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- Dozens of Israeli soldiers, accompanying several buses of colonialist settlers, invaded Joseph's Tomb area, east of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, before the army fired gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at Palestinian protesters, wounding two. Media sources in Nablus said the army accompanied many buses filled with Israeli colonialist settlers, and sealed the entire area, preventing the Palestinians from entering it. They added that many Palestinian youngsters hurled stones at the invading vehicles, while the army fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs. Media sources said one Palestinian was shot with a rubber-coated steel bullet in his face, and another young man was shot with a similar round in his right thigh. Both were rushed to hospitals in Nablus city, while medics provided treatment to several Palestinians who suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Batn al-Hawa neighborhood, and at-Tira, in Ramallah, and searched several homes. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession against the Annexation Wall and Colonies, in Kufur Qaddoum village, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, wounding four young Palestinian men. The procession marks the eighth year of protests, demanding the army to reopen the town's main road, which was blockaded sixteen years ago, to enable easy access for illegal Israeli colonialist settlers, driving to and from "Kedumim" settlement. The IOA

resorted to the excessive use of force against the protesters, and fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs. Four young men were shot with rubber-coated steel bullets, and several Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 5 July 2019)

- At least 41 Palestinians were injured by Israeli live bullets or rubber-coated rounds today as Israeli occupation Army (IOA) attacked thousands of protesters taking part in the weekly Great March of Return at Gaza-Israel border. The IOA manning the separation fence fired live bullets and rubber-coated steel rounds at the protesters who gathered at many encampments along the border, injuring 22 protesters by live bullets and 19 others by rubber-coated rounds. (Wafa 5 July 2019)
- Thousands of protesters took part in the weekly Great March of Return, at Israel's so-called security fence, bordering Gaza. 95 people were injured by Israeli occupation Army (IOA), including 33 children, 1 journalist, and 4 women, one of which was a volunteer medic. (IMEMC 6 July 2019)
- The Palestinian center for Human Rights (PCHR) has documented that Israeli occupation Army (IOA) soldiers have killed 207 Palestinians, including 44 children, 2 women and 9 Palestinians with special needs, in addition to 4 medics and 2 journalists, since March 30th, 2018. The PCHR added that the number of wounded Palestinians is 13053, including 2638 children, 398 women, 214 medics and 203 journalists. (IMEMC 6 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly nonviolent procession against the Annexation Wall and Colonies in Ni'lin village, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, causing several injuries. The locals, accompanied by Israeli and international peace activists, marched from the village, heading to their lands, isolated behind the illegal Annexation Wall. The IOA fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at the protesters, causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 6 July 2019)
- A Palestinian man was shot and severely wounded by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stationed at the Salem military roadblock near Jenin, in northern West Bank. The man is in his fifties, and after he was shot in the lower extremities, before he was taken into custody by the army. No injuries were reported among the soldiers. Following the shooting, the IOA shut down the roadblock, leaving hundreds of Palestinians stranded, with no way to reach their destinations in the northern West Bank. (Wafa, 9 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained several Palestinian journalists while documenting Israeli settlers bulldozing and uprooting Palestinian lands, east of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Hamza Khattab, a multimedia professional working with the Wafa Palestinian News Agency was detained along with Wafa camerawoman Samar Bader, in addition to several other reporters from various news agencies. Khattab and his colleagues, were documenting Israeli settlers bulldozing and uprooting Palestinian lands in the al-Baq'a area, east of Hebron. The IOA invaded the area, and attacked many Palestinians, before detaining him and several other journalists, and released them later. The army claimed that the area was a "closed military zone," although they were on Palestinian lands. (MEMC, 9 July 2019)
- A Palestinian was shot and injured by Israeli forces' fire near Salem military camp to the west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin. Israeli forces opened fire at an unidentified Palestinian in his 50s while he was present near the said checkpoint. He was transferred to a hospital inside Israel. (MEMC 09 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) confiscated a bulldozer working on the rehabilitation of an agricultural land in Kufr Qaddum village, east of Qalqilia, the occupied West Bank. The IOA confiscated a bulldozer belonging to Suhaib Jamal while he was working on rehabilitating an agricultural land belonging to one of the village residents in the north-eastern part of the village. (Wafa 09 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) has killed 16 Palestinian children from the Gaza Strip during the first term of 2019. Some 1,233 Palestinian children were injured while participating in the Great March of Return, and 17 others were detained. The recorded data pointed to an increase in the number of killed and injured children, as well as in the number of detentions. (MEMC 10 July, 2019)
- A group of Israeli occupation army detained Palestinian municipal employees in the village of Beit Fourik, in the northern West Bank, and seized several vehicles used for trash collection. The vehicles that were seized include a garbage truck, a tractor used for hauling garbage and a third vehicle used in trash collection. The vehicles were loaded with garbage and were headed to a landfill site east of the village, located near Nablus in the northern West Bank, when they were detained by IOA in military vehicles. The IOA approached with weapons drawn and ordered the municipal employees out of their vehicles, then held them for several

hours in the hot sun, and took the vehicles away to an unknown location. This trash collection by the municipality is a daily collection, and this is the first time they have been harassed by the IOA. The trash dump is located in Area B of the West Bank, which is administered by the Palestinian Authority but falls under Israeli military rule. The village council was not informed by the army that it would no longer be allowed to dump there. (IMEMC 10 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) killed a young Palestinian man, east of Beit Hanoun, in the northern part of the Gaza Strip. The Palestinian was shot while trying to prevent protesters from approaching the perimeter fence. The IOA shot and seriously injured Mahmoud Ahmad al-Adham, 28, east of Beit Hanoun, and added that the young man succumbed to his injuries. He was one of many “Field Control” officers, stationed near the perimeter fence to prevent Palestinian protesters from approaching the perimeter fence with Israel as part of understandings to avoid escalation. The IOA also fired several live rounds at field control post, east of Rafah, in southern Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and officers stormed Wad Yasoul neighborhood in Silwan town, in Jerusalem, and attacked many Palestinians, in addition to removing Palestinian flags. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) accompanied by workers of the Jerusalem City Council, invaded many streets in the al-’Isawiya town, before attacking many Palestinians, and removed Palestinian flags in addition to poster of Mohammad Samir Obeid, 21, who was killed by the army on June 27<sup>th</sup>. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided and searched a Palestinian home in al-Shuyoukh village to the north of Hebron in the south of the occupied West Bank, completely destroying its furniture. The IOA raided and searched several of homes in al-Shuyoukh village, one of which belonged to No’man al-Hasasneh, whose house was completely destroyed, including the windows and doors. (Wafa 11 July 2019)
- A Palestinian man succumbed to wounds he sustained after being shot by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) along the borderline area to the east of Beit Hanoun in the north of the Gaza Strip. The IOA also opened fire at a

group of Palestinians, shooting and injuring Mahmoud al-Adham, 28, who died hours later from gunshot wounds. (Wafa 11 July 2019)

- A Palestinian citizen was injured after he was shot by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stationed at the borderline to the east of Beit Hanoun in the north of the Gaza Strip. The IOA opened fire at several Palestinians resulting in one getting injury. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) opened fire towards farmers and shepherds to the east of Khan Younis, south of the Gaza Strip, without causing any injuries. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli navy attacked fishermen and their boats as they were sailing six nautical miles off al-Sudaniya area, northwest of Gaza city. The attack resulted in damage to the fishing boats but no human injuries were reported.
- Two Palestinian boys were injured in the leg from live bullets fired by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) during a raid of Dheisheh refugee camp on an arrest campaign. The IOA raided the camp to arrest Sami Jaafari, 33, and after breaking into his home, confrontations broke out with the camp's young residents. The IOA opened fire at the protesters injuring two in the leg with live bullets. (Wafa 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot and seriously injured a Palestinian child, during the weekly nonviolent procession in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of Qalqilia, in northern West Bank. The IOA Attacked the protesters with live fire, rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs and concussion grenades, while many protesters responded by throwing stones at them. The child, identified as Yasser Eshteiwi, 10, was shot with a live round in the head and remains in a critical condition due to his gunshot wound to the head. The IOA also invaded the town, and ambushed the protesters, in addition to trying to abduct some of them. (IMEMC 12 July, 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot and seriously injured a Palestinian child, during the weekly nonviolent procession in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of Qalqilia, in northern West Bank. The IOA attacked the protesters with live fire, rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs and concussion grenades. The injured Palestinian child was seriously injured in his head. (Wafa, IMEMC 12 July 2019)

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- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly nonviolent procession against the Annexation Wall and Colonies in Ni'lin village, east of Ramallah, in central West Bank, causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 12 July 2019)
- At least 34 Palestinians were injured by live bullets and many others by rubber-coated rounds when the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked thousands of protesters taking part in the weekly Great March of Return at Gaza-Israel border. ( WAFSA 12 July 2019)
- Dozens of local Palestinians, accompanied by Israeli and international peace activists, held a nonviolent procession, against the ongoing and escalating illegal Israeli colonialist activities, including the occupation of homes, in Silwan town, south of the Al-Aqsa Mosque, in occupied East Jerusalem. The protest started at the entrance of Silwan town, and headed towards a home, owned by Siyam Palestinian family, which was removed from its property, two days ago, and replaced with colonialist settlers. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and the police, attacked the nonviolent protests, and pushed them around, to disperse them. (IMEMC 12 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot a young Palestinian man near Beit Lahia town, in the northern part of the Gaza Strip, and fired many live rounds at fishermen, and at an observation post near Gaza city and Khan Younis. The IOA , stationed across the perimeter fence near Beit Lahia, fired many live rounds at the Palestinian, and injured him before moving him to an unknown destination. Furthermore, the IOA fired several live rounds at an observation post, east of Khan Younis, in southern Gaza. The post is near the an-Najjar neighborhood, east of Khuza'a town, east of Khan Younis. In addition, Israeli navy ships fired several live rounds, and used water cannons, targeting Palestinian fishing boats, in Gaza Sea. (IMEMC 12 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot a Palestinian child in the head with live ammunition during a protest against settlement expansion in the West Bank town of Kafr Qaddum, Palestine. The child was identified as Abdul Rahman Yasser Shteiwi. The scan of the boy's brain showed over 100 bullet fragments lodged in his head as the bullet fired at Abdul was a live round. (IMEMC 14 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation police raided Bab Ar Rahmah prayer site in occupied Jerusalem, removed the worshipers and its contents. The IOP removed the wooden barriers to separate the men from the women inside

the praying area and the shoe cupboard, and placed them several meters away. (IMEMC 14 July 2019)

- Palestinian residents of the southern West Bank town of Beit Ummar confronted Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) who stormed into the town. After the IOA broke into the town. The IOA fired Palestinians with a heavy barrage of teargas and rubber-coated metal bullets, causing several suffocation cases which were treated on the location. (Wafa IMEMC 14 July 2019)
- The Israeli police raided and removed contents of Bab al-Rahma prayer area inside the compound of Al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem's Old City (Wafa 15 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) invaded the Office of the Governorate of Jerusalem in Qalandiya refugee camp and assaulted the employees, injuring the director of the office, Zakaria Filah. (Maannews 15 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) opened fire on fishing boats near AL-Sudania, Gaza. The shooting took place three miles away in the fishing zone, but no casualties were reported. (MAAN, 15 July, 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) breached the Gaza border and razed agricultural lands to the east of Rafah in the south. A number of military vehicles infiltrated about 100 meters into Palestinian-owned lands near the Gaza borderline, razed land and built sand barricades along the border amidst intense shooting in the area. (Wafa, 15 July, 2019)
- Nasser Majed Taqatqa, 31, who has been held in solitary confinement in the Israeli prison of Nitzan in the city of Ramleh, central Israel, was declared dead today. He was detained on June 19, which was his first arrest, and was held in detention and was still undergoing interrogation when he was declared dead for reasons that are still unknown. (Wafa 16 July 2019)
- A young man from the city of Taiba was seriously wounded in the middle of the night near the Jabara military checkpoint near the city of Tulkarm, after the Israeli soldiers shot him. (MAANNEWS 16 July 2019)
- A Palestinian detainee from Beit Fajjar town, south of the West Bank city of Bethlehem, died in solitary confinement in Nitzan Israeli Prison. The detainee, Nasser Majed Taqatqa, 31, was taken prison by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) on June 19 2019, and has been under interrogation since then. This was his first arrest by the army. The death of Taqatqa brings the number of detainees, who were killed or died in Israeli prisons since 1967, to 220. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)



- Israeli police raided the East Jerusalem town of Issawiyeh to remove flags of Palestine and Palestinian factions. An Israeli police stormed Issawiyeh and took down the Palestine flags and flags of Palestinian factions hoisted on electricity poles and walls. The move came less than three weeks after Israeli police killed a resident, identified as Mohammad Samir Obeid, 20, during confrontations. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Ad Dhahriya town south of Hebron and search the house of Hisham Ibrahim Al Huwareen. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque and took a position at the entrance of Bab al-Rahma chapel, while Israeli settlers renewed their incursions into the mosque. Member of the Israeli Intelligence Police took a position at the stairs leading to the chapel of Bab al-Rahma. Prior to this incident, two Israeli police members toured inside Bab al-Rahma chapel wearing their shoes provoking the feelings of worshipers. Additionally, 36 Israeli settlers and 7 Yeshivah students stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque, through the Mugrabi Gate, amid tight police escort. (Maannews 17 July 2019)
- The autopsy results in the death of Nassar Taqatqa, 31, from Beit Fajjar town, south of the West Bank city of Bethlehem, revealed that he died due to extreme torture and abuse by Israeli interrogators and soldiers. The detainee was constantly tortured during interrogation in Majeddo Israeli prison. Taqatqa was detained on June 19<sup>th</sup>, 2019, after the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded his home in Beit Fajjar town, and was transferred to the al-Maskobiyya interrogation facility in occupied Jerusalem. The detainee was later transferred to the al-Jalama interrogation facility, where he was interrogated and tortured again, and started suffering from serious complications due to physical and psychological abuse. Sworn testimonies provided by Palestinian detainees who saw Taqatqa, said that he was forced into solitary confinement in Majeddo prison, where he was once again tortured and restrained in a bed. On July 11<sup>th</sup>, the administration in Majeddo refused to remove him from solitary confinement, and place him with other detainees, under the pretext of him being punished. On July 14<sup>th</sup>, he was moved to an Israeli hospital in al-Ramla due to serious deterioration in his health, and on July 16<sup>th</sup>, Israel announced his death in a solitary confinement cell in Nitzan (al-Ramla) prison. (PPS, IMEMC 18 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young Palestinian man allegedly after he breached the perimeter fence, in the northern part of the

