



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) confiscated a water cistern in Al-Maleh area in the northern of Jordan valley. (Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) opened fired at Palestinian houses and land in Al-Khaza'a and Abssan villages, east of Khan Younis city, south of Gaza strip. During the operation, the Israeli bulldozes razed land. (Wattan 9 April 2014)

- Israeli Occupation gunboats opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats while they were sailing at Khan Younis and Rafah shore, south of Gaza strip. (Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired teargas grenades at Al-Quds Open University in Salfit city, causing dozens of suffocation cases. (Maannews 9 April 2014)

Israeli Arrests

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested two Palestinian from Jerusalem city. The arrestees were identified as: Mohammad Abu Isninah (16 years) and Naje Az-Zoughbi. (Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Issa Hassan Mohammad Al-'Alami (24 years) and Ala Hussen Mahmoud At-Tit (25 years) after stopping them at a sudden checkpoint erected by the IOA at the entrance of Beit Ummer town, north of Hebron city. (Wafa 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mahmoud Hribat (16 years) after storming and searching his family house in At-Tabaqa village, west of Hebron city. (Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Imad Nimir Ibrahim Daoud (28 years) after storming his house in Hebron city. The IOA transferred the arrestee to unknown location. (Wafa 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Ahmed Fathi Ash-Shwiki (20 years) after raiding his work place in As-Saf Street in Bethlehem city. (Wafa & Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians after storming their houses in the old city of Jerusalem city. The arrestees were identified as: Thair Zaghir, Waleed Tufaha and Mohammad Abu Sobeh. (Maannews 9 April 2014)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Solomon pool area in Artas village, south of Bethlehem city. (Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and toured in Nahhalin village, west of Bethlehem city. (Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem city and toured in its court yard. During the operation, Israeli settlers assaulted Palestinians and chanted anti-Palestinian slogans. (RB2000 9 April 2014)

- Israeli settlers hurled stones at a Palestinian vehicle while it was traveling near Nahhalin village, west of Bethlehem city. As a result, Asid Shawqi Fanoun (4 years) was injured. (NBPRS 9 April 2014)
- Israeli settlers living in Ariel settlement pumped wastewater at Wadi Al-Bieer area, north of Salfit city (NBPRS 9 April 2014)
- Israeli settlers attacked and hurled stones at group of Palestinian students in At-Tawani village, east of Yatta town, south of Hebron city. Kifah Omar Abu Jundiya and Dalal Awad Zain were injured. (NBPRS 9 April 2014)

Israeli Military Orders

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) handed out military orders to demolish two commercial stores in Deir Samit village, west of Hebron city. (Wattan 9 April 2014)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) handed out 18 demolition orders to demolish 18 residential structures and 4 stop construction order for 4 residential barracks in Jabal Al-Baba area in Al-Eizariya town, east of Jerusalem city/. (Al-Quds & NBPRS 9 April 2014)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

- Israeli Occupation bulldozers razed Palestinian land in Abu Az-Zulof area, in Tarqumiya village, west of Hebron city. (RB2000 9 April 2014)

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) erected military checkpoints at the entrance of Sa'ir, Hahul, Ad-Dhahiriya, and Dura towns in Hebron governorate. The IOA stopped and searched Palestinian vehicles and checked ID cards. (Wattan 9 April 2014)

Other

- Netanyahu orders cutback in contacts with Palestinian Authority. Prime minister orders a halt to high-level contacts with Palestinians on non-security related issues, but exempts peace negotiator Livni from the ban. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu has ordered a halt to high-level contacts with the Palestinians on non-security related issues, but exempted his chief peace negotiator from the ban, government officials said on Wednesday. One Israeli official called Netanyahu's order a response to "the Palestinians' grave violation of their commitments in the framework of the peace talks" - an apparent

reference to their signing of 15 international conventions last week. The edict came a day after US Secretary of State John Kerry suggested that Israel's announcement on April 1 of plans to build about 700 housing units in East Jerusalem was the immediate cause of peace talks plunging into crisis. Another official said Israeli cabinet members, directors-general of government ministries and other senior bureaucrats would no longer be allowed to meet their counterparts in the Palestinian Authority, which exercises limited self-rule in the West Bank. Justice Minister Tzipi Livni, who heads Israel's negotiating team in the troubled US-brokered peace process, and defense and security officials could continue to engage with the Palestinians, the officials said. Palestinian Labour Minister Ahmad Majdalani, however, downplayed the significance of this decision, noting that "90% of our daily business is dealing with the Israeli military." "In fact, there are no meetings between Israeli and Palestinian ministers, apart from finance ministers," Majdalani told AFP. A Palestinian government source told AFP that it could be the beginning of the freezing of the transfer of taxes collected by Israel on behalf of the Palestinian Authority, because most of the meetings between the finance ministers addresses these taxes that are used to pay Palestinian officials. Israeli and Palestinian officials have been cooperating for years on civilian issues such as the environment, water and energy. At the weekly meeting of his cabinet on Sunday, Netanyahu pledged to retaliate for Palestinian Authority President Mahmoud Abbas's signing of the international agreements, including the Geneva Conventions covering the conduct of war and occupation. Palestinian officials said Abbas signed the conventions in response to Israel's failure to carry out a promised release of several dozen Palestinian prisoners four days earlier. They were further angered by the subsequent settlement announcement. Israel said the tender to build new houses in East Jerusalem had already been issued last year and was resubmitted because there had been no initial takers. ([Ynetnews](#) 9 April 2014)