



ARIJ Daily Report

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the oPt 4 September 2019

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.

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Israeli Arrests

- Israeli soldiers abducted, Wednesday, at least ten Palestinians, mainly former political prisoners, from their homes in several parts of the occupied West Bank, the Palestinian Prisoners' Society (PPS) has reported. The PPS office in Nablus, in northern West Bank, said the soldiers abducted five former political prisoners, identified as Abdul-Karim Majed Halabi, Nafe' Ahmad Salah, Rami Ayman Abu Hdeib, Mo'taz Jouda and Mosab Tawfiq al-Hindi. In Bethlehem, the soldiers abducted Riyadh Talal al-'Amour and Mousa Mahmoud al-Amour, in addition to a former political prisoner, identified as Anas Ismael Nawawra. In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the soldiers abducted Hatem Tayeh Shalalda, from Sa'ir town, and Ahmad Omar Abu Sabha from Yatta. In addition, the soldiers invaded the home of a Palestinian legislator, identified as Riyadh Raddad, in Saida village, near Tulkarem, and violently searched it. Furthermore, the soldiers invaded al-Am'ari refugee camp, in the central West Bank governorate of Ramallah, and surrounded an under-construction home, before firing at local youngsters, protesting the invasion. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday evening, two Palestinians in the towns of al-'Isawiya and Silwan, in occupied East Jerusalem. The Wadi Hilweh Information Center in Silwan (Silwanic) has reported that the soldiers abducted a man, identified as Mohammad Mousa Mheisin, in his fifties, while standing in front of a shop in al-'Isawiya. Silwanic added that the soldiers also abducted a young man, identified as Yazan Siyam, after invading his home in Wadi Hilweh neighborhood in Silwan. In related news, dozens of soldiers invaded al-'Isawiya after an Israeli bus driver accidentally drove into the town while heading to an illegal Israeli colony, and accompanied the bus out of the town. The army also stopped many young men in the town, and harassed them while investigating their ID cards. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

Israeli Settler Violence

- A group of fanatic illegal Israeli colonialist settlers installed, Tuesday, a large tent in Tal Romeida Palestinian neighborhood in Hebron city, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, to welcome Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, who intends to conduct a provocative visit to the city, Wednesday. The colonists installed the tent in the Palestinian neighborhood, which falls under full Israeli military control, to receive Netanyahu, who will be touring in the occupied city as part of his reelection campaign ahead of the Knesset elections on the 17th of this month. Tal Romeida is a historic and archeological area, located northwest of the Ibrahimi Mosque, where Israel also built the illegal Ramat Yishai colony on Palestinian land in the Old City. Ramat Yishai is one of four outposts in the Old City of Hebron; Beit Hadassah in the barricaded Shuhada Street, Beit Romano which was installed in Osama Bin al-Monqith School for Boys, located at the entrances of the Old City and the Shuhada Street, and Avraham Avino, which was installed in the closed Fruits and Vegetables Market in the Sahla Street. In related news, an armed Israeli colonist fired many live rounds at Palestinians selling fruits and vegetables at a junction between Burqa and Bazaria towns, north of Nablus, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The attack did not lead to casualties but forced the Palestinians to leave in fear of further assaults and violations. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- The Israeli authorities in occupied Jerusalem forced, Tuesday, a Palestinian from Silwan town to demolish the rooftop of his commercial structure, which was destroyed by the City Council two days ago. Media sources said the Palestinian, identified as Ma'moun Jalajel, had to demolish the rooftop at his own expense, to avoid the excessively high fines and penalties, in addition to the exaggerated costs of demolition if the city carries it out using its workers and machines. On Sunday evening, the Palestinian demolished the foundation of his property after receiving an order for its destruction from the City Council, for installing it without a permit. A month earlier, the Jalajel received an administrative demolition order, and was instructed to head to the City Council to pay fines, and he did so to avoid the destruction of his 30 square/meter property which he built two months ago. Jalajel stated that he built the property with a concrete floor, poles, in addition to reinforced sheet metal

and bricks, before he was ordered to demolish it. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)

Confiscation & Razing of lands

- The Israeli authorities in the occupied West Bank, issued three orders for the illegal annexation of Palestinian lands in Beit Jala city, Teqoua' and Rashayda towns, in Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied Jerusalem in the West Bank. Hasan Breijiyya, the coordinator of the Wall and Colonization Commission in Bethlehem, said the first Israeli order targets Palestinian lands in Basin 2 of the al-Makhrour area Beit Jala, west of Bethlehem, and are owned by residents from Beit Jala and al-Khader. Breijiyya added that Israel wants to confiscate lands in that area to expand colonialist bypass road #60, linking between occupied Jerusalem and Gush Etzion colony, south of Bethlehem, which effectively means annexing hundreds of Dunams of Palestinian agricultural lands. The second order targets lands in the Rashayda village, east of Bethlehem, and aims at expanding Maali Amos illegal colony. The third order targets lands owned by the Palestinians in Teqoua' village, east of Bethlehem, and aims at expanding Nokdim illegal colony. Israel's colonies in the occupied West Bank, including those in and around Jerusalem, are illegal under International Law and the Fourth Geneva Convention. (IMEMC 4 September 2019)