



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) raided and “wreaked havoc” on Qabatiya town in the northern occupied West Bank Governorate of Jenin where they searched two homes of Palestinians. The two Palestinian are identified as Yousif Khaled Kmail and Mohammed Zeyad Abu al-Rob. A day earlier, the IOA raided the family homes of Kmail and al-Rob in Qabatiya, and proceeded to photograph the houses -- seemingly in preparation for punitive demolition -- “before wreaking havoc and tampering with their contents,” Wafa reported.

The IOA assaulted the Palestinians' family members, subjected them to interrogations, and threatened to take punitive measures against them. Clashes erupted at the entrance of Qabatiya during the raids, where Israeli forces used rubber-coated steel bullets, tear gas canisters, and stun grenades against residents. (Maannews 7 October 2017)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stationed along Gaza borders with Israel fired rubber-coated steel bullets and tear gas canisters at a group of Palestinians present near the borders to the east of the town of Jabalia, causing various wounds to at least four youths. (Wafa 7 October 2017)
- A 17-year-old Palestinian was struck by a live bullet in the foot during clashes that broke out in al-Burij refugee camp. (Wafa 7 October 2017)

Israeli Arrests

- In the village of Wadi Rahhal in southern Bethlehem, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained 17-year-old Nour al-Din al-Faghuri after raiding and searching his family home. Israeli forces also confiscated his father's vehicle. (Maannews 7 October 2017)
- In Bethlehem city, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Imad Ali Shweiki, 45, from the al-Saff Street in the center of the city after searching his house for his son, former prisoner Muhammad Shweiki. (Maannews 7 October 2017)
- In the Jenin Governorate of the northern West Bank, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided the Rummana village, where they set up a flying checkpoint inside the village, searching and holding residents as they passed through, interrogating several youths. No detentions were reported. (Maannews 7 October 2017)
- Israeli occupying Army (IOA) arrested Anas Adnan Hamarsheh (17 years old), a high school student, after storming the village of Yabed, southwest of Jenin, and raiding and searching his family's house. (Wafa 7 October 2017)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) arrested Nasser Nassar Ali al-Jundi, 44, from Yatta, at a military checkpoint that was set up by the IOA at the entrance of al-Fawwar refugee camp. The IOA arrested al-Jundi after searching the vehicle he was traveling in and checking the ID cards of the passengers. (Wafa 7 October 2017)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) arrested Sanad Mohammed Mahmoud Khader Estiti from Jenin refugee camp at a sudden military checkpoint while he was on his way to work in Ramallah. (Wafa 7 October 2017)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Israeli occupation Army (IOA) announced that the majority of roads that link the occupied West Bank cities of Ramallah and Nablus would be closed until the noon hours, in order to secure the area for a marathon organized by Israeli settlers. The IOA Deployed heavily in the area and closed the main roads linking the central and northern West Bank, preventing Palestinian movement in the area. Palestinian vehicles were forced to take alternative detours through neighboring villages in order to reach their homes and workplaces. (Maannews 7 October 2017)
- Israeli Settlers from Yitzhar settlement attacked olive pickers in the village of Huwwara, south of Nablus. (WAFA 7 October 2017)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) attacked Abu Nawar Bedioun community in East Jerusalem, demolished the doors of the newly established school in the community and confiscated building tools before leaving the area. (WAFA 7 October 2017)

Israeli Closures

- Israel is going to shut down its main crossing with Gaza, the Beit Hanoun/Erez crossing, for four days starting Wednesday as the Jewish week-long Sukkot holiday winds down. The crossing is going to be open on Sunday through Tuesday until seven in the evening and only for those returning to Gaza and it will be shut down from Wednesday to reopen again next Sunday for travellers in both directions. Israel usually shuts down the Gaza crossing during Jewish holidays while it imposes total closure on the occupied West Bank banning Palestinians from crossing the checkpoints that lead to Israel. (WAFA 7 October 2017)