



# ARIJ Daily Report

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## Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 1 January 2017

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

- The Israeli war boats opened fire at Palestinian fishermen and their boats in Gaza Sea and north of the Gaza Strip. The Israeli soldiers forced fishermen to leave their sites . No injuries were reported. (Wafa 1 January 2017)-

### Israeli Arrests

- The Israeli Occupation Army stationed at al Container checkpoint in east Jerusalem arrested citizen Hisham Fawwaz Salah (23 years) from Al Khader village west of Bethlehem city after detaining him for some time. (Wafa 1 January 2017)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested a Jerusalemite woman, Ms. Raeda A'layan, mother of the Jerusalemite detainee Mohammad Rabah A'layan, during her entry to visit him in Galboa' Prison; she is from Issawiya town. On the other hand the judges of the Israeli District Court postponed the judgment of Manar Majdi Shweiki until 02/02/2017; it had been scheduled to rule against the girl Shweiki, however her conduct report has not been issued. (SILWANIC 1 January 2017)
- The Israeli Magistrate Court extended the arrest of the two young men Mo'ayad Bader and Nasser Obeid until 01/08/2017, and citizen Amer Zeddani until the release of his "conduct report". The judge also extended the trial of Yazan Abu Assab until 01/17/2017, till he obtains his "conduct report", and Mohammad Jouda, age 16 until the 2<sup>nd</sup> of January 2017. The Public Prosecutor submitted an indictment against the young man Yousef Falah and his detention has been extended for one more day. (SILWANIC 1 January 2017)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians from Tulkarem city near Ghashuri factories (west of Tulkarem city). The three Palestinians were identified as Suheib Sami Al Jallad (16 Years), Huthaifa Jihad Al Jallad (17 Years) and Dia' Iyad Kamel Ahmad (16 Years) and took them to unknown destination. (Shasha 1 January 2017)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians from Hebron Governorate. The IOA first raided Al Fawwar refugee camp and arrested Rani Mouhamamd Abdel Rahman (15 years). The IOA also arrested Bajes Hasan As Suweiti from Beit Awwa town west of Hebron city and Zeid Zeidan Al Rajabi from Hebron Old city. (Shasha 1 January 2017)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested three Palestinians from Ya'bad village south of Jenin city after raiding their homes. The three were identified as Fares Abu Baker (17 Years), Yousif Qusai Amarneh (18 Years) and Hazem Muhammad Salem Amarneh (19 Years). The IOA also attacked a young Palestinian citizen, Hadi Nour Ad Din Amarneh, causing injuries. (Safa 1 January 2017)

### **Israeli Settler Violence**

- Three settlers were arrested after they entered territory near Sussiya defying an IDF order banning them from the area near the Palestinian village. The settlers allegedly wrote the word “revenge” and a Star of David in stones near the village. Police arrived on the scene after the IDF, which sought to clear the settlers from the area. However, the settlers resisted IDF efforts. With a population of only 400, the Palestinian village of Sussiya has garnered international attention as it faces a demolition order from the government. ([IPOST](#) 1 January 2017).

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

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) accompanying employees of the Israeli Civil Administration raided Al Hadaf Area in Al Khader village west of Bethlehem city and notified citizen Ibrahim Suleiman Muhammad Sbeih to halt the construction of a water well which he lately built under the pretext of unlicensed building. The IOA also took over a vehicle which was transferring construction materials for the construction of the water well. (Wafa 1 January 2017).

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

- The Israeli occupation Authorities (IOA) confiscated 35 dunums of Aboud village lands in Ramallah Governorate for security purposes. (Raya 1 January 2017)

### **Erection of Outposts**

- A number of Israeli settlers are trying to establish a new settlement outpost on lands of Deir Al Hatab village east of Nablus city north of the occupied West Bank. Settlers added new mobile caravans in the area known as “Ras Al Ein” east of the village, near Alon Moreh settlement. The caravans were added in close proximity of a new bypass road that was constructed few months ago on lands of the village. (Safa 1 January 2017)

### **Israeli Closures**

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) closed Atara military checkpoint north of Ramallah city and started inspecting Palestinian vehicles and interrogating citizens. (Safa 1 January 2017)

### **Other**

- The Israeli Security Cabinet decided not to return the bodies of Hamas affiliated Palestinians who were killed during the latest uprising (since October 2015) and that the bodies would instead be buried in a cemetery for “enemy dead” as reported. ([INN](#) 1 January 2017)
- As part of the 2017-2018 budget, the Israeli government is set to spend 12 billion NIS to give northern Israel a facelift. Interior Minister Aryeh Deri (Shas) and Finance Minister Moshe Kahlon (Kulanu) have proposed a plan outlining changes for the north, including upgrading schools, and building a light rail train between Haifa and Nazareth. The Jewish National Fund will also help to fund the projects, investing 3 billion NIS. 600 million NIS will be invested in tourism, productivity grants for local small and medium businesses, and bringing financial services companies to the region. 12 billion NIS will be invested in infrastructure, including expanding Haifa's Metronit bus system to include nearby areas, building a light rail train line from Nazareth to Haifa. The money will also be invested in improving the local health care system building hospital wards, expanding academic institutions, funding informal education programs, constructing new schools, lengthening school hours, and paving and widening interchanges and roads. ([INN](#) 1 January 2017)