Gaza Strip. The young Palestinian man was moved to an interrogation facility. (IMEMC 18 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded many areas in Hebron city, especially Abu Sneina neighborhood and Wad al-Harya, in addition to the al-Fawwar refugee camp, south of Hebron. (IMEMC 18 July 2019)
- At least 22 Palestinians, including journalists, were injured with rubber-coated rounds today by Israeli occupation Army (IOA), during the weekly anti-settlements protest in the village of Kafr Qaddum in the northern West Bank. The IOA attacked the protesters by rubber-coated rounds, injuring 22 protesters and causing many cases of suffocation from gas inhalation. (Wafa 19 July 2019)
- At least 100 Palestinians were injured by live bullets or rubber-coated rounds as Israeli forces attacked thousands of protesters taking part in the weekly Great March of Return at Gaza-Israel border. They injured 50 protesters by live bullets and 52 others by rubber-coated rounds. (Wafa 19 July 2019)
- Ayat Arqawi, a journalist, was injured and many others suffocated from teargas when the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked Palestinians taking part in a rally protesting the planned demolition of hundreds of apartments in the Jerusalem neighborhood of Wadi al-Hummus. (Wafa, IMEMC 20 July 2019)
- Israeli occupation army (IOA) has again attacked Palestinians taking part in the weekly “Great March of Return” rallies, injuring 98 Gazan protesters. 49 of the injured protesters had sustained bullet wounds from Israeli live fire. Four paramedics were also among the wounded. Israeli troops have killed at least 305 Palestinians since the beginning of the rallies and wounded nearly 18,000 others. (IMEMC 21 July 2019)
- Israeli occupation army (IOA) stormed the town of Issawiya and raided the secondary school of Issawiya after breaking the locks of its main door and dropping flags and banners on its walls and the image of the martyr Mohammed Obaid. Moreover, the IOA used live bullets during the incursion into the town. They fired indiscriminately. The bullets broke the windows of the Ajlouni family's houses and damaged some furniture and walls. (Maannews 21 July 2019)
- A journalist was injured and many others suffocated from teargas when Israeli occupation Army (IOA) attacked Palestinians taking part in a rally protesting the planned demolition of hundreds of apartments in the

Jerusalem neighborhood of Wadi al-Hummus. Ayat Arqawi, who works as a photojournalist with APA agency, was hit and injured by a gas canister in her pelvis. Meanwhile, several protesters sustained suffocation from gas inhalation, including Minister Walid Assaf, the chairman of the Colonization and Wall Resistance Commission. (IMEMC 21 July 2019)

- Dozens of Palestinians, including a paramedic, were injured during clashes that erupted with Israeli occupation army (IOA) in the occupied East Jerusalem neighborhood of al-Issawiyeh. Moreover, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked its medical staff and prevented them from moving the injured to the hospital, noting that a paramedic was injured with a rubber-coated steel bullet in the belly. (Wafa 22 July 2019)
- Several Palestinians protesting the Israeli demolition of homes in Sur Baher neighborhood of occupied East Jerusalem were injured today after Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked them. The attack came as Israeli bulldozers continued to demolish Palestinian buildings in Wadi al-Hummus area in Sur Baher. The IOA, which cordoned off the area since the early morning hours, used force to evacuate residents of the buildings slated for demolition using pepper spray and sound bombs to quell owners of the home. The IOA also fired concussion bombs on people attempting to reach the area causing several cases of suffocation. (Wafa 22 July 2019)
- Four Palestinians, including a journalist, were shot and injured by Israeli occupation army (IOA) along the Gaza-Israel border fence to the east of Gaza City. The Palestinians were protesting the Israeli siege of the Gaza border when the IOA stationed on the Israeli side of the border opened fire at them injuring some. (Wafa, 22 July 2019)
- Two Palestinian families lost their homes in unprecedented mass demolitions in East Jerusalem carried out by 900 Israeli occupation Army (IOA) who hospitalized Palestinians and ISMs in a sadistic and brutal eviction operation. During the invasion of the two occupied buildings Israeli border police shot Palestinians at close range with rubber-coated steel bullets and kicked them down flights of stairs. ISMs were stamped on, dragged across the floor by the hair, strangled with a scarf and pepper sprayed by Israeli border police. The International Solidarity Movement activists, Bethany Rielly, 25, Beatrice-Lily Richardson, 27, Chris Lorigan, 30, and Gabriella Jones, 20, were carrying out a non-violent action by sitting in the house of Palestinian Ismail Obeide with 30 locals in the Wadi al-Hummus neighbourhood of Sur Baher, in an attempt to delay the

demolition. 12 Palestinians were also hospitalized after being kicked in the back down flights of stairs and two were illegally shot at close range with rubber-coated steel bullets. At around 3am yesterday morning 900 hundred IOA were bussed to the area with trucks of demolition equipment to bulldoze three Palestinian apartment blocks, including an unfinished block which they spent 15 hours rigging with dynamite. At around 5am they smashed down the door of Mr Obeide's house. He was standing in the doorway holding his hands out in disbelief when dozens of IOA invaded his home immediately pepper spraying him in the face. They used excessive force, seemingly with enjoyment, whilst firing tear gas into the enclosed space and brutalising Palestinians and international activists. The four British nationals were sitting in a small unventilated bathroom with the door closed when an IOA opened the door and threw in a tear gas canister. (IMEMC 23 July 2019)

- Eight Israeli military vehicles staged into dozens of meters of agricultural land near the eastern border of Jabalya town in the northern Gaza Strip. The Israeli incursion was also accompanied by razing of land and erecting a number of earth mounds amid fire shooting and smoke bombs to cover the incursion into the targeted area. (WAFSA 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) invaded Jenin refugee camp, and shot a young Palestinian man, identified as Ehab Sharif Abu Bakr, with a gas bomb in his face, causing moderate wounds. dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- Dozens of Israeli occupation Army (IOA) in armored jeeps, and vehicles, invaded Fasayel village, north of Jericho in the occupied West Bank, from several directions, and stormed all its neighborhoods, before violently searching homes and interrogating the families. The IOA fired gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinians, protesting the invasion, causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC, 26 July 2019)
- Three Palestinians were injured with rubber-coated rounds by Israeli occupation army (IOA) during the weekly anti-settlements protest in the village of Kafr Qaddum in the northern West Bank. (WAFSA, 26 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) suppressed a sit-in in Wadi Al Humos area in Sur Baher town in occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA completely bombarded the event with tear gas, especially targeting the sit-in tents on both sides. (MAAN, 26 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) opened fire on Palestinians who arrived to participate in the marches, injuring 56 of them on the eastern border of the Gaza Strip. (MAAN, 26 July 2019)
- A young Palestinian man died from serious wounds he suffered in the evening after Israeli occupation Army (IOA) shot him during the Great Return March processions. The young man, identified as Ahmad Mohammad al-Qarra, 22, was shot with a live round in his abdomen, suffering serious wounds, and died at a hospital in Khan Younis, in southern Gaza Strip. (MEMC, 25 July 2019)
- A number of youths were wounded by rubber-coated steel bullets, as well as tear gas and sound bombs fired by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) during their assault on the weekly peace march in the town of Kafr Qaddum, in the Qalqiliya governorate in the northern West Bank. One Palestinian youth was moderately injured in the afternoon by a rubber-coated steel bullet in his foot after Israeli soldiers opened fire on the weekly peace march in the town. A number of citizens were suffocated as a result of inhaling tear gas fired by the IOA on the weekly march which takes place every Friday. (MEMC, 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) injured 71 Palestinians, including 30 children, one medic and three women, after the army attacked the Great Return March processions in the Gaza Strip. The IOA resorted to the excessive use of force against the protesters, especially by using live fire against unarmed civilians, protesting along the perimeter fence in the eastern parts of the Gaza Strip. 39 of the wounded Palestinians were shot with live fire, including one who suffered life-threatening injuries, and four who sustained moderate-to-serious injuries. (MEMC, 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a bulldozer while working on rehabilitating the western entrance of Aqraba village south of Nablus city and detained the driver for a period of time. The IOA hindered Palestinians from resuming work in the area due to its location in area C which is under the full Israeli control. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) seized a water rig in the village of Bardala in the northern Jordan Valley. The IOA have surrounded the area where the rig was working for several hours and seized it with no prior notification. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided the Palestinian land and Water settlement council offices in Ar Ras And Kor villages in Tulkarem Governorate, questioned the staff and asked them to identify the type of work they do. (Wafa 30 July 2019)

- The Israel occupation army raided the homes of the freed prisoners in Silat al-Harthiya: Fares Husni Shawahneh, Hani Shafiq Jaradat, Khaled Hussein Jaradat, Salah Zib Ziyud, Sadiq Hassan Abu Al Khair, Anad Mohammed Abu Al Khair. (WAFA, IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israel occupation army raided and searched the house of the prisoner, Adib Samoudi, from al-Yamoun village. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israel occupation army raided the houses of citizens, Yahya Fayez Rahima, Omar Sotouf and Sami Mustafa Rimawi, and ransacked the contents, and destroyed property in them. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupying army (IOA) stormed the house of Shadi Seder on the Shuhada Street in the center of Hebron and took his 6 year old daughter for investigation, claiming that the 6-year-old girl harassed settlers. (MAAN, 31 July 2019)

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- Israeli police intercepted in the East Jerusalem town of Al Issawiyeh a bus carrying summer camp children going on a field trip and forced the bus to go to a nearby border guard's base. The police stopped the bus and steered it to the base where the children were later allowed to leave while detaining the instructors. (WAFA 1 August 2019)
- The Israel occupation army (IOA) raided the Ramallah-area village of Deir Nitham in the pre-dawn hours while residents were still asleep, broke into several homes and forced entire families to go out before taking 21 people to a nearby army camp where they were interrogated and held for several hours after which they were allowed to return to their homes. (WAFA 1 August 2019)
- An Israeli court remanded Palestinian photojournalist Mustafa Kharouf by one month. Kharouf, who works as photographer with the Turkish Anadolu news agency, was born in Algeria in 1987 to parents from Jerusalem. He came back to live in Jerusalem in 1999 with his family. But since he did not have any documents to live in Jerusalem, his stay here was considered illegal. He was detained on January 22 of this year after living in Jerusalem for 20 years with an intention to deport him. But since he did not have any residency papers anywhere else, no county, including Jordan, would accept him. On July 21, Israel attempted to deport him to Jordan but was unable to do so after he was denied entry into Jordan. (WAFA 1 August 2019)

- A Palestinian was shot dead during a shootout with an Israeli army patrol on the southern Gaza border. An Israeli army spokesman claimed that a Palestinian infiltrated the border near Khan Younis and engaged an army patrol moderately injuring an officer and lightly wounding two of the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA). The Palestinian was shot dead at the scene. An army tank shelled a post east of Khan Younis following the incident and fired several flares to light the skies. The Israeli army fired two tank shells at a location east of Khuzaa and shooting was heard along with Israeli warplanes were seen flying overhead. There were no reports of injuries. (Wafa 1 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) destroyed a sit-in tent in the Wadi Hummus neighborhood of Sur Bahir in occupied East Jerusalem. (Wafa 2 August 2019)
- Wissam Iyad Dari, 17, was injured by a fracture in the left hand as a result of the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) assaulting him during his detention in the town of Al Issawiya in occupied East Jerusalem. (MAANNEWS 2 August 2019)
- Two boys were injured during the Israeli occupation army (IOA) crackdown on Kafr Qaddum anti-settlement campaign that demands the opening of the village road, which has been closed for 16 years to benefit the settlers of Kedumim settlement. The IOA attacked Palestinian and International participants with rubber-coated metal bullets and sound bombs. (MAANNEWS 2 August 2019)
- 49 citizens were injured by Israeli fire on the Gaza border during the 69th day of the march of return and breaking the siege. 49 people were injured, including 24 live bullets by the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) and wounding two journalists. At least 28 children, 4 women and a paramedic were among those injured (IMEMC, MAANNEWS 2 August 2019)
- Palestinian journalists were shot while covering the Great right of return marches in the Gaza Strip, injuring two of them. (MAANNEWS 2 August 2019)
- At least 21 Palestinians were injured by live bullets and many others by rubber-coated rounds as Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked hundreds of protesters taking part in the weekly Great March of Return at Gaza-Israel border. The IOA manning the separation fence fired live bullets and rubber-coated steel rounds at the protesters who gathered at many encampments along the border, injuring 21 protesters by live bullets and 21 others by rubber-coated rounds. (Wafa 2 August 2019)

