



# ARIJ Daily Report

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## 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.*

*The text is not quoted directly from the sources but is edited for clarity.*

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### Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Hundreds of Palestinian workers held a protest outside Al Jalama crossing north of Jenin city slamming what they described as mistreatment by Israeli security staff. The Israeli forces had insulted and abused them as they waited to enter Israel via the Al-Jalama crossing. Maannews (June 13, 2012)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Um Rkba area south of Al Khader village in Bethlehem Governorate and stormed a number of Palestinian houses. The targeted houses belong to: Hussein Ali Khader

- Salah, Ghazi Abdel Salam Salah, Ishaq Khaleel Marzouq and his brother Habbas and the grocery shop of Anwar Salah. Wafa (June 13, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) is carrying out an inspection campaign in some of Jenin communities searching for newly established artesian water wells. The IOA destroyed two artesian wells at Beit Qad's village junction east of Jenin city. The two wells are owned by Citizen Abdel Men'em Ahmad Medraj Daraghmeh and supply water for tens of dunums of agricultural lands in Beit Qad Valley. Wafa (June 13, 2012).
  - The Israeli Occupation Army IOA destroyed four artesian wells in Deir Abu Da'if village east of Jenin city owned by Issam Izzat Yaseen, Ahmad Muhammad Al Qadi, Mashour Hasnawi and Mahmoud Sahreef Yaseen. Wafa (June 13, 2012).
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) distributed pamphlets to residents of Dura and Kherbit At Tabaqa area in Hebron Governorate demanding Palestinian families to hinder their children from hurling stones and Molotov bombs at Israeli Soldiers otherwise, the IOA will have to act against that. Wattan TV (June 13, 2012)

### **Israeli Arrests**

- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) arrested Citizen Mahmoud Abdel Rahman Al Haj (26 years) from Bethlehem city after raiding his houses and searching it and took him to unknown destination. Wafa (June 13, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) arrested five Palestinian citizens from Iraq Burin village west of Nablus city. The arrestees are: Fathi, Amjad, Naseem, Kayed and Bashar Qadus. Wafa (June 13, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) arrested three Palestinian citizens from Balata refugee camp east of Nablus city after raiding their houses and searching them. The arrestees are: Ameer Muhammad Salem Hashash (2 years), Salah Abu Rwiees (18 years) and Ahmad Bial Abu Zeiton (19 years). Wafa (June 13, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) handed over three Palestinian citizens notifications to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police. Of whom, Khaled Abu Arab and Bahaa Al Badrasawi were known. Wafa (Jun 13, 2012).
- The Israeli Occupation Authorities (IOA) arrested Citizen Osma Hatem Amr (23 years), from Dura town west of Hebron city and an engineering student at Palestine's Polytechnic University in Hebron while on his way to Jordan to participate in a training course. Wattan TV (June 13, 2012).

## Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli Civil Administration (ICA) distributed three maps of three locations in susiya area south of Hebron city giving a last chance to people to submit injunction in 3 days time or will carry out demolitions to some 51 structures (residential tents and animal pens) owned by 17 Palestinian families of An Nawaj'a and Abu Sabha, a clinic and kinder garden and a solar power structure which is the only electricity provider in the area under the pretext of security. The demolition (if carried out) will affect 160 people. The demolition orders were issued by the Supreme Court following a petition filed by Regavim, an NGO watchdog group for Jewish national property rights, against the Palestinian construction taking place in [Susiya](#). Wafa & DWG (June 12, 2012).

## Others

- The Binyamin Regional Council is suspected of allowing a contractor to continue building a project on Palestinian land, even after it had received a stop-work order from the Civil Administration. Since 2009, the National Fraud Squad has been investigating the construction of a waste purification plant near Ofra, which was built on Palestinian-owned land at the initiative of the regional council and with partial funding from the state. After it was completed, the Palestinian landowners, through the Yesh Din organization, petitioned the High Court of Justice to demolish the structure. The state responded that it was searching for a way to legally operate the plant, as it was desperately needed to treat Ofra's sewage, which had been flowing into local streams and polluting the mountain aquifer for 30 years. But to expropriate the land from its Palestinian owners for public purposes, the plant would also have to serve Ofra's Palestinian neighbors. The plant, however, is too small to serve the neighboring Palestinian villages. The High Court ruled that the plant could not operate until a legal solution is found. A civil suit has also been filed, demanding compensation for the landowners. Meanwhile, the fraud squad began to probe suspicions that public funds had been illegally transferred to finance the treatment plant. Documents obtained by Haaretz indicate that in 2008, regional council chairman Avi Roeh issued a fictitious building permit for the site, although he had no authorization to do so because the Civil Administration had never approved a building plan in Ofra. The document states that the land had been confiscated for military purposes, when in fact it was registered in the name of a Palestinian. Haaretz (June 13, 2012).

- The Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu ordered IDF and Defense Ministry officials to start planning a new barrier along the Jordanian border, Brig. Gen. Eran Ofir, a member of the committee in charge of planning border fences, told Israel Radio that Netanyahu ordered his office to begin evaluating the possibility of constructing a new barrier along Israel's eastern border with Jordan. Ofir, one of those in charge of the project along the Egyptian border, told Israel Radio that that fence would be completed by the beginning of 2013. He said 181 kilometers out of 227 were already finished, and some 1,000 workers were laboring to finish the job. Times of Israel (June 13, 2012).

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