 dunums. The amendment states the confiscation of 161.7 dunums of lands of Al Khader and Artas villages, in Khirbet 'Aliya, Al Nashash and Jabal Baqoush areas near the Israeli bypass road no. 60 (locally known as Jerusalem-Hebron road) for the construction of a new section of the Israeli Segregation Wall.
- The Israeli Occupation Army notified Palestinian farmers in Al Khader village west of Bethlehem city to confiscate 2 dunums of agricultural land in Khallet Um Al Fahem (Um Al Fahem hamlet) located at the main entrance of the area near El'azar settlement. This decision means that the main entrance and the only access to the Palestinian lands which fall under the control of the Israeli Authority would be forbidden to the Palestinian farmers and only through permits they would be able to access them.
- Representatives of settlers living in Ramat Gilad have reached an agreement with the State, which will see the unauthorized outpost become a neighborhood within the Karnei Shomron Regional Council. According to the draft agreement, five temporary structures built on private land will be relocated to a different area in the outpost along with a number of warehouses. The said buildings are inhabited, and Ramat Gilad residents have already expressed their willingness to relocate them in the past, so as not to reach a clash with the security forces. As part of the agreement, a city building plan will be approved in the future in order to allow the outpost to become part of the Karnei Shomron settlement as a separate neighborhood.

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Others

• The Ma'ariv Israeli daily newspaper revealed that "El-Add" Jewish association requested the issuance of a license to transfer a previously seized house into a restaurant in Wadi Al –Rabab neighborhood in Silwan town in Jerusalem city. The newspaper added that the public has 7 days from the issuance date of the project, to file objection against the project. Until January 3, 2012.