- The family of Mohammed Samir Obeid in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiyeh was warned by the Israeli Occupation authorities against holding a banquet in memory of their son, killed by Israeli occupation army (IOA). Obeid, 21, was shot dead by Israeli police in his neighborhood on June 28. (WAFA 3 August 2019)
- A Palestinian minor from the occupied East Jerusalem city of Silwan was moved to hospital after he was brutally beaten by Israeli police officers who raided his family home to arrest him. Heavily armed police raided the home of the family of Jamal Ali al-Ghoul in Silwan and severely beat him, causing him to sustain bruises across his body. He was then moved to hospital for medical treatment, but was later brought to court by the police while being handcuffed and with chains on his ankles. (WAFA 4 September 2019)
- The Israeli Navy Attacked a number of Palestinian fishing boats off the coast of Gaza, firing water cannon at close range, causing damage to several boats. The Navy also detained one fisherman and took him into custody, and injured another fisherman. The attacks took place near Sheikh Ejleen area, west of Gaza city. A fisherman, a teenage boy identified as Abdullah Mifleh Abu Ryala, fainted after the Israeli Navy constantly sprayed him with water cannons. The fishermen in question were within the prescribed Israeli limit of six nautical miles off the coast of Gaza when they were attacked. The Palestinian who was detained was identified as Awad Tareq Bakr. The Israeli attacks damaged two generators in a fishing boat owned by Falah Mohammad Abu Ryala, especially after they constantly sprayed the vessel with water cannons. Damage was also reported to a boat owned by Mohsin Khalil Abu Ryala, who lost twelve pieces of his vessel, including important parts, such as peddles, screws and other controls. The Israeli naval officers who detained the fisherman took him to an undisclosed location and confiscated his boat, according to other local fishermen. (IMEMC, WAFA, 5 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized a number of vehicles in Ras al-Ahmar in the northern Jordan Valley. An Israeli military force raided Ras al-Ahmar community, where they seized a tractor and a private vehicle belonging to the local Palestinian farmers in addition to an Israeli truck. The truck, which belongs to a Palestinian citizen of Israel, was unloading a shipment of fodder to a local family. (WAFA 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Fajjar town, south of Bethlehem, searched and ransacked several homes before detaining a



young Palestinian man and confiscating his car. The army has been conducting massive invasions and violent searches of homes and property after the body of an Israeli soldier was found near Efrat settlement south of Bethlehem. After the IOA's body was found, the army installed many roadblocks in the area, and imposed a strict siege on Beit Fajjar, before initiating extensive and very violent searches of homes and property and interrogated dozens of residents. The IOA also confiscated surveillance tapes and equipment from many homes and stores, after searching them. The searches also targeted many Palestinian villages and communities in areas north of Hebron, in the southern part of the West Bank. (IMEMC 9 August 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) quelled the weekly and peaceful anti-settlement demonstration in the village of Kufr Qaddoum to the east of Qalqilia. The IOA fired rubber-coated steel bullets toward demonstrators, who also rallied to protest Israel's closure of the main road that connects the village of Kufr Qaddoum with the city of Nablus since 2003. No injuries or arrests were reported. (Wafa 9 August 2019)
- Four Palestinians were shot and killed by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) for allegedly coming too close to the border fence between Gaza and Israel, east of Dir al-Balah, in the central Gaza Strip. The IOA stationed along Gaza borders to the east of Khan Younis reportedly opened fire on a group of Palestinians after they allegedly approached the Israeli-installed barbed-wire fence along Gaza's border with Israel, shooting and killing four. The identities of the Palestinians remain unknown, especially since the army took their corpses away. However, a Facebook page managed by the family of one of the slain Palestinians said the four have been identified as Ahmad Ayman Tarabin, Abdullah Ismael Hamayda, Abdullah Ashraf al-Ghamri and Rashad al-Bodeini. (IMEMC 10 August 2019)
- At least two Palestinians were shot and injured by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) for allegedly coming too close to the border fence between Gaza and Israel to the east of Khan Younis city, in the southern Gaza Strip. The IOA stationed along Gaza borders to the east of Khan Younis reportedly opened fire on a group of Palestinians after they allegedly approached the Israeli-installed barbed-wire fence along Gaza borders with Israel, shooting and injuring two people. (Wafa 10 August 2019)
- In the northern part of the Gaza Strip, a Palestinian identified as Marwan Nassar, 26, was shot and killed by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) near the

border between Gaza and Israel. Nassar death came one day after four Palestinians were killed on the eastern border of Gaza in what the IOA claim was a coordinated attack against the Israeli military. (IMEMC 11 August 2019)

- While tens of thousands of Muslim worshipers were praying in the al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem Sunday for Eid al-Adha, one of the most sacred holidays in the Muslim year, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the mosque, forcing the worshipers to flee in panic. The IOA were accompanied by a large group of Israeli settlers, many of whom are part of an ideological network whose express aim is to destroy the mosque and replace it with a Jewish temple. (IMEMC 11 August 2019)
- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded Sebastia town, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and fired many live rounds and gas bombs. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded many neighborhoods in the town, and fired gas bombs and rounds of live ammunition, to force the Palestinian away, leading to protests. (IMEMC 2 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the courtyards of the Al-Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem, and injured several Palestinians, including a volunteer medic, in addition to detaining three others. The IOA assaulted many worshipers in al-Aqsa and hurled a concussion grenade at a medic trying to provide them with medical treatment, wounding him in the arm. The IOA detained three young men, one of them has been identified as Mo'ab Abu Khdeir, 22, who was also assaulted and injured, while they were in the courtyard near the Dome of the Rock. The Palestinian Red Crescent Society (PRCS) reported that its medics provided treatment to 37 Palestinians after the IOA assaulted them, and fired gas bombs and concussion grenades at them. (IMEMC 2 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot a young Palestinian man and his wife, near the Annexation Wall, west of Zeita village, north of the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem. The IOA stationed at the gate of the Annexation Wall in that area, opened fire at Yahia Abu Khater, 25, and his wife, while they were walking near it. The Palestinian couple were both injured, before the IOA detained the husband and took him in an Israeli ambulance, while his wife was transferred to the hospital in Tulkarem. There were no protests or incidents taking place when the IOA opened

- fire at the Palestinian husband and his wife, and it remains unclear why the soldiers opened fire in the first place. (IMEMC 13 August 2019)
- A number of Palestinians suffered from Tear Gas inhalation during clashes with the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) in Sebastia village north of Nablus city. (Wafa 14 August 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the tent of citizen Omar Bisharat in Kherbit Al Hadidiya in the northern Jordan Valleys and searched it. (Wafa 14 August 2019)
  - Staff of the Israeli Civil Administration escorted by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Ar Rweisat Mountain in Al Walaja village west of Bethlehem city and stationed there. (Wafa 14 August 2019)
  - Israeli settlers sprayed threatening racist graffiti at Palestinian residents homes and vehicles in Az-Zawiya town in Salfit governorate, the northern occupied West Bank. (Wafa 15 August 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided house of Khaled Ahmad Al Hamri in Beit Ta'amar village east of Bethlehem and broke its door entrance. (Wafa 15 August 2019)
  - Two 14-year old boys were shot near the al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem after an alleged stabbing of an Israeli police officer that resulted in a light injury. One of the two Palestinian teens who were shot and seriously injured, died of his wounds. (IMEMC, 15 August 2019)
  - A Palestinian who was not identified and who was earlier this afternoon shot and injured by Israeli police inside the Old City of occupied Jerusalem has died of his wounds. (IMEMC 15 August 2019)
  - Settlers attacked Orif village, south of Nablus, after they failed to set fire to farmers' land and confront residents. (IMEMC 15 August 2019)
  - At least 34 Palestinians were injured, by live ammunition, and 33 others by rubber-coated rounds as Israeli occupation army attacked thousands of peaceful protesters taking part in the 70th Great March of Return in the besieged Gaza Strip. Israeli snipers at the separation fence, along the eastern border of Gaza, fired live ammunition and rubber-coated steel rounds at the demonstrators who gathered at many encampments along the border. (IMEMC, Wafa 16 August 2019)
  - Four non-violent demonstrators were injured, and dozens of others were treated for the effects of tear gas inhalation as Israeli troops attacked a nonviolent protest organized at the village of Kufer Malek, east of the central west Bank city of Ramallah. Among those injured were Jamiel Qassass, who was hit with a rubber coated steel bullet. (IMEMC 16 August 2019)

- A Palestinian was killed by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) near the so called Etzion junction, south of the West Bank city of Bethlehem after claiming he deliberately tried to ram two Israeli settlers near Etzion settlement junction. The Palestinian has been identified as Ala Khader al-Hreimi, 26 .The Israeli occupation army fired many live rounds at his car and killed him .The Palestinian, a construction worker, is a former political prisoner who was detained by Israel for two years and was previously shot by the IOA. Following his death, the ioa summoned his brother, Abdul-Salam al-Hreimi, for interrogation at Roadblock #300, south of Bethlehem. (IMEMC 16 August 2019)
- A volunteer paramedic, who was not yet identified, was reportedly hit by a rubber-coated steel round in his head by Israeli occupation army during clashes in the town of Abu Dis, east of Jerusalem. (Wafa 16 August 2019)
- Two Palestinians were injured by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) during the weekly anti-settlements protest in the village of Kafr Qaddum in the northern West Bank. (Wafa 16 August 2019)
- Two 14-year old boys were shot near the al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem after an alleged stabbing of an Israeli police officer that resulted in a light injury. One of the two Palestinian teens who were shot and seriously injured near al-Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem Thursday, died of his wounds. He was identified as Nassim Abu Roumi, 14, from the al-‘Ezariyya town, east of occupied East Jerusalem. The other child who was shot, Hammouda Khader Sheikh, 14, from al-Walaja, south of Jerusalem, is believed to still be in critical condition in an Israeli hospital. The army and the police fired many live rounds at the two teens, and several Palestinians in the area, moderately wounding two bystanders. Nassim is the son of Mokafih Abu Roumi, a political leader of the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine (DFLP), in Jerusalem. The IOA stormed his father’s home, and detained him shortly after the reported stabbing incident. The Israeli army also summoned the Abu Roumi and Sheikh families for interrogation in a security center between al-Ezariyya and East Jerusalem. (Wafa 16 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) injured two Palestinians during the weekly anti-settlements protest in the village of Kufur Qaddoum in the northern West Bank. The IOA attacked the protesters by rubber-coated rounds and chased some of them, injuring two protesters by rubber-coated rounds. (IMEMC, 17 August 2019)

- Israeli warplanes attacked early this morning several targets throughout the Gaza Strip causing damage but no injuries. (Wafa, 17 August 2019)
- Thirty-three people were injured during clashes with Israeli forces in Al-'Eizariya and Abu Dis towns east of occupied Jerusalem on Friday. The PRCS dealt with 33 injuries during clashes in El-Eizariya and Abu Dis towns, including 12 rubber-coated metal bullets, 18 suffocations as a result of tear gas inhalation and 3 burns. (IMEMC 17 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) injured 33 Palestinians, including a medic, during protests, which took place after the army invaded al-'Ezariyya and Abu Dis towns, east of occupied East Jerusalem. 12 of the 33 Palestinians shot in both towns were shot with rubber-coated steel bullets, 18 who suffered the effects of teargas inhalation and three who suffered burns from gas bombs and concussion grenades. One of PRCS medics was injured while performing his humanitarian duties, trying to help wounding Palestinians in Abu Dis. The invasions were mainly focused in Rad Kabsa area, between the two towns, in addition neighborhoods in the two communities after the IOA invaded them. (IMEMC 17 August 2019)
- The residents of Kufur Malik, a town northeast of Ramallah, marched towards the Ain Samia area to protest Israel's theft of the village's water supply, which has been diverted to a new illegal settlement. 20 hectares of land had also been stolen from the village, where almost 3,000 Palestinians live, and handed to just five settler families. Hundreds attended the march and prayer – organized jointly by Fatah and the National and Islamic Parties, including a prominent Orthodox priest. The peaceful protest was immediately bombarded with rounds of tear gas, fired by occupation forces as well as hundreds of rubber-coated steel bullets and sound bombs. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) also tried to confiscate Palestinian flags from protesters and targeted journalists, interrupting their filming and forcing them to move if they refused to comply with what appeared to be entirely arbitrary orders. The Red Crescent treated several people for tear gas inhalation including an ISMer who had to be carried to an ambulance. (IMEMC 17 August 2019)
- Israeli police banned a lecture which was supposed to discuss the Israeli policy of home demolitions in the old city of Jerusalem. Israeli police officers raided Burj Al-Laqlaq building in the old city and handed representatives of the Palestinian Bar Association, the organizer of the event, a notice signed by Israeli Minister of Interior Gilad Erdan ordering

the event to be canceled, under the pretext that it was sponsored and financed by the Palestinian Authority. (WAFSA 17 August 2019)

- Israeli occupation police stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque's Bab al-Rahma prayer area and confiscated some furniture items. Israeli police officers desecrated the Bab al-Rahma prayer area and embarked on carrying away shoe cabinets and patterned wood panels. The officers threatened Aqsa guards with arrest if they tried to prevent them from carrying out the confiscations. The Israeli police had already removed furniture from the same prayer area recently, raising fears among the Jerusalemites about Israeli intents to reclose the place and turn it into a synagogue. (IMEMC 18 August 2019)
- Three Palestinians were killed near the border with Israel in northern Gaza before dawn. The three men have been identified as Mahmoud Adel al-Walayda, 24, Mohammad Farid Abu Namous, 27, and Mohammad Samir at-Taramisi, 26. A fourth Palestinian was seriously injured. The Israeli military targeted a ' Hamas observation post ' with artillery fire and a helicopter, killing three. The bodies of three men were recovered in the morning, after Israeli occupation Army (IOA) prevented medics from reaching the site for hours after the attack took place. (IMEMC 18 August 2019)
- The Israeli intelligence, backed by Israeli special forces, raided Burj Al-Laqlaq stadium in the Old City of Jerusalem and removed all banners put up inside the stadium for the Jerusalem league season, which was expected to kick off today. Israeli special forces reportedly attacked Palestinians present inside, beating up a number of them before completely evacuating the stadium. This came only a day after Israeli forces [banned a lecture](#) which was also supposed to take place at Burj al-Laqlaq community center to discuss the Israeli policy of home demolitions in the old city of Jerusalem. (WAFSA 18 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) installed a metal gate to block the entrance of Azzun town, east of Qaqiliya city, preventing passage in both directions and forcing Palestinians to take longer routes to reach their destinations. (WAFSA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) sealed off the entrance to Azzun town, east of Qaqiliya city. The IOA installed a metal gate to block the town entrance, preventing passage in both directions and forcing Palestinians to take longer routes to reach their destinations. (WAFSA 19 August 2019)

