



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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Israeli Arrests

- Israeli border police detained a 17-year-old Palestinian girl at a checkpoint near the Ibrahimi Mosque in the southern occupied West Bank Governorate of Hebron. The Girl is from the Hebron-area village of Taffuh. (Maannews 31 May 2017)
- The Israeli police detained four Palestinian citizens, who work as musaharatis (Ramadan predawn drummers or wakers) in the Old City of Occupied Jerusalem. The four Musaharatis were held for several hours in al-Qishla police station before they were released. An Israeli

police officer claimed they disturbed Jewish settlers living in a Muslim neighborhood of the Old City and threatened to arrest them again if they continued to wake up the Muslim residents living near the settlers' house. (PALINFO 31 May 2017)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Tens of Israeli settlers stormed the Wadi Hilweh neighborhood of Silwan south of the Al-Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem early morning, shouting insults at local Palestinians and vandalizing vehicles. Israeli police officers and vehicles standing by as the crowd marched through the streets in the early predawn hours, to commemorate the Jewish holiday of Shavuot, which began on Tuesday and ends on Thursday. Dozens of Israeli settlers were shouting insults at Palestinian residents, throwing rocks at houses, and smashing the windows of cars parked on the streets. Israeli police raided the nearby al-Sawana neighborhood, east of the Old City, and detained three Palestinian youths. (Maannews 31 May 2017)
- More than 150 Israeli settlers forced their way into the holy site through al-Magharibah Gate under tight protection of several groups of Israeli soldiers and special police forces. The settlers carried out provocative tours in various parts of the Mosque's yards in total provocation to Palestinian worshipers. The settlers' provocative tours came as Jewish groups called yesterday for mass break-ins into the holy shrine during Jewish holidays. Israeli police forces intensified since the morning hours their presence throughout the occupied city to provide protection for the settlers' break-ins. (PALINFO 31 May 2017)