



# 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

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained and searched a Palestinian vehicle after stopping it in Masafer Yatta area, east of Yatta town, south of Hebron city. Noted that the targeted vehicle was transformed a number of Palestinian teachers work in Masafer School. (Wafa 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed and searched dozens of Palestinian houses in Bilin village, northwest of Ramallah city, and summoned Mohammad Ash'el to interview the Israeli Intelligence

Police. The targeted houses are owned by: Ashraf Al-Khateeb, Mahmoud Al-Abed Samarah, Abed Al-Fatah Birnat and his two brothers; Hisham and Mohammad, Na'em Birnat and his two sons; Basel and Nash'at. (Wafa 10 March 2015)

- Israeli Occupation gunboats opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats while they were sailing at Az-Zahra shore, south of Gaza city. (Maannews 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) opened fire at Palestinian farmers while they were working in their land, east of Gaza city. (Maannews 10 March 2015)
- Three Palestinians were injured during clashes that erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) near Qalandiya refugee camp and Kafr Aqab town, north of Jerusalem city, after the IOA razed an area and handed out military orders to demolish a number of structures near the segregation wall. (Maannews & Pal Today 10 March 2015)
- Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) at Abu Ar-Rish checkpoint in the old city of Hebron. The IOA fired teargas grenades, causing dozens of suffocation cases. (Al-Quds 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed and toured in several areas in Qabatiya, Deir Ghazala, Deir Abu Da'if and Beit Qud villages in Jenin governorate. (Wattan 10 March 2015)

### **Israeli Arrests**

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Nour Khalid Murad Jawabrah (21 years) after raiding and searching his family house in Yabad town, west of Jenin city. (Wattan 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Hasan Said Al-Hashis (22 years) from Jenin city, after stopping him at a sudden checkpoint erected by the IOA near Ash-Shuhada village. (Wafa 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Baha Fahmi Ahmed Bahar (25 years) from Beit Ummer town, north of Hebron city. (ARN 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested 15 Palestinians after storming and searching their houses in Tequ village, southeast of Bethlehem city. The arrestees were identified as: Sami Ali Mahmoud Sabah, Ayoub Suliman Ahmed Sabah, Amjad Nayif Ali Sabah, Ma'mun Salem Mahmoud Sabah, Ahmed Eid Atiya Sabah, Mohammad Salem Ibrahim Sabah, Saher Khalid Ali Sabah, Mohammad Ali Abed Al-Khalil Sabah, Atiya Suliman Atiya Sabah, Zakariya Mohammad Abd Al-Khalil Sabah, Ja'far Yousif Hussen Sabah, Ibrahim Yousif Hussen Sabah,

Ahmed Riad Daoud Sabah, Azz Ad-Diyn Khalid Sabah and Marwan Fouad Tasir Sabah. (Maannews 10 March 2015)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians after raiding and searching their houses in Nablus city. The arrestees were identified as: Adham Jamal Abed Al-Rahmi Mabrouk, Jamel Kiyal and Mohammad Al-Ramhi. (Maannews 10 March 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. (Pal Today 10 March 2015)
- Israeli settlers living in Yetzher settlement set up 8 mobile homes at Al-Wadat area, east of Urif village, south of Nablus city. (Maannews 10 March 2015)

### **Home Demolition & Demolition threats**

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished 7 residential structures in Al-Jiftlik village, north of Jericho city. (Shasha News 10 March 2015)

### **Confiscation & Razing of lands**

- Israeli Occupation bulldozers razed tens dunums of Palestinian land in Al-Issawiya town in Jerusalem city and demolished three animal and agricultural barracks and a fence. The targeted structures and land are owned by Abu Al-Humos, Badriya, Aliyan, Abed and Abu Asab families. (SilwanIC 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and bulldozers continued razing Palestinian land (about 80 dunums) at the northern entrance of Kisan village, southeast of Bethlehem city. (Al-Quds 10 March 2015)
- Israeli Occupation bulldozers razed Palestinian land in Batan Al-Ma'asi and Um Mohammaden areas in Al-Khader village, southwest of Bethlehem city. (ARIJ Field Workers 10 March 2015)

### **Other**

- WZO transferred \$14 million to settlements in 2014 - not \$4.2m, as reported. The organization's Settlement Division significantly downplayed the figure in its 2014 report. According to the Finance Ministry, the [Settlement Division](#) of the World Zionist Organization last year transferred at least 55 million shekels (about \$14 million). The figure is significantly higher than the one the division reported to WZO

management for 2014 - 17 million shekels (\$4.2 million). Attorney General Yehuda Weinstein last week issued an opinion that the activities of the Settlement Division should be transferred to the government instead of remaining in the WZO and receiving government funds. That opinion was given following increasing criticism over a lack of transparency in the Settlement Division's funding of its activities, a sizable portion of which goes to West Bank settlements. According to a report Sunday by Makor Rishon journalist Haggai Segel, the Settlement Division gave only 17 million shekels to West Bank settlements in 2014 – 5.7 percent of its budget. Segel based his report on a document, posted on Monday in full by journalist Raviv Drucker on his blog, that was submitted by Settlement Division chairman Danny Kritzman to the WZO directors. However, Haaretz checked and found more complete data, provided by the accountant general's division in the Finance Ministry, on the ministry's website. According to that information, 56 settlements received support totaling 8.6 million shekels. The Jordan Valley Regional Council received 2 million shekels, and the regional councils of Gush Etzion, 1.8 million; Shomron, 885,000; Binyamin, 1.3 million and Megilot, 1 million. Funding was also given directly to settlement associations. ([Haaretz](#) 10 March 2015)