- Several Palestinians were injured by Israeli gunfire as hundreds of Israeli settlers forced their way into Joseph's Tomb near the northern West Bank city of Nablus. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) escorted a convoy of buses packed with hundreds of Jewish settlers into the site, located in the Palestinian-controlled area, sparking confrontations with Palestinian residents. The IOA opened fire on Palestinians protesting the raid and attempting to block settlers' access to the site, injuring several protesters with rubber coated steel bullets. The IOA also showered protesters with tear gas canisters, causing several to suffocate. (Wafa 20 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) attacked dozens of nonviolent Palestinian protesters, holding a procession in front of Ofar Israeli prison, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, in solidarity with hunger striking detainees, and detained one of them. The IOA assaulted many protesters with clubs and batons, and fired gas bombs and concussion grenades at them, causing many injuries. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- Israeli warplanes attacked several areas in the northern and southern Gaza Strip causing damage but no injuries. Israeli jets twice attacked a post on the Sheikh Ijjilin coast, east of Gaza City, causing fire and destruction of the site, as well homes in the area. Another post near Gaza City was also attacked and destroyed. Flares lit the skies in the south of the Gaza Strip near Khan Younis, before warplanes targeted the posts in the area. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly Great Return March processions along the eastern parts of the Gaza Strip, and injured 122 Palestinians, including 50 who were shot with live rounds, and three medics. Thousands of Palestinians gathered along the eastern parts of the coastal region, hundreds of meters away from the perimeter fence. (IMEMC 23 August 2019)
- A Palestinian was wounded yesterday evening by the Israeli occupation forces on the borders of the Gaza Strip. (MAAN 23 August 2019)
- Dozens of Palestinians suffered from suffocation due to the Israeli occupation army tear gas grenades this evening at Sabastiya village, northwest of Nablus. (MAAN 23 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army closed the road to Ein Ayoub, and the entrance to the village of Ras Karkar, Ramallah. The troops invaded Ras Karkar and raided a number of homes and businesses. (IMEMC 23 August 2019)
- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded Sebastia town, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and injured many Palestinians. The IOA

invaded the town, and attacked many Palestinians, in addition to firing several gas bombs and concussion grenades at them and their homes. Dozens of Palestinians suffered the severe effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)

- Less than two weeks ago, several armed illegal Israeli colonialist settlers, accompanied by soldiers, invaded the al-Mas'udiyya area, on Palestinian lands in Burqa village, northwest of Nablus, and conducted live fire training. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- Dozens Of Palestinians suffocated by tear gas fired at them by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) during clashes that erupted in the town of Sabastiya to the north of Nablus city, the occupied West Bank. The clashes broke out after Israeli army raided the town of Sabasitya for the second consecutive day, amid the firing of live bullets and tear gas canisters toward residents. Dozens suffocated due to tear gas inhalation. (Wafa 24 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded a number of villages west of Ramallah and ransacked homes and businesses. The IOA invaded commercial establishments with street-facing cameras and confiscated all footage from the cameras. The IOA stormed the villages of Ein Arik, Deir Bzeih, Ras Karkar, Ein Qinya and parts of Beitunia and confiscated camera recordings from businesses in those villages. The IOA set up a checkpoint between Beitunia and Ein Arik, where they stopped and checked the identity cards of every Palestinian. They set up another checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Ras Karkar, west of Ramallah.(IMEMC 25 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided for the third consecutive day a number of villages to the west of Ramallah and seized tapes from the street surveillance cameras installed by shops in these villages. The IOA raided the villages of Ein Arik, Ein Qinya, Ras Karkar, and Deir Bzee', as well as parts of Beitunia city, and seized tapes from the street surveillance cameras installed by shops in these villages. The IOA set up a flying checkpoint between Beitunia and Ein Arik as well as at the entrance of Ras Karkar village, stopping passing Palestinian registered cars and checking passengers identity cards. (Wafa 25 August 2019)
- Israeli warplanes targeted a site in Beit Lahia town in the northern besieged Gaza Strip. Israeli F-16 jets pounded a site near the village of Um Nuseir, north of Beit Lahia, completely destroying it and causing damages to nearby civilian houses. Israeli military claimed the airstrike was carried



- out in retaliation from rockets launched from Gaza toward southern Israel. (Wafa 26 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) raided the village of Ein Qinya to the west of Ramallah and seized and seized street and shops surveillance cameras there. The IOA raided several houses and shops in the village of Ein Qinya and confiscated their security camera recordings, in addition to tapes from the street surveillance cameras. (Wafa 26 August 2019)
  - Israeli artillery targeted a site to the east of al-Bureij refugee camp, in the central Gaza Strip. Israeli artillery fired at least one missile shelling a site to the east of al-Bureij camp, causing financial damages to Palestinian property. A loud explosion was also heard in northern Gaza Strip, while Israeli warplanes were seen flying overhead. (Wafa 27 August 2019)
  - The Israeli army fired missiles into at sites in the Gaza Strip. The bombarded post was a field office for the Palestinian security forces of the Interior Ministry, in Juhr ed-Deek, in central Gaza. (Wafa 27 August 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian citizen and broke into a metal workshop in Beit Liqya town south of Ramallah City. The IOA detained Najeh Mafarja, 32, from his home after wreaking havoc on it. The IOA further stormed a metal workshop owned by the Palestinian citizen Hakam Dar Mousa and seized its equipment. (PALINFO 27 August 2019)
  - An Israeli court in occupied East Jerusalem has ordered a senior Palestinian nonviolent media activist out of his town, al-'Isawiya, northeast of the city, until September 15<sup>th</sup>, in addition to forcing him to pay a fine of 1000 Shekels, and third-party guarantee of 10000 Shekels. Mohammad Abu al-Hummus, a member of the Follow-Up Committee in al-'Isawiya, was taken prisoner from his home, after the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched his property. An Israeli court ordered the release of Abu al-Hummus, in addition to forcing him out of his town for one week; On Tuesday, the District Court in occupied Jerusalem held a hearing, and decided to force Abu al-Hummus out of his town until September 15<sup>th</sup>, in addition to restricting his activities, especially his media work. Abu al-Hummus was taken prisoner, for filming the IOA and documenting their constant invasions and violations in his town. His detention and the conditions of his release, are meant to prevent him from talking to the media, especially his interviews with Israeli media outlets, and his constant documentation of the ongoing invasions and violations. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)

- Several armored Israeli military jeeps invaded Betunia town and Ein ‘Arik village, west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and fired gas bombs and concussion grenades, in addition to invading homes. Many army jeeps invaded Betunia town and fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinians, protesting the invasion. The IOA also searched a few homes and stores in the town, before withdrawing without conducting any arrests. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Ein ‘Arik nearby village, and invaded many homes in the al-Borj area, before confiscating surveillance recordings. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and ransacked the home of Ahmad Khalil Abu Hashem, in Beit Ummar in Hebron, in southern West Bank, causing property damage. Protests took place as the IOA were withdrawing from the town, and that the army fired many gas bombs, concussion grenades and rubber-coated steel bullets. Dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, while others suffered various cuts and bruises. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Jabal ar-Rahma and Jabal Abu Romman, in Hebron city, and fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at local protesters, causing several injuries. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the town of al-‘Isawiya, east of occupied Jerusalem, and injured several Palestinians, including a woman who was wounded in her eye, in addition to causing property damage. The IOA invaded many neighborhoods in al-‘Isawiya, and fired rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs and concussion grenades at local protesters, and at many Palestinian cars and homes. One woman was injured in one of her eyes after the IOA fired rubber-coated steel bullets at her car while driving. The IOA also surrounded a mosque in the town, and attacked dozens of Palestinians, in addition to firing gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at them, causing many injuries. One of the wounded Palestinians is an elderly man, who was attacked and pushed by the IOA before they threw him onto the ground. In addition, the IOA surrounded the home of Mohammad Obeid, 21, who was killed by Israeli army fire on June 27<sup>th</sup>, and prevented the Palestinians from entering or leaving it, in addition to occupying rooftops of several surrounding homes. The IOA forced the residents to remove Palestinian flags, and

posters of the slain Palestinian, in addition to detaining several young men. The latest attacks took place less than twelve hours after the IOA invaded the town and conducted extensive and violent searches of homes and other property, including cars and stores. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)

- Israeli army war jets fired several missiles into a site in the northern Gaza, causing damage. The missiles caused property damage but did not lead to casualties. The targeted Palestinian site is located in an area, north of Beit Lahia, in the northern part of the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 29 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided homes in al-Khader town in Bethlehem, with no reported arrests. (PALINFO 29 August 2019)
- An Israeli warplane bombed a site in the north of the Gaza Strip. A warplane fired at least two missiles at an observation post in northern Gaza, with no reported casualties. The Israeli occupation army claimed the airstrike was in response to the launch of one rocket from Gaza. (PALINFO 29 August 2019)
- On 72<sup>nd</sup> Great March of Return, 94 civilians injured as a result of the Israeli military's continued use of excessive force against peaceful protests along the Gaza Strip's eastern border; 25 children, a woman, 2 journalists and 2 paramedics were among those injured this Friday, 30 August 2019. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) continued to exercise excessive force against Palestinians with the use of live ammunition and targeting the upper part of protestors' bodies. The protests lasted from 15:00 to 19:00 and involved activities such as speeches by political leaders and theatrical performances. Dozens of civilians protested at varied distances from the border fence across the Gaza Strip. To this date, 208 killings were documented by Israel since the outbreak of the protests on 30 March 2018, including 44 children, 2 women, 9 persons with disabilities, 4 paramedics and 2 journalists. Additionally, 13,728 were wounded, including 2,886 children, 420 women, 231 paramedics and 212 journalists, noting that many had sustained multiple wounds on multiple occasions. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, and shot three Palestinians. The IOA tried to ambush the Palestinians by hiding in an under-construction home to use it as a firing post, but the protesters uncovered their hideout. After the hideout was discovered,

many army jeeps invaded the town, and the IOA started firing dozens of live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at the protesters. Three young men were shot and mildly injured. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot and moderately injured a Palestinian in northern Gaza. The Palestinian was injured after the IOA fired a barrage of live rounds at a site, run by the Brigades, in northern Gaza. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)
- Violent clashes broke out at dawn between Palestinian citizens and the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) who raided Jenin refugee camp in the northern West Bank. Dozens of Palestinian residents choked on tear gas fired heavily by the IOA. The IOA further attacked the Palestinian youths who confronted the raid with stun grenades and rubber-coated metal bullets. (PALINFO 30 August 2019)
- A young man who was shot and seriously injured by Israeli occupation army fire during the Great Return March processions, has died from his wounds. Badereddin Nabil Mousa, 25, was shot with a live Israeli army round, east of Khan Younis, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. The young man was shot by an Israeli army sharpshooter stationed at a sniper post across the perimeter fence. He was one of 94 Palestinians, including 25 children, one woman, two journalist and two paramedics who were shot by Israeli army fire, in several parts of the Gaza Strip during the processions along the eastern parts of the Gaza. (IMEMC 31 August 2019)

## **Brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army during the month of September 2019**

- Dozens of Palestinians suffered the severe effects of teargas inhalation, on Wednesday evening, after Israeli soldiers attacked them when they intercepted a group of illegal colonialist settlers who invaded their lands, and burnt olive trees, in Madama village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Ehab al-Qet, a member of Madama Village Council, told the Palestinian News & Info Agency (WAFA), that the colonists attacked the southern area of the village, before local youngsters incepted them and started throwing stones at them. He added that many soldiers were in the area with the colonists and started firing a barrage of gas bombs at the villagers, causing dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. Al-Qet also said that the colonists set many olive trees ablaze, while the soldiers

prevented the Palestinians from reaching their orchards to extinguish the fire. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

- Two Palestinians were killed and dozens were injured when Israeli occupation Army (IOA) heavily opened fire at the peaceful demonstrators taking part in the Great March of Return in the Gaza Strip. Ali al-Ashqar, 17, and Khaled al-Raba'i, 14, were killed by IOA bullets and at least 66 protesters were injured by live ammunition and tear gas bombs. Thousands of Palestinian citizens demonstrated along the border fence between the Gaza Strip and the 1948 occupied Palestinian territories on the 73rd Friday of the Great March of Return. Since the start of Gaza's border protests on 30 March 2018, the Israeli occupation army has killed 327 Palestinians and injured over 32,000 others. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) shot and injured a number of Palestinian citizens in the weekly demonstration of Kafr Qaddum village in the West Bank Governorate of Qalqilya. The protesters chanted slogans condemning the Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu's visit to the Ibrahimi Mosque in al-Khalil. The IOA fired rubber-coated metal bullets and stun grenades at the peaceful demonstrators injuring three of them. The IOA chased the youths on the streets and clashed with them, but no arrests were reported. Earlier on the day the IOA installed a military checkpoint at the entrance to Kafr Qaddum obstructing the movement of Palestinian residents. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) violently attacked a Palestinian protest in Bab al-Amud area in Jerusalem against the killing of women. The IOA physically assaulted the peaceful protesters and forced them to evacuate the area. The protest was organized by a group of activists against the death of Palestinian women at the hands of Israeli Army or in honor crimes, and to support detained women in Israeli jails. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers fired, on Friday at night, several artillery shells into Palestinian lands, northeast of Beit Hanoun, in the northern part of the coastal region. Media sources in Gaza said the shells landed and detonated in farmlands, causing no casualties among the Palestinians. They added that the Israeli Air Force was extensively seen and heard flying over Gaza city, and the northern parts of the coastal region. The Israeli army said it was retaliating to five shells, which were reportedly fired from the Gaza Strip, on Friday, evening, and landed in open areas near Shear HaNegev settlement and Sderot, and added that siren alerts

were sounded in various communities across the perimeter fence with Gaza. On Friday, Israeli soldiers killed two Palestinian children, and injured 81 civilians, including 38 children, one journalist and two paramedics, among them a female, during the Great Return March processions in the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

