



# 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) invaded and searched a Palestinian house in Beituniya town, south of Ramallah city. The targeted house is owned by the family of the Palestinian martyr; Ahmed Riyad Shahda. (Safa 21 July 2016)
- Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) in Umm Ash Sharait neighborhood in Ramallah city. The IOA fired teargas and stun grenades at Palestinians and their houses. (Safa 21 July 2016)

- Israeli Occupation jeeps and bulldozers staged 50 meters into the Palestinian lands, located near the border fence at the eastern part of Rafah city, south of Gaza strip. (Maannews 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation gunboats opened fire at Palestinian fishing boats while they were sailing at As Sudaniya shore, northwest of Gaza city. (Wafa 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided and searched tens of Palestinian houses in Yatta town, south of Hebron city, and questioned the residents. Two of the targeted houses are owned by: Musa Ash Shariqi and Ahmed Musa Ash Shariqi. During the operation, clashes erupted between Palestinians and the IOA, where the IOA fired teargas and stun grenades, causing tens of suffocation cases and the injury of two Palestinians. (Maannews 21 July 2016)
- Clashes erupted between Palestinians and the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) in Ar Ram town, north of Jerusalem city. The IOA fired teargas grenades and rubber bullets, causing the injury of two Palestinians. (Orient FM 21 July 2016)

### **Israeli Arrests**

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians from Ein Al Louza neighborhood in Silwan town in Jerusalem city. The arrestees were identified as: Nu'man Abu Isninah (16 years), Ahmed Abu Isninah (13 years) and Mazen Abu Isninah. (SilwanIC 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested two Palestinians from Jericho city. (Wattan 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Thabit Abu Abied after storming his house in Kafr Qud village, west of Jenin city. (Wattan 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mahmoud Hassan Al Wardiyan (40 years) and summoned Hassan Al Wardiyan, Aisd and Islam Al Wardiyan and Haroun Salah Qassem (30 years) to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police in Gush Etzion settlement bloc, after storming and searching their houses in Hindaza village, south of Bethlehem city. (Wafa 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Shadi Abed AlRaziq Badawnah (27 years) after raiding his house in Ayda refugee camp, north of Bethlehem city. (Wafa 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Ahmad Abdalla Al Masalmah (22 years), and summoned his brothers; Akram, Mohammad and Firas, Nafiz Kabarrah Al Faqeh and Hani Ismail Al Rjoub to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police, after storming their houses in Beit 'Awa town, west of Hebron city. (Wafa 21 July 2016)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Salah Barqawi (33 years) after storming and searching his house in Tulkarm city. (Wafa 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested 13 Palestinians after storming and searching their houses in Kafr Qallil village, south of Nablus city. The arrestees were identified as: Tamer Khalid Ameer, Fadi Khalid Ameer, Ahmed Waleed Ameer, Wadah Abed Al Jalil Ameer, Farouq Ameer Suliman, Yousif 'Amrit, Said Jamel Al Qani, Rami Said Al Qani, Bilal Fathi Mansour, Rabee Murjan, Jasem Farah, Mansour Fahed Ameer, and Tal'at Sayel. (Al-Quds & Wattan 21 July 2016)
- Undercover Israeli Army kidnapped Mohammad AL 'Aouri (23 years) while he was at the main road in Qalandiya refugee camp, north of Jerusalem city. (RB2000 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Adel Wasfi Rabi'a from Meithalun village, south of Jenin city, after stopping him at "Azzun Al Atma" military checkpoint, southeast of Qalqiliyah city. (Wafa 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Murad Mohammad Jadal (33 years) from Al Fureidis village, southeast of Bethlehem city, after stopping him at a sudden checkpoint erected by the IOA near Tuqu village, east of Bethlehem city. (Maannews 21 July 2016)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested Mohammad Hussam Ar Rakh (19 years) from Jenin refugee camp, west of Jenin city, after stopping him at an Israeli military checkpoint near Qalqiliyah city. (Wafa 21 July 2016)

### **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 21 July 2016)
- Israeli settlers uprooted a number of trees in Wadui Qana area, northwest of Salfit city, for the expansion of the nearby Israeli settlement. (Al-Quds 21 July 2016)

### **Expansion of settlements**

- Israeli planning and construction committee in the Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem approved the providing of significant extra building rights for the construction of thousands of housing units, commercial buildings and hotels along the light rail route and stations ( the existing and the future ones), in Jerusalem city. Head of Israel's municipal council Nir Barkat said that thousands of new housing units would be

built as part of this project, which would also expand the commercial and hotel area along the sides of the rail's routes. (PNN 21 July 2016)

## Other

- Netanyahu: Barrier in South Hebron Hills important for Israel's security. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu inspected the construction work being done on a new security barrier in the South Hebron Hills area, saying completing it was important for the country's security. The project that Netanyahu toured is a new 42-km. barrier from Meitar, near Beersheba, to Tarkumiya, west of Hebron. The new barrier, to be comprised mostly of a wall with warning mechanisms, will replace a security fence that was built there in the last decade and had many breaches in it. Netanyahu, who flew by helicopter to the site, was accompanied by Defense Minister Avigdor Liberman, Public Security Minister Gilad Erdan, Knesset Foreign Affairs and Defense Committee chairman Avi Dichter, and IDF Chief of Gen. Staff Lt.-Gen Gadi Eisenkot. Work on the project is to be completed in about a year. Liberman said that the new wall was a combination of an "iron wall and an iron fist." ([IPOST](#) 21 July 2016)