



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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Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army

- Israeli occupation Army (IOA) removed a stone plaque in the southern occupied West Bank, between the illegal settlement of Kiryat Arba and the city of Hebron, memorializing a teen Palestinian girl who was shot dead by the IOA in 2015, for the second time. The plaque, which states that the street was renamed after 17-year-old Bayan al-Esseili, had previously been removed in April as part of what the Israeli army called at the time “ongoing efforts against incitement.” (Maannews 6 June 2017)

- Violent clashes broke out between local young Palestinian men and Israeli soldiers on the main road of Nabi Elias village, east of Qalqilya city in the occupied West Bank. Israeli troops erected barriers on the road and clashed with the youths. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) carried out a limited incursion into eastern and northern border areas of the Gaza Strip and embarked on bulldozing lands. Several bulldozers escorted by tanks infiltrated into a border area east of Juhor ad-Dik Governorate in central Gaza and embarked on leveling and digging lands near the security fence, which separates Gaza from the Negev. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)
- Israeli armored vehicles advanced a few meters into Jabalia in northern Gaza and carried out bulldozing activities along the security fence before heading for Juhor ad-Dik area in the east. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)
- Three Palestinians were injured in clashes that erupted in the flashpoints with Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) east of Gaza Strip. Two youths were wounded after IO soldiers showered the protesters with gunfire east of Jabalya town in the northern Gaza Strip. A third man was shot and injured in the Israeli shooting at demonstrations that broke out east of Rafah. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)
- Israeli police along with municipality teams broke into a commercial shop in Wadi al-Joz neighborhood in occupied Jerusalem. The police threatened the owner to raze parts of his shop under the claim of lacking a construction permit. The police gave, Mustafa Abu Zahra, the owner, until the evening to dismantle the external part of his shop. Otherwise, it will be razed on his expense. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)

Israeli Arrests

- Israeli court extended the detention of Sbeih Abu Sbeih, the son of Mesbah Abu Sbeih who was killed by Israeli gunfire for an alleged anti-occupation attack, for eight days pending investigation. Sbeih, was arrested when Israeli police forces violently stormed his family house in occupied Jerusalem. Sbeih's brother Ezzedine Abu Sbeih was also arrested late last month at a military checkpoint erected in Hazma town north of the occupied city. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Beit Ummer town north of Hebron city, raided the house of Issa Safi As Sleibi and caused destruction to part of the house. During the raid, the IOA arrested the three brothers, Muhammad Issa Safi As Sleibi, 32, Alaa Issa Safi As Sleibi, 25, and Khaled Issa Safi As Sleibi, 15. The IOA also summoned

Issa's wife and his daughter in-law (Alaa's wife) for interrogation at the Gush Etzion detention center. (SAFA 6 June 2017)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) arrested citizen Hussein Muhammad Odeh Bahr, 20, from Beit Ummer town north of Hebron city. (SAFA 6 June 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) summoned Bilal Hamdi Abu Maria, 30, and Kareem Hamdi Abu Maria, 17, from Beit Ummer town north of Hebron city, for interrogation at the Gush Etzion detention center. (SAFA 6 June 2017) (SAFA 6 June 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Wadi Um Ali area in Bethlehem city and arrested Fadi Sameer RashedMusa,22. (SAFA 6 June 2017)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Wadi Shaheen area in Bethlehem city and arrested Hasan Salameh An Nawawreh, 26. (SAFA 6 June 2017)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Dozens of Jewish settlers stormed Awarta village, southeast of Nablus in the occupied West Bank, to perform rituals at historical tombs. Vehicles boarded by settlers entered the village after midnight under military guard and drove to the area of tombs, where they performed rituals for about an hour and then left towards the illegal settlement of Itamar. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)
- 148 of Israeli settlers escorted by policemen, broke into al-Aqsa Mosque via Bab Al Magharba (Al Mughrabi Gate) and performed sacrilegious rituals, sparking tension at the site. (PALINFO 4 June 2017).

Erection of Israeli checkpoints

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed a number of mobile homes near Huwwara military checkpoint to the south of the northern West Bank Governorate of Nablus. Several trucks carrying mobile homes arrived to the checkpoint for unknown reasons. (PALINFO 6 June 2017)

Other

- The Senate on Monday unanimously passed a resolution marking the 50th anniversary of the reunification of Jerusalem during the 1967 Six Day War. The resolution, which passed by a 90-0 vote, calls on President Donald Trump to "abide by" a 1995 law which stipulates that the U.S.

Embassy in Israel would move from Tel Aviv to Jerusalem. It says that "Jerusalem should remain the undivided capital of Israel in which the rights of every ethnic and religious group are protected." It adds that "Jerusalem is a holy city and the home for people of the Jewish, Muslim and Christian faiths" and advocates a two-state outcome based on direct negotiations between Israelis and Palestinian Arabs. Senate Majority Leader Mitch McConnell did not mention the embassy in a Monday floor speech calling for support of the resolution, noted *The Washington Examiner*. "In honor of this significant anniversary for our close ally, many Senators from both sides of the aisle are joining together in a resolution to mark the occasion today," McConnell said. "While we know that Israel continues to face a number of threats, bipartisan passage of this resolution will serve as yet another indication of the United States' commitment to standing by our Israeli friends," he added. The 1995 law called for the President to move the embassy to Jerusalem by May 31, 1999, or else issue a waiver every six months delaying the move. Trump, who promised to move the embassy to Jerusalem during his presidential campaign, last week signed the presidential waiver delaying the move by another six months. Before Trump, former President Barack Obama had signed the waiver in December. Despite the signing, however, White House press secretary **clarified to reporters** on Friday that Trump still intends to move the embassy to Jerusalem and that the move is a question of "when" and not "if ". On Sunday, the United States Ambassador to the UN, Nikki Haley, echoed those comments, telling *CNN* that Trump still intends to move the embassy to Jerusalem, but he believes that such a move could be a part of the peace initiative he is promoting. ([INN](#) 6 June 2017)