- At least three Palestinians were injured with rubber-coated metal rounds today, by Israeli occupation forces, during the weekly anti-settlements protest in the village of Kafr Qaddoum, northern West Bank, local WAFA sources said. Israeli soldiers attacked the protesters with rubber-coated metal bullets and tear gas, injuring three protesters and causing many cases of suffocation. The injured were treated on the scene by Palestinian Red Cross medics. Almost every Friday, villagers from Kafr Qaddoum, and neighboring villages, organize a nonviolent protest against illegal Israeli settlements, calling on Israeli authorities to reopen the village's main road, which has been sealed by the occupation since 2002. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)
- Israeli navy ships opened fire, on Friday evening, on several Palestinian fishing boats in the Sudaniyya Sea area, northwest of Gaza city. Media sources said the boats were in Palestinian waters when the navy attacked and opened fire on them. The attack did not lead to casualties, but forced the fishermen back to the shore to avoid further escalating from the navy. Also on Friday, Israeli soldiers attacked the Great Return March processions in the Gaza Strip killing two children, and wounding 81 civilians, including 38 journalists, one journalist and two paramedics. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)
- The Palestinian Health Ministry has confirmed that Israeli soldiers killed, Friday, two children and injured 81 civilians, including 38 children, one journalist and two paramedics, after the army attacked the weekly Great Return March processions along the eastern parts of the besieged Gaza Strip. The soldiers fired live round and rubber-coated steel bullets at the protesters who gathered at many encampments along the border, killing Ali Sami Ashqar, 17, from Jabalia refugee camp, in northern Gaza, after shooting him with a live round to the chest. Furthermore, the soldiers killed another child, identified as Khaled Abu Baker Mohammad al-Rabi'ey, 14, from the Shejaeyya neighborhood, in Gaza. Among the wounded Palestinians in Gaza are 38 children and two paramedics, including a female. In related news, the Israeli army claimed its soldiers

arrested, on Friday evening, two Palestinians who reportedly crossed the perimeter fence. According to the Palestinian Center for Human Rights (PCHR), Israeli forces have killed 210 Palestinian civilians since the outbreak of the Great March of Return protest on March 30, 2018. In addition, nearly 14,000 Palestinians have been injured, some severely, while exercising their right to peacefully protest the siege on Gaza. The weekly protests call for lifting the Israeli blockade of the Gaza Strip and for the return of the Palestinian refugees to their ancestral homes in pre-1948 Palestine. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers confiscated, Saturday, two electricity generators in Wad az-Zarzeer area, and abducted one Palestinian near the Ibrahim Mosque, in Hebron city, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Several army jeeps and armored vehicles invaded Wad az-Zarzeer area before the soldiers broke into a property, owned by a Palestinian family, and confiscated two electricity generators, which he placed on his land. The soldiers also abducted, Nabeeh Taha Abu Sneina, while walking near the Ibrahim Mosque, in the Old City of Hebron, and took him to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 9 September 2019)
- The Israeli Air Force fired, late on Sunday at night, several missiles into areas in the northern, central and eastern parts of the Gaza Strip, causing excessive damage; the army claimed it was retaliating to a shell fired from Gaza. Media sources in Gaza said the army fired several missiles into an area near the Nusseirat refugee camp, in central Gaza, causing excessive damage without leading to casualties. They added that the army also fired missiles into a site in Beit Lahia, in northern Gaza, and another building southeast of Gaza city, causing excessive property damage, and that Israeli navy ships fired many flares near Gaza city. According to the Palestinian Quds News Network, two of the targeted sites are run by the al-Qassam Brigades, the armed wing of Hamas, in northern and central Gaza. The Israeli army claimed that it was retaliating to one shell, which was reportedly fired from the Gaza Strip, and landed in an open area near Sderot in the Negev, leading to a “brush fire,” according to Israeli Ynet News. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers shot and seriously injured, on Monday afternoon, a young man, near the central West Bank city of Ramallah, after the army attacked youngsters protesting the death of a Palestinian detainee in Israeli prison. The Palestinian was seriously injured by Israeli army fire, north of al-Biereh city, and was rushed to Palestine Medical Complex, in Ramallah,

- suffering a life-threatening injury, before he was admitted to surgery. The soldiers also shot a journalist, identified as Abdul-Rahman Younis, while documenting the protests. The Israeli attacks took place when dozens of students of Birzeit University marched towards the northern entrance of Ramallah, protesting the death of a detainee, identified as Bassam as-Sayeh, 47, from Nablus, who was diagnosed with bone cancer in 2011, and Leukemia in 2013, but did not receive the needed specialized medical treatment in Israeli prisons. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Jabal al-Mawalih area in Bethlehem. The IOA raided a bakery owned by a Palestinian resident and wreaked havoc on it. After searching the bakery, the IOA deployed in the neighboring areas and searched other places. No reasons were given for the campaign. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) launched artillery attacks on two resistance posts in the north of the Gaza Strip. An Israeli artillery unit bombed two resistance posts in Beit Lahia several times. No casualties were reported by the medical authorities in Gaza. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation army (IOA) launched several aerial attacks on the Gaza Strip, with no reported casualties. The Israeli warplanes launched four airstrikes on an abandoned civilian house in the southwest of Deir al-Balah City in central Gaza. Over seven air-to-surface missiles also targeted a resistance post in the east of Beit Lahia in northern Gaza. The attacks caused extensive material damage to the bombed sites. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)
  - Israeli warplanes launched two raids on the northern Gaza Strip, early Thursday. Palestinian sources said, according to the PNN, that an Israeli reconnaissance aircraft fired two missiles at a site in the town of Beit Lahia, followed by an F16 raid on the same site a few minutes later. No injuries were reported during the raids. Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said, Wednesday evening, that Tel Aviv was on its way to destroy the rule of Hamas, as he put it. Netanyahu was asked, in a lengthy interview by Channel 7, “what had happened to his promise in 2009 that he would destroy Hamas’s rule.” The prime minister said: “We are working on this, unfortunately we cannot avoid the military operation, I run a group of areas, and we work in all those areas.” It is noteworthy that Netanyahu already threatened, several times, that his army is preparing for a large-scale military operation in the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)



- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Thursday at dawn, the central West Bank city of Ramallah, before storming and searching of headquarters of the Democratic Front for the Liberation of Palestine (DFLP), and confiscated surveillance recordings and equipment. Media sources in Ramallah said the soldiers invaded Tannous Building, in the center of the city, before storming the DFLP office, and violently searching it. They added that the soldiers also confiscated surveillance recording and equipment, and other contents, from the invaded office. During the invasion, the soldiers fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian protesters. The soldiers also invaded Umm ash-Sharayet neighborhood in Ramallah, before storming a shop, and confiscated surveillance recordings. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)
- The Israeli Air Force fired several missiles into the Gaza Strip, on Wednesday at night, reportedly after shells were fired from the coastal region into Hof Ashkelon and Kibbutz Zikim, causing minor damage. Media sources in the Gaza Strip said the Israeli army fired at least two missiles into a site, believed to be run by the al-Qassam Brigades the armed wing of Hamas in Beit Lahia, in northern Gaza, damaging it and causing fire. They added that, just minutes after the first strike, the army fired missile into the same site, and destroyed it. On Monday evening, the soldiers abducted two Palestinians, who reportedly breached the perimeter fence, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip, and claimed that the two carried knives and wire cutters. Israeli sources said the Air Force fired many targets in northern Gaza after rockets sirens were sounded in Kibbutz Zikim and Hof Ashkelon Regional Council, close to the fence with Gaza. They added that some of the sirens were later reported as false alarms, but said that, on Wednesday evening, a shell which was fired from Gaza, caused minor damage to a home in Hof Ashkelon. On Monday at night, the Israeli army targeted fifteen sites in area in the northern and central parts of the Gaza Strip, and said that the targeted structures included “a weapons’ production structure,” in addition to “a compound for Hamas’s armed wing and a naval force center.” (IMEMC 12 September 2019)
- Dozens of Palestinian citizens suffered from their exposure to tear gas fumes during violent clashes with the Israeli occupation forces (IOF) in al-Arroub refugee camp, north of al-Khalil in the West Bank. According to local sources, a large number of Israeli forces stormed al-Arroub camp and embarked on firing live and rubber bullet as well as tear gas and stun

- grenades at homes in the camp, which provoked clashes with local young men. The Palestinian citizens in the West Bank are exposed to daily violations and assaults by Israeli soldiers, who raid their areas and homes under different security pretexts. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)
- An Israeli warplane last night bombed a resistance site belonging to the Palestinian resistance in the north of the Gaza Strip. A reporter for the Palestinian Information Center (PIC) that a warplane fired at least three missiles at a resistance post in Beit Lahia in northern Gaza, with no reported casualties. A spokesman for the Israeli occupation army claimed the air raid was in response to the launch of projectiles towards Israeli communities around the border with Gaza. In earlier incidents, the Israeli artillery bombed on Wednesday afternoon two resistance posts belonging to al-Qassam Brigades of Hamas in northern Gaza. The occupation army also carried out aerial attacks on the same day at dawn on different targets in central and northern Gaza. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)
  - Scores of civilians were treated of the effects of tear gas inhalation, as Israeli troops attacked a nonviolent procession, and Friday prayers, in Kufur Malek village, east of Ramallah, in central West Bank. After holding the Friday prayers, people marched towards the nearby segregated road for illegal colonialist settlers, before Israeli troops showered them with tear gas and stun grenades. Cars parked nearby sustained damage due to the tear gas bombs fired by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA). The IOA also assaulted protesters, medics and journalists. The IOA closed all roads leading the village to stop the action, however many were able to arrive to the location and hold the Friday prayers. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded a mosque in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem, and fired gas bombs, causing at least three Palestinians to suffer the severe effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA stormed the al-Arba'in Mosque in al-'Isawiya, and fired several gas bombs at the worshipers. At least three worshipers suffered the severe effects of teargas inhalation. The attack took place just after the local worshipers finished evening prayers in the mosque. The IOA also installed a roadblock at the main entrance of the town and started filming in the area.
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Hamsa alt-Tihta area in the West Bank's Northern Plains, before stopping many Palestinians and collected their personal information, and later withdrew from the area. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)
  - Dozens of Palestinians suffered different injuries when the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) heavily opened fire at the peaceful protesters

taking part in the Great March of Return in the Gaza Strip. 55 Palestinians were wounded by IOA live bullets and tear gas bombs on the 74th Friday of the Great March of Return. The Great March of Return was launched along the border between the Gaza Strip and the 1948 occupied Palestinian territories on 30 March 2018 to call for lifting the Israeli siege on Gaza and demand the right of return for the Palestinian refugees. Since the start of the border protests the IOF has killed 324 Palestinians and injured over 32,000 others. (PALINFO 13 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and ransacked several homes in Barta'a town, isolated behind the illegal Annexation Wall, south of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, causing damage. Owners of some of the invaded homes have been identified as Jamal Masoud, Ayed Masoud, Ali Masoud and Abdullah Masoud. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession against the Separation Wall and settlements, in Kufur Qaddoum village, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, causing many injuries. The Palestinians, accompanied by international peace activists, marched from the center of the village, heading towards the village's main road, which has been blockaded for the last sixteen years. The IOA attacked the protesters immediately after they started marching in their village, and fired many gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets at them. Dozens suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, and others suffered cuts and bruises, before receiving treatment at the local clinic. The IOA also tried to ambush and detained the protesters by hiding behind trees, or around homes and their yards. (IMEMC 14 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) injured, dozens of Palestinians, among them children, including a girl with special needs, in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA invaded the town and fired gas bombs at many homes, and streets, without any provocation, causing dozens of Palestinians, including children, to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. One of the wounded children is a little girl with special needs, who passed out for around three minutes while in her room after suffering the severe effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 14 September 2019)
- In Ramallah, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) broke into and ransacked a house in Deir Nidham village overnight, with no reported arrests. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)

- In Jerusalem, The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al Issawiya town and fired volleys of tear gas grenades at homes, causing one child with special needs to suffer from inhaling the resultant fumes. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)
- Several Israeli army vehicles invaded Palestinian lands east of Rafah city, in the southern part of the coastal region. Three armored vehicles, and two military bulldozers, left their base near Sofa Crossing, east of Rafah, and advanced dozens of meters into Palestinian agricultural lands. The army bulldozed sections of the invaded lands and installed sand hills, near the perimeter fence. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired many gas bombs at Palestinian shepherds, east of Khan Younis, in the southern part of the Gaza Strip. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured 46 Palestinians, including children, after the army invaded the al-'Ezariyya town, east of occupied East Jerusalem, leading to protests, and fired many gas bombs at protesters and many surrounding homes and cars. One child, was directly shot with a gas bomb to her head. Six members of the same family suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, while in their car, and received the needed treatment. The invasion and protests first started in al-Qanatra Bridge area, before spreading to the rest of the town, and that the IOA also surrounded the area of al-Aziz Mosque, and fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)
- Armored Israeli bulldozers carried out a small-scale incursion into the east of Khan Younis, south of the Gaza Strip. Two bulldozers advanced from a military post behind the security fence in a border area in the east of Khan Younis and embarked on leveling tracts of land. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Monday at night, the village of Taybeh, west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, and fired many gas bombs at protesters, causing several Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. Media sources said the soldiers fired a barrage of gas bombs at random, casing many Palestinians, including families in their homes, to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The village, especially the homes near the illegal Israeli Annexation Wall, witness frequent Israeli invasions and violations. (IMEMC

