

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.

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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al-Fawar refugee camp, south of Hebron city and fired stun grenades at Palestinians and houses. (Raya 14 January 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched two Palestinian houses in An-Naqura village, north of Nablus city. The targeted houses are owned by: Mu'een Mohammad Abed Ar-Razeq and Ahmed Mohammad Abed Al-Aziz Hamad. (Maannews 14 January 2015)

 Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) in Jerusalem city. The IOA fired teargas and stun grenades at Palestinians. (Zamn Press 14 January 2015)

Israeli Arrests

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested a number of Palestinians working with the Palestinian Minister of Agricultural while they were holding a tour in Al-Furdies village, southeast of Bethlehem city. The IOA transferred the arrestees to unknown location (Safa 14 January 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) along with undercover Israeli Army and Israeli Police stormed several houses, neighborhoods and areas in Beit Ummer town, north of Hebron city, and arrested about 18 Palestinians; identified as: Mahmoud Yousef Nasri Algam (17 years), Imad Ahmed Khalil Abu Hisham (24 years), Omar Ahmed Ayad Awad (28 years), Mohammad Ibrahim Abed Al-Hamed Abu Mariya (19 years), Yaesh Abed An-Naser Ayesh Akhalil (16 years), Salah Saleh Kamel Al-Alami (25 years), Moayyad Waleed Ibrahim Tumar Akhalil (22 years), Yahya Adam Salem Akhalil (25 years) and his brother Mohammad (22 years), Yousif Mahmoud Hamdalla Abu Mariya (38 years), Jehad Raid Muqbil (18 years), Shadi Ibrahim Mohammad Bahar (24 years), Mahmoud Imad Khalil Akhalil (21 years), Bassam Mahmoud At-Titi (16 years) and Mahmoud Badir Mahmoud Akhalil (28 years). During the operation, clashes erupted between Palestinians and the IOA, where the IOA fired rubber bullets, teargas and stun grenades, causing dozens of suffocation cases and the injury of 5 people. (RB2000 14 January 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested two Palestinians after assaulting them while they were in front of their house in Sur Baher town, south of Jerusalem city. The arrestees were identified as: Murad and Rami Bkirat. (Wafa 14 January 2015)
- Isareli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested two Palestinian after storming their houses in Al-Eaziriya town, east of Jerusalem city. One of the arrestees identified as Fadi Abu Ziyad. (Wafa 14 January 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Ahmed Abu Al-Hums from Al-Issawiya town in Jerusalem city. (Wafa 14 January 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mohammad Abu Jum'a from Olive Mount/ At-Tur neighborhood in Jerusalem city. (Wafa 14 January 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) summoned Mohammad Zaoud Abu Thahabiya to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police in Gush Etzion

settlement bloc, after raiding his family house in Dar Salah village, east of Bethlehem city. (Mawwal 14 January 2015)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al-Aqsa mosque in Jerusalem city and toured in its courtyard. (ARN 14 January 2015)
- Israeli settlers punctured the tires of 11 Palestinian vehicles in Beit Safafa town, south of Jerusalem city, and wrote anti-Palestinian slogans on the vehicles. (RB2000 14 January 2015)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

• Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a Palestinian house in Deir Jarrir village, north of Ramallah city. The targeted house is owned by Jaser Ka'abnih. (Wattan 14 January 2015)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

• Israeli Occupation bulldozers razed an agricultural road link between Al-Mazra'a Ash-Sharqiya and Jilijliya villages, north of Ramallah city. The targeted road length about 3 kilometers. (Al-Quds 14 January 2015)

Expansion of settlements

Housing Minister Uri Ariel plans to move a possible influx of French immigrants to West Bank settlements and has instructed authorities to look at ways to expand existing settlements to make room for them. In a letter sent Monday to the Yesha council of settler leaders, the minister told settlement officials to prepare to absorb a wave of French immigration in the wake of the Paris terror attacks that will be keen to join Jewish communities over the Green Line, Israel's Channel 2 news reported Tuesday night, showing the letter on screen. "There is no doubt that the Jews of France feel a deep identity with the settlement movement in the West Bank," Ariel wrote. "And that is where they will want to establish their home." Ariel, a member of the nationalreligious Jewish Home party led by Economics Minister Naftali Bennett, ordered relevant authorities in his ministry and the Israel Land Authority to expand current settlements to receive the immigrants. He also tasked the Yesha council, that coordinates settlement activity, to find suitable sites for expansion in Jewish communities in the West Bank, the report said. Ariel has been an outspoken supporter of settlement expansion, even as the enterprise has come under increasingly severe criticism from the international community, which views settlement activity as a roadblock to a two-state solution with the Palestinians. France and other Western countries have leveled considerable criticism against settlement activity, with the EU threatening sanctions against Israel. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Foreign Minister Avigdor Liberman have both urged French Jews to move to Israel in the wake of the series of terror attacks that rocked France last week. France is home to the third largest Jewish community in the world. Some 7,000 Jews from the country moved to Israel in 2014, a record number that officials expect to be topped in coming years. (Time of Israel 14 January 2015)

Other

• Al-Aqsa Foundation for Waqf and heritage published a statement warned that an Israeli organization is working on a plan which seeks to register Al-Aqsa Mosque, as the King of Israel formally, in the circle of the" Tabo ", in a step forward to establish Jewish Synagogue on parts of it. The Israeli organization is seeks also to get the approval from the Israeli Justice Minister in the next Government to register Al-Aqsa mosque in " Israeli "Tabo, which will allow them to develop detailed plans for building Jewish synagogues in some of its parts. This warning came after a report published on Hebrew newspaper recently about the subject, claim that the Association/Organization Yishai led by Rabbi Shmuel Eliyahu, "expressed their resentment after the Israeli map Centre did not responded with a request made by the Organization to record the whole area of the Al-Aqsa Mosque as a Royal official of the Israeli occupation, for fear of the reactions and the sensitivity of the subject. (Al-Quds 14 January 2015)