- Israeli occupation forces (IOF) on Tuesday arrested two Palestinian youths near Ein Bubin area, west of the West Bank city of Ramallah, over alleged knife possession. The Israeli website "0404" claimed that two Palestinians were arrested near Ein Bubin on suspicion of attempting a knife attack. It added that the detainees were later transferred to an Israeli interrogation center. Ein Bubin is a natural spring located in Deir Ibzi town west of Ramallah. Many Palestinian citizens own farmlands there but they are denied access to their property by the Israeli authorities. The Palestinian site is constantly targeted by Israeli settler groups who aim to completely take over the area. (PALINFO)
- The Israeli occupation navy on Tuesday morning opened fire at Palestinian fishermen and their boat off the coast of central Gaza. According to a Facebook page "documenting Israel's violations against Gaza fishermen," an Israeli gunboat attacked the fishermen as they were working within nine nautical miles off the coast of Wadi Gaza area. The naval forces opened fire at the fishing boat and forced the fishermen aboard it to leave their net behind in the water and retreat to the permitted fishing zone, which is six nautical miles off the shores of Gaza. Israeli gunboats are around Gaza fishermen almost every day, harassing them, shooting at them, damaging their boats, and making arrests. Sometimes fishermen are injured or killed during gunfire attacks. Under the 1993 Oslo accords, Palestinian fishermen are permitted to fish up to 20 nautical miles off the coast of Gaza, but since then Israel has kept reducing the fishing area gradually to a limit between six to three nautical miles as part of its blockade on Gaza. (PALINFO)
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- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Monday at night, Einabus Palestinian village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and shot two Palestinians with rubber-coated steel bullets in addition to causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation after illegal colonialist settlers attacked homes. Ghassan Daghlas, a Palestinian Authority official who monitors Israel's illegal colonialist activities in northern West Bank, said several army jeeps invaded the village after the residents intercepted and clashed with illegal colonialist settlers who invaded their community, and attacked a few homes. He added that the soldiers started firing gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at the Palestinians, wounding two with rubber-coated steel bullets and causing scores to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. Daghlas stated that the soldiers shot Suleiman Hasan Abu Sa'da and Miladi Hasan Miladi with rubber-coated steel bullets, and caused dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC)
  - Israeli soldiers, today, assaulted an elderly Palestinian at an army checkpoint to northwest of Ramallah, according to witnesses. They said that soldiers, stationed at a checkpoint outside the village of Deir Nitham, stopped a car driven by Saleh Tamimi, 52, and forced him out of his car before they started beating him for no apparent reason. Tamimi became unconscious and was quickly transported, by village residents, to hospital in Ramallah, Wafa further reports. The Israeli army has, for several days, closed two access roads to Deir Nitham, and has established a permanent checkpoint on the third access road, where residents say they are regularly harassed by the soldiers manning the checkpoint. (IMEMC)
  - Israeli navy ships opened fire on several Palestinian fishing boats near the shore of Gaza city. The Palestinian fishing boats were less than three nautical miles from the shore of the Sudaniyya area, northwest of Gaza. The attack did not lead to casualties but forced the fishermen back to the shore in fear of further violations. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
  - A Palestinian woman, who was shot and killed by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) after an alleged stabbing attempt. The slain Palestinian woman was later identified as Ala' Nafeth Wahdan, 28, from Qalandia refugee camp. After she was shot, she was left bleeding for a long time, before an Israeli ambulance moved her to Hadassah Israeli Medical Center in Jerusalem, where she succumbed to her wounds. Following the incident, the IOA closed the terminal and fired many Palestinians with

pepper-spray while trying to remove them from the area. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- A child was admitted to Istishari Hospital in the central West Bank city of Ramallah, with very critical bullet wounds after settlers *and* Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided al-Mazra al-Gharbieh village north of Ramallah. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- In Abu Dis, east of Jerusalem, a young man was shot in the leg during confrontations after the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) entered the village. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- In Tubas in the northern Jordan Valley, youths resisted the invasion of the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and settlers, in response the IOA fired teargas directly at the youths, causing five suffocation cases, one requiring hospitalization. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Deir Nitham village, northwest of Ramallah, searched several homes and photographed several teenage boys. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- Several army jeeps invaded Hebron city, in addition to Bani Neim and Sa'ir towns, east of the city, and searched homes. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded a home, belonging to members of Abu Rajab family, near the Ibrahimi Mosque in Hebron city, in addition to the home of Abdul-Hamid Abu Jaroush in Bani Neim town, in addition to the homes of former political prisoner Younes al-Kawazba, and current political prisoner Islam Kawazba. It is worth mentioning that Younes is the father of Ahmad Kawazba, 17, who was killed by the IOA at Gush Etzion junction, north of Hebron, on Tuesday, January 5<sup>th</sup> 2016. The soldiers confiscated posters and pictures of the slain Palestinian and violently searched the homes. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured many Palestinians with rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs, during protests that erupted after the army invaded Halhoul town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. The IOA invaded the town to accompany dozens of settlers, to tour in Prophet Younis mosque, leading to protests. The IOA fired many gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at the protesters, causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation, in addition to

shooting several others with rubber-coated steel bullets. In addition, the IOA and the settlers also stormed Hebron's Commercial area in Bab az-Zawiya. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- Seven Palestinian residents were injured when a homemade shell was fired from Gaza targeting nearby Israeli settlements but landed and detonated in a home in the eastern area of Rafah, in the southern part of the coastal region. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided at around 2:00am the office of Addameer Prisoners Support and Human Rights Association. The IOA stole five laptops, memory cards, three laptop memories, one laptop card, several books and additionally searching through the belongings of the office. This is the third incident where the IOA have raided the office, the first was in 2002 and the second incident was in 2012. (Wafa 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) cut water supply to the village of Bardalla in the northern Jordan Valley after shutting down the water taps supplying the village with its daily water needs. The IOA raided the village and proceeded to shut the pipes supplying the village's around 2000 population with their daily water needs without giving any reason for this action. (Wafa 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) closed the water pipes which supply Palestinian residents in the village of Bardale, in the northern Jordan Valley, east of the occupied West Bank. The IOA stormed the village in the early morning and closed a number of pipes which supply the area, without mentioning any reasons. (IMEMC 20 September 2019)
- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded, Deir Ghassana Palestinian village, northwest of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The Israeli army invaded the village and started stopping the Palestinians and their cars on its main road. The army also searched many cars and interrogated the Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. Several Palestinian youngsters protested the invading army jeeps, while the army fired rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, a Palestinian home in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem, and interrogated a child in the property, after alleging that she was filming them when some youngsters



reportedly hurled stones at their jeep. The child and her family were on the rooftop of their home barbecuing with relatives. The IOA started interrogating her and asking her if she saw who threw stones at them and if she filmed it on her phone. The child, Sondos Omar Atiya, 12, denied the allegations of the IOA, and that she was on the rooftop with her family and relatives barbecuing and socializing. The IOA then examined several phones, and questioned her father, before leaving the property. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured fifteen Palestinians after the army invaded the al-'Ezariyya town, east of occupied Jerusalem. Several army jeeps invaded the town and fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at Palestinians protesting the invasion. The IOA also fired many gas bombs directly at several homes in the town, causing damage and injuries. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Azzoun town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, attacked and closed several shops, leading to protests, before the army shot and injured six Palestinians during ensuing protests, one of them, identified as Naji Mofeed Radwan, 25, was shot with a live round in the abdomen. Two others were shot two with rubber-coated steel bullets, and three who suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. In addition, the IOA closed several shops on the main road extending from the town's entrance to Azzoun Highschool for Boys and prevented the Palestinians from reaching the local mosque for evening prayers. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- Several Israeli army jeeps invaded, the archeological area in Sebastia Palestinian town, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the area and fired a barrage of gas bombs at the Palestinians to force them away. Many Palestinians protested the invasion, and hurled stones at the soldiers who fired live rounds and more gas bombs. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- At least eight Palestinians sustained rubber-coated steel bullet injuries and suffocation during clashes that broke out with Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) at the northern entrance to al-Bireh in Ramallah. Dozens of Birzeit university students demonstrated in solidarity with Palestinian prisoners on hunger strike in Israeli jails and in protest of Israeli measures against them. The IOA attacked demonstrators with rubber-coated steel bullets, tear gas canisters, and stun grenades, injuring at least eight people. The

IOA also closed the northern checkpoint known as the DCO, near the northern entrance to al-Bireh city, in both directions in the aftermath of the clashes. (Wafa 23 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed an archaeological site in the town of Sabastia, to the northwest of Nablus, leading to violent confrontations. Dozens of IOA raided the site amid the firing of live bullets and tear gas canisters toward residents, provoking conflict. No injuries or arrests were reported. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- Two Palestinian paramedics, suffered injuries after Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) targeted them, as they performed their duties during skirmishes between local youth and IOA in Eizariya town, occupied Jerusalem. The Red Crescent paramedics were rushed to the Makassed emergency unit; one of them was hit by a tear gas canister, in his face, and that the other received a foot injury from a rubber-coated steel bullet. The IOA violently stormed Eizariya town, and began firing tear gas grenades and rubber-coated bullets at Palestinians citizens, which provoked confrontations with young local men. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed the Hebron headquarters of the Union of Palestinian Women Committees and seized computer hard discs and other equipment. Sara Mtair, director of the Hebron office of the Women Committees said that the IOA raided her office early this morning, in this southern West Bank city, ransacking it and seizing a camera and a number of computers, while trashing files and damaging furniture. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the northern West Bank city of Nablus, to accompany buses transporting colonialist settlers to visit “Joseph’s Tomb”, east of the city, and attacked dozens of protesters, causing many injuries. The IOA accompanied dozens of settlers into the site, after invading and surrounding the adjacent Palestinian communities. Many Palestinian youngsters protested the invasion, while the IOA fired gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets. The invasion into the site, and surrounded areas, was carried out by dozens of IOA, accompanying around 1200 settlers. It is worth mentioning that Israel’s Education Minister, former Chief Military Rabbi, Rafi Peretz, and the head of the Regional Council on Settlements, Yossi Dagan, accompanied the settlers in this invasion. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) confiscated a Palestinian car in the ar-Ras al-Ahmar area, in northern Jordan Valley, without providing and cause of justification. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- Israeli police, ordered a Palestinian butchery owned by owner Fadi Zahdeh located in East Jerusalem to shut down for 15 days, for hiring Palestinian help. The police raided his shop in Silwan, took him to their station where he was questioned about hiring a Palestinian resident of the West Bank who did not have a permit to be in Jerusalem. The police ordered that his shop will be closed for 15 days, as a punishment for hiring the Palestinian and that he will be arrested if he opens it during this period. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured several Palestinians in Batn al-Hawa neighborhood, in the central West Bank city of Ramallah, after invading it and surrounding a residential building. The invasion was carried out by at least twenty military vehicles before the IOA surrounded the residential building. The IOA also invaded the al-Jammal nearby building and installed a sniper post on its rooftop, in addition to breaking into and searching a warehouse used for medical supplies. The invasion led to protests with many Palestinians who hurled stones at the army vehicles, while the IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs, concussion grenades, rubber-coated steel bullets, and several live rounds. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, and that a fire broke out due to the intensity of the gas bombs and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- A large Israeli military force invaded, the areas surrounding al-Am'ari refugee camp, al-Quds Street in al-Biereh city, and Kobar town north of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The soldiers invaded al-Quds Street before storming and ransacking many homes, and residential buildings, and interrogated dozens of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The Army force also invaded homes near the al-Am'ari refugee camp, and al-Quds Street in al-Biereh city, in addition to Kobar town, north of Ramallah. Many Palestinian youngsters protested the invasions, while the army force fired gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets. Several army vehicles invaded the town, and were mainly stationed at its main road, stopped and searched dozens of cars while the residents were trying to leave for work or school. The Israeli force also invaded a land, owned by Abdul-Karim Barghouthi, and started bulldozing it without any cause or justification. In addition, the Israeli

- army safely detonated two explosive devices in an open area in Kobar. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at protesters near Birzeit University, and Abu Shkeidim village. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
  - Scores of Palestinian citizens were wounded on Friday when Israeli occupation forces (IOF) opened fire at the peaceful protesters in the Great March of Return in the Gaza Strip. The Palestinian Ministry of Health in Gaza said that 63 Palestinians were injured by live ammunition and tear gas canisters, including four medics. Hundreds of Palestinians marched on the 76th Friday of the Great March of Return along the border between the Gaza Strip and the 1948 occupied Palestinian territories. The marchers voiced their rejection of the conspiracies aimed at liquidating the Palestinian cause, particularly the Deal of the Century, and the US-backed Israeli settlement policies in the West Bank and Jerusalem. Since the start of the Great March of Return on 30 March 2018, the IOF has killed 324 Palestinians, including children, and injured over 32,000. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)
  - Dozens of Palestinian citizens and foreign activists choked on tear gas fired by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) at the protesters taking part in the weekly demonstration in Kafr Qaddum village in the West Bank Governorate of Qalqilya. The IOA heavily fired tear gas canisters and rubber-coated metal bullets at the demonstrators wounding dozens of them. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) launched a teargas attack on Palestinian citizens from Nazlat Issa town, north of Tulkarem, causing many of them to suffer from their exposure to the resultant fumes. The IOA suddenly showered a large number of Nazlat Issa residents with tear gas after they gathered near a military gate at the separation fence in their area in Tulkarem in an attempt to go to Palestinian towns on the other side of the fence. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured several Palestinians, during protests that took place after the army invaded the areas Surrounding Abu Dis University, in Abu Dis town, east of occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA invaded the town after a few young men tried to dig a hole in the illegal Annexation Wall in the town and added that the IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades. Protests erupted in the town, especially around Abu Dis University, in addition to the entrance of as-Sawahra ash-Sharqiya town. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of

teargas inhalation and received the needed treatment. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured several Palestinians in the ath-Thaher area, in Beit Ummar town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. Several army jeeps invaded the ath-Thaher area, and attacked many Palestinian protesters. The IOA fired many gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at the protesters, and several surrounding homes. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked dozens of Palestinians holding prayers and a nonviolent gathering in the lands of as-Sawahra ash-Sharqiya village, east of occupied Jerusalem, to protest the illegal colonialist outpost which was installed on their lands in the ad-Dibba area. More than 100 Palestinians gathered on their lands and held Friday noon prayers, which were led by the Mufti, Sheikh Mohammad Hussein. The IOA fired many gas bombs at the Palestinians, causing dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The Palestinians also marched in the area, carrying Palestinian flags and chanting against Israel's illegal colonies, violations, and its ongoing occupation. The IOA prevented the Palestinians from marching close to the newly installed illegal outpost, and near the protest tent which was recently demolished and removed by the army. The demolished protest was installed two days ago by activists of the Colonization and Wall Resistance Commission near the illegal outpost which was installed by the colonists on September 15<sup>th</sup>, after they brought mobile homes and water tanks. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the weekly procession against the Annexation Wall and Colonies in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, and caused dozens to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The Palestinians, accompanied by Israel and international peace activists, marched marking the 19<sup>th</sup> anniversary of the Al-Aqsa Intifada while chanting against the ongoing illegal Israeli occupation, its colonies, and ongoing violations. The IOA, including army jeeps that invaded the area, started firing live rounds, concussion grenades, gas bombs, and rubber-coated steel bullets. Scores of Palestinians suffered the severe effects of teargas inhalation. The army tried to chase and detain Palestinian youngsters but was unable to do so. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)

- On 76<sup>th</sup> Friday of Great March of Return, A Palestinian civilian was killed and 86 civilians were injured as a result of the Israeli military's continued use of excessive force against the peaceful protests along the Gaza Strip's eastern border; 22 children, 4 female paramedics, 5 male paramedics and 2 persons with disabilities were among those injured. This Friday witnessed an escalation in the use of excessive force against the protesters as injury of 5 of them deemed serious; one died after hours of his injury while 4, including a child and a female paramedic, are still in a very serious condition. Further, 40 protestors were shot with live bullets while the Israeli forces escalated their attacks against the medical personnel, which enjoys protection under the international humanitarian law, wounding 9 paramedics, including a female paramedic deemed in a very critical condition. 212 killings by Israel since the outbreak of the protests on 30 March 2018, including 46 children, 2 women, 9 persons with disabilities, 4 paramedics and 2 journalists. Additionally, 14,056 were wounded, including 3,020 children, 429 women, 244 paramedics and 215 journalists, noting that many of those injured had sustained multiple injuries on separate occasions. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- Israeli navy ships fired several rounds of live ammunition at Palestinian fishing boats near the shore of Beit Lahia, in the northern part of the besieged coastal region. The Israeli navy fired live rounds at the Palestinian fishing boats while sailing less than three nautical miles from the shore in Beit Lahia. The attack did not lead to casualties but forced the fishermen back to the shore in fear of further Israeli violations. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) handed orders to two women, both teachers identified as Hanadi Halawani and Khadija Khweiss, denying them access to the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound and its surrounding areas of six months. The two women have previously been detained numerous times for protesting the ongoing provocative tours by soldiers, police officers and settlers into Al-Aqsa, especially since the police frequently pushes the Palestinian Muslim worshipers out of the holy site during these tours, in addition to detaining and detaining many of them. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

## Israeli Arrests

### **Israeli Arrests during the month of July 2019**

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians and ransacked several homes from al-Jalazoun refugee camp, north of Ramallah city. During ensuing confrontations, the IOA opened fire towards local youngsters attempting to block their passage, causing a number to suffocate from tear gas. (IMEMC 1 July 2019)
- In Jerusalem Governorate, a Palestinian was rounded up during an Israeli military raid in As-Sawahira Ash-Sharqiya town, southeast of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 1 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) rounded up a Palestinian from the vicinity of Umm al-Rihan village in the northern West Bank Governorate of Jenin. The detainee was identified as a resident of Anin town, west of Jenin. (Wafa 1 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) four Palestinians, including two children, in the al-'Isawiya town, and Shu'fat refugee camp, in occupied East Jerusalem. Dozens of IOA invaded the al-'Isawiya town, and assaulted many Palestinians, and detained two of them, in the mourning tent of Mohammad Samir Obeid, 21, who was killed on June 27<sup>th</sup>, during a protest in Jerusalem when IOA shot him with several bullets, including a live round in the heart. The IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs, in addition to live rounds and concussion grenades at the Palestinians, leading to protests; scores of residents suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. The Israeli invasion and attacks came during the funeral procession of the slain young Palestinian man. In addition, undercover Israeli soldiers infiltrated into Shu'fat refugee camp, and kidnapped two Palestinian children, before moving them to an unknown destination. Furthermore, the IOA, stationed at the military roadblock near the entrance of Shu'fat refugee camp, fired gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets, at Palestinian protesters, causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 2 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained fifteen young Palestinian men, after ambushing them near al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem. All of the detained Palestinians were moved to the Police Station in Salahuddin Street, in Jerusalem. Most of the detained Palestinians are from the at-Tour town, in Jerusalem. They were all taken prisoner when a large number of IOA were deployed at one of the entrances of al-'Isawiya town, before stopping and searching dozens of

- cars. The detained Palestinians were identified as: Khalil Kamal Abu al-Hawa. Amir Sami Abu al-Hawa. Mahmoud Ahmad Abu al-Hawa. Hamza Zaki Khweiss. Osama Khaled al-Hadra. Majdi Khaled al-Hadra. Mohammad Tareq Abu Ghannam. Mustafa Mohammad Abu Ghannam. Mohammad Khaled Abu Ghannam. Mahmoud Ahmad Ashayer. Odai Ayman 'Obeid. Mohammad Ahmad 'Obeid. Ayman Bokeir. Hazem Karsha. Bashar Karsha. (IMEMC 2 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained seven Palestinian students of Birzeit University in the occupied West Bank, including the former head of the student council. The IOA detained the former head of the student council Usama Fakhouri and another student at their homes in nearby Jalazoun refugee, as well as two other students after raiding their student residence near the university, two at their family home in Beitunia, near Ramallah, and another at the residence of his family in Jifna, also near Ramallah. No reason was given for the detention. (Wafa 2 July 2019)
  - An Israeli court released from prison today 10 Palestinian residents of East Jerusalem and ordered them placed under house arrest for five days. The 10 were detained last night as they were leaving Issawiyeh neighborhood after participating in the funeral of Mohammad Obeid, who was shot dead in cold blood by Israeli police. The release decision was also conditioned on not entering Issawiyeh for 10 days and for a third part to pay a bail of around \$1500 each. At the same time, the court remanded five other Jerusalem residents until July 16. (Wafa 2 July 2019)
  - In Bethlehem, south of occupied East Jerusalem in the West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained invaded and ransacked several homes, and detained Dia' Abu 'Aker, from 'Aida refugee camp, north of the city. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
  - In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained invaded and searched many homes, in addition to several shops, in Yatta town, south of the city, in addition to the nearby ar-Reehiyya village. The IOA were also heavily deployed in several neighborhoods in Hebron city, especially in the al-Hawouz area. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
  - In Qabatia town, south of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Eshteyya Zakarna from his home. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)



- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Jihad al-Hamshari, 37, from his home in Thannaba area, east of the city. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained invaded Abu Dis town, east of Jerusalem, searched homes and detained Soheib Jaffal, Bassel Affana and Mohammad Ibrahim Erekat. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- In Shu'fat, northeast of Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Anan Nasser Abu Khdeir, Saif al-Asmar, Ibrahim Abu Nea', Mahmoud Adeeb Haddad and Anan Nasser Abu Khader. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- In Jifna village, north of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Ahmad Adnan al-Kanesh, after invading his home and searching it. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained five Palestinians from the northern West Bank Governorate of Jenin. The IOA conducted a raid in Burqin town, southwest of Jenin, detaining two former prisoners. The IOA also detained two more during a predawn raid that triggered confrontations in the refugee camp of Jenin. During ensuing confrontations, some local youngsters who protested the raid got suffocated due to inhaling the toxic gas fired at them by the IOA. Another Palestinian was rounded up from the city of Jenin. (Wafa 4 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained five young Palestinian men, including former political prisoners, from Jenin governorate, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The IOA invaded Burqin town, west of Jenin, searched and ransacked several homes, and detained two siblings, both former political prisoners, identified as Ashraf Zeidan al-Jada', and his brother, Nasser. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) also invaded the home of a former political prisoner, identified as Sultan Ahmad Khallouf, detained his father, and handed the family an order for Sultan to turn himself in to the military in Salem base, near Jenin. Furthermore, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Mohammad Jamal Zobeidi, in addition to Abdullah Mohammad Jalamna, after invading their homes and searching them, in Jenin refugee camp. During the invasion into the refugee camp, the IOA fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian

protesters, causing many to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 5 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Jenin city and searched a few homes, and detained Mohammad Nabil Sabah. (IMEMC 5 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian mother from the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem, to pressure her child, Mahmoud, to turn himself in to the police. The IOA detained the mother of a “wanted” child, identified as Mahmoud Obeid, to pressure him and his family. The army has informed the family that the mother will remain in prison until her child turns himself in to the police for interrogation. The IOA also detained three young man in Bab al-'Amoud area, in Jerusalem, and interrogated them for several hours before releasing them. (IMEMC 5 July 2019)
- A Palestinian woman from Jerusalem and her son were placed under house arrest for five days as a condition for their release from Israeli custody while her husband and another son were remanded in custody. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the home of Ahmad Zaghhal in Silwan neighborhood in occupied East Jerusalem in order to arrest his son, Ibrahim. When Ibrahim was not at home, the IOA detained his parents and his brother, Hussein, and held them in a police jeep in nearby Ras El Amoud while waiting for Ibrahim to show up. However, when Ibrahim came to turn himself in, he was detained after he was beaten up along with his parents and brother, who was also beaten. They were held overnight at a police station and the mother, Hayat, and her son Hussein were released this morning on a \$1500 bail each and placed under house arrest for five days. The father, Ahmad, and the other son, Ibrahim, were remanded in custody. The reason for the raid and detention was not immediately known. (IMEMC 6 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the brother of a slain young Palestinian man who was killed by the army on April 2<sup>nd</sup>, 2019. The IOA detained Fadi Adwan, and detained his father, Ali, for several hours, after stopping them near Deir Ammar refugee camp, northwest of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The IOA stopped the young man and his father while returning home, after visiting family members near the refugee camp. (IMEMC 7 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young Palestinian man from Jenin while crossing Za'tara military roadblock, south of the

northern West Bank city of Nablus. The IOA stopped and searched dozens of Palestinian cars and residents at the roadblock, and interrogated many of them while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA detained a young man, identified as Mohammad Khalaf, while returning home in Burqin village, south of Jenin. (IMEMC 7 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young Palestinian man and his father, allegedly for deliberately ramming IOA, wounding five. The Israeli army claimed that the incident, which took place at Hizma military roadblock, north of occupied East Jerusalem, “was a deliberate ramming attack and not an accident.” Five IOA were injured in the incident, two suffered moderate wounds, and three were mildly injured. Following the incident, the Israeli army initiated extensive searches in the area, especially in and around Hizma Palestinian town, looking for the car and its driver. The IOA closed the roadblock and blocked all Palestinian traffic immediately after the incident took place. Dozens of IOA surrounded Hizma town, and closed all its entrances, before the army invaded its main streets. Despite the Israeli allegations, the incident was likely a traffic accident and not an intentional ramming attack, and that the driver apparently fled the scene to avoid being shot and killed by the IOA, to avoid what happened in [previous similar incidents](#) in the West Bank. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as Mohammad Khalaf, from Burqin town, west of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, while crossing Za’tara military roadblock, south of Nablus, also in northern West Bank. (IMEMC 7 July 2019)
- The Israeli municipality of Jerusalem summoned for questioning five Palestinians from Wadi Yasul quarter in the occupied East Jerusalem neighborhood of Silwan, under the pretext of building without construction. Staff of the Israeli municipality accompanied by police officers stormed five homes in Wadi Yasul area and handed their owners summons to appear for questioning. The Israeli municipality recently ordered the demolition of about 80 Palestinian-owned homes in the area under the same pretext of construction without a permit. (WAFA 7 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) conducted large-scale raids across the northern West Bank Governorate of Jenin, resulting in the detention of 13 former prisoners. Two of the former prisoners were identified as residents

of Burqin town, west of Jenin, four others as residents of Jenin refugee camp, four others as residents of Jenin city, and three others as residents of Zububa and Kafr Dan villages, northwest of Jenin. During the raid into Jenin refugee camp, Israeli troops shot teargas canisters at youngsters who attempted to block their passage, causing a number to suffocate. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Qalqiliya city where soldiers rounded up a Palestinian man. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Ramallah Governorate, an Israeli military raid in Silwad village, east of Ramallah, resulted in the detention of a Palestinian. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Jerusalem Governorate, Israeli police rounded up five Palestinians after storming their houses in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of al-Issawiyeh. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) rounded up Two Palestinians from Biddu town, northwest of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Bethlehem Governorate, two Palestinians were detained from Tuqu town, southeast of Bethlehem city, and one each from Bethlehem city and al-Khader town, south of the city. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Hebron Governorate, an Israeli military raid was carried out in al-Dahriyeh town, south of Hebron, resulting in the detention of a Palestinian. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Jenin governorate, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained thirteen former Palestinian political prisoners, after invading and ransacking their homes. They have been identified as Sultan Khallouf, Mahmoud Qasrawi, Majdi Abu al-Haija, Ata al-Jabali, Jom'a Abu Khalifa, Khaled al-Hajj, Abdul-Jabbar Jarrar, Nidal Abdul-Hadi, Mohammad Souqiyya, Hasan Zaghaf, Majed 'Aabed, Ibrahim Jabr, and Allam Salah. The detained Palestinians are from Jenin city, Jenin refugee camp, Burqin, Zabbouba and Fark Dan. Protests took place in Jenin refugee camp, after the IOA stormed and ransacked homes, and fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades, causing many Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Wa'el at-Till, 26, from his home in the ath-Thaheriyya town, south of Hebron. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)

- In Halhoul town, north of Hebron, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched many homes and summoned several Palestinians for interrogation. Some of the summoned Palestinians have been identified as Mohammad Saber Zama'ra, his brother Baha', Ahmad Azmi Zama'ra, his brother Sajed, in addition to Mohammad Walid Zama'ra and Anan Yousef Zama'ra. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Luay Mansour from his home in Silwad town, east of the city. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as Ibrahim Younis. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Obeida Jabour, from his home in Salem town, east of the city. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- In Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied East Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Khaled al-'Amour, 20, Hussein Mohammad al-'Amour, 20, Hussein Atef Obeyyat, 19, Ahmad Ismael Salah, and Mohammad Jamal 'Oweida. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- Palestinian detainee Yousif Nazal, from Jenin's town of Qabatia in the occupied West Bank, entered his 13th year in Israeli jails. Nazal was detained after years of being wanted by the Israeli authorities, and was sentenced to 15 years in jail, most of which were spent in solitary confinement. (Wafa, 9 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched several homes in Hebron city, and detained Adnan Khader Edrees, 23, and his brother Tareq, 25. (IMEMC 09 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Awwa town, southwest of Hebron, searched homes and detained Mo'tasem Farouq al-Masalma, 19. (IMEMC 09 July 2019)
- In the al-Fawwar refugee camp, south of Hebron, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Hazem Abu Keefa from his home. (IMEMC 09 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians from the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Silwan. (HAARETZ, Wafa 10 July, 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained A Palestinian from the Siyam family. (HAARETZ, AL WAFI 10 July, 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained rounded up two Palestinians in Bethlehem. (HAARETZ, WAFI 10 July, 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained raided Qalqiliya city, and detained a Palestinian. (WAFI 10 July, 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and ransacked many homes in Kafr Malek and al-Mazra'a al-Gharbiyya villages, in the central West Bank governorate of Ramallah, and detained five Palestinians. The detained Palestinians identified as Abada Adwan B'eirat, Khalil Yousef Shreiteh, Saleh Tareq Ladadwa, Mohammad Akram Ladadwa and Hamza Amir Abu al-Bayya'. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- In Jenin governorate, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Husam Abu Tabeekh, Sa'id Yousef Abdul-Qader and Ahmad As'ad Khallouf. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Akram Taiseer Eid, 44, from his home, in Qalqilia, in northern West Bank. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- In Bethlehem, south of occupied East Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ismael Sami al-Ja'fari and Khalil Emad al-'Amour. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- A Palestinian, identified as Husam Mohammad Taha, was detained by the Israeli Occupation army (IOA) from his home in Qatanna town, west of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Ad Deheishe refugee camp, south of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank, shot and injured two Palestinians, and detained one. The IOA first infiltrated into the camp using two civilian cars, before many jeeps invaded it and attacked. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- Palestinian protesters with live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs and concussion grenades. The IOA injured two young Palestinian men with live fire, caused several others to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation, and detained a young man, identified as Ismael Sami al-Ja'fari. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the Shiokh town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and violently searched many homes.

The IOA caused serious damage to the furniture and the doors of No'man al-Hasasna house, in addition to smashing many windows in the property. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the al-'Isawiya town, in Jerusalem, and detained a young man, identified as Ahmad al-Masri. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- An undercover Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian young man after infiltrating into Nour Shams refugee camp, near the city of Tulkarm in the occupied West Bank. The masked IOA off a white vehicle and kidnapped Ahmad Adnan Jamal, 21, while he was at his work in a car-wash workshop in the camp. Jamal was taken to an unknown destination by the kidnapping force. (Wafa 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli authorities re-detained a Palestinian from occupied East Jerusalem as he walked out of prison after serving 15 years. Wasim Salim Jallad, 41, was leaving the Naqab prison in the south of Israel after completing his 15-year prison sentence when he was picked up by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) and re-detained him. No reason was given for the re-detention of Jallad. (Wafa 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three young Palestinian men after stopping them at the al-Hamra military roadblock north of the West Bank . One of the detainees is from Qabatia, south of the northern West Bank city of Jenin. Another from the West Bank's Northern Plains and one from Nur Shams refugee camp, east of Tulkarem. (Wafa, IMEMC 12 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three young Palestinians men from Qabatia, south of the northern West Bank city of Jenin, after stopping them at the al-Hamra military roadblock, in the West Bank's Northern Plains, and one from Nur Shams refugee camp, east of Tulkarem. The IOA, stationed at the al-Hamra military roadblock, stopped and searched dozens of cars, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA detained three Palestinian security officers, identified as Nouredin Faleh Abu ar-Rob, Mohammad Qassem Zakarna and Ahmad Nasri Zakarna. (IMEMC 12 July 2019)
- Undercover Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) driving a white civilian car, detained Ahmad Adnan Hussein, 21, while working at a carwash facility at the main entrance of Nur Shams refugee camp, east of Tulkarem, in

northern West Bank, before army jeeps invaded the area, and took the Palestinian to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 12 July 2019)

- Israeli navy ships attacked Palestinian fishing boats in the southern part of the Gaza Strip, detained two fishermen, and confiscated equipment. The attack took place less than six nautical miles from the Gaza shore. The two detained fishermen were identified as Mohammad Wael Bardaweel, and his brother Ahmad. The two Palestinians, and the confiscated fishing gear and equipment, were later transferred to Ashdod Port. The navy fired many live rounds at Palestinian fishing in Gaza territorial waters. (Wafa, IMEMC, 13 July, 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young Palestinian man in Bab al-'Amoud in Jerusalem. . (IMEMC, 13 July, 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in the Schools Street, in Jabal al-Mokabber, and detained two young men, identified as Nour Oleyyan, 21, and Rezeq 'Oweisat, 20. (IMEMC, 13 July, 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Hebron, in the southern part of the West Bank, and detained Tareq Hussein al-Mohtaseb and Abdul-Rahman Gheith. (IMEMC 14 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ata Ta'amra and Ahmad Shouka, from their homes in Bethlehem. (IMEMC 14 July 2019)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Qussai Omar Abu ar-Rob, 17, from Jalboun village, east of the city, while standing on a Palestinian land near a military fence. The army claimed that the teen was trying to breach the fence. (IMEMC 14 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained Shorouq Mohammad al-Badan, 25, after raiding and searching her parents' home in the town of Tuquo, southeast of Bethlehem. Badan is married and a mother of two. No immediate reason was given for her detention. (Wafa 15 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained Rawan Abu Sneineh, 17, as she passed a military checkpoint near the settlement of Kiryat Arba and took her to an undisclosed location. (Maannews, Wafa 15 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained Palestinian former prisoners, named Ahmad Ghazaleh ,during raids at his homes in East Jerusalem. (Wafa 15 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained six Palestinian former prisoners during raids at their homes in different neighborhoods of the occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA detained Ahmad Ghazaleh from the Old City, Mohammad Razem from Ras El Amoud, Amireh Amireh, Obeid



Amireh and Mohammad Dwaiyat, from Sur Baher, and Mohammad Karaki, from Mount of Olives. The six had previously served time in Israeli jails for resisting the occupation. (Wafa 15 July 2019)

- In occupied Jerusalem, the Israel Occupation Army (IOA) stormed and ransacked several homes and detained seven former political prisoners, identified as Ahmad Ghazala, from the Old City, Mohammad Ma'moun ar-Razem, from Ras al-Amoud in Silwan, Ameera Ameera, Obeido Ameera and Mohammad Ibrahim Dweiyat, from Sur Baher town, Mohammad Maher al-Kakarki, from at-Tour, and Ali al-Faqeeh from Qotna town. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained invaded Qalandia refugee camp, north of Jerusalem, and detained two young men, identified as Amro Nadim and Mahmoud Shehada. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) closed the road leading to Qalandia Terminal, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and examined the ID cards of many Palestinians, leading to serious and extended congestion in traffic. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)
- In Jenin governorate, in northern West Bank, the Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Hasan Ayman Safadi, and also detained Ahmad Issam Abu ar-Rob, from Qabatia town, south of Jenin.
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained detained Mohammad Sami Masharqa, from Jenin city, while he was crossing the al-Karama Border Crossing heading back home after visiting Jordan. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained Khaled Akef Awadallah, from Salem village, east of the city, after invading his home and ransacking it. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Forik town, east of Nablus, and searched the home of a former political prisoner, identified as Zaher Khataba. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)
- In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained a teenage girl, identified as Rawan Abu Sneina, 17, who was crossing a military roadblock near the Ibrahimi Mosque, and took her to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) raided Qalqilya and detained Sa'id Ziad Abu Haniya, 26, from the town of Azzun (MAANNEWS 16 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) raided Qalqilya and detained Hassan Kamal Shawahneh, 26, from Kufr Thulth village in the south. (MAANNEWS, 16 July 2019)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained five Palestinians, identified as Mohammad Mo'tasem Sabbagh, Mojahed al-'Amer, Aysar Sa'adi, Aws 'Oweiss and Mohammad Taha Abu Seriyya. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)
- In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yousef Abu Ramadan and Omar Barghouthi. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)
- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinians identified Anas Salman and Hasan Kamal Shawahna. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)
- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Tha'er Qteish. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)
- In Salfit, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahran Hosni Mahmoud Samara. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian child in Ya'bad village southwest of Jenin city after raiding his family house and searching it. The child was identified as Zayd Ahmad Ba'jawi, 14. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinians from Um At Tut village east of Jenin city. The two were identified as Mazen Mustafa Zakarneh, 60, and his brother Adnan, 40 after raiding their homes and searching them. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) released the child Nur Khamis from prison to house arrest for 5 days by an Israeli decision. Khamis was detained few days ago and has under gone interrogation. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) extended the arrest of Jerusalemite Hamam al-Husseini from Ash Sheikh Jarrah neighborhood

until the 23rd of July 2019, arrested his elderly father and summoned his sister for investigation. (Wafa 17 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) also extended the detention of Mohammed Froukh, Amir Froukh, Ahmad Abu Khalaf, Mohammed Mansour Al Abbasi and Mohammad Abu Tayeh until the 31st of October. Mimi As'ad Jaber, 5, was injured in the head after being attacked by a settler guard in the central neighborhood of Batin al-Hawa in the town of Silwan, south of occupied Jerusalem. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Omar Suleiman Abu Ayyash, 24, after raiding his house and searching it in Beit Ummer town north of Hebron city. Abu Ayyash was transferred to Etzion detention center. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Shihab Yousef Qazzaz after raiding his house and searching its contents along with other houses in the town of Dura south of Hebron city. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Muhammad Abdel Rahman Nofel, 24, after raiding his family house and searching it in Qaliqlyia city. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured many Palestinians near Beit El military roadblock, north of al-Bierah city, in the Ramallah and al-Bierah governorate, in central West Bank. The IOA resorted to the excessive use of force against students of Bir Zeit University, who were nonviolently marching in condemnation of death of a political prisoner, identified as Nassar Taqatqa, 31, who died while in solitary confinement in Nitzan Israeli Prison. The sources added that dozens of soldiers were deployed in and around the military roadblock, while more troops were deployed on the surrounding hills. The soldiers fired a barrage of high-velocity gas bombs, concussion grenades, in addition to rubber-coated steel bullets at the protesters. Medical sources said dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, and others suffered cuts and bruises. (IMEMC 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed and violently searched many homes in the Ramallah and al-Bierah governorate, in central West Bank, and detained seven Palestinians, identified as Sami Hussein, Ibrahim Hasan Mosaffar, Khaled Hussein Mosaffar, Yousef Abu al-Baha, Maher Dalaysha, Fayez Warda and Mohammad Hasan Abu Salim. Sami Hussein works at the Palestinian Prisoners' Society's main office in Ramallah. (IMEMC 17 July 2019)

- In Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Sayyed Mohammad al-Jabri, Sharaf-Eddin Yassin Abu Salem from Ad Duheisha refugee camp after raiding their families' houses and searching them. (IMEMC 17 July 2019)
- In Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mousa Jaradat al-'Amour after raiding his house and searching it in Tequ village southeast of Bethlehem city. The IOA also caused damages to a car owned by al-'Amour's father and confiscated it. (IMEMC 17 July 2019)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two siblings, identified as Mazen and Adnan Mustafa Zakarna. (IMEMC 17 July 2019)
- In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Shehab Aref Qazzaz and Omar Suleiman Abu Ayyash. (IMEMC 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the Deheishe refugee camp, south of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank, detained two Palestinians and shot one. Dozens of IOA invaded the refugee camp after surrounding it, searched and ransacked homes, before detaining Fares Hasan Shamarkha, 35, and Ismael Tawfiq al-'Ayasa, 19. The invasions, violent home searches and detentions led to protests in the refugee camp, before the IOA fired many live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs injuring a young man, 25 with a live round in the thigh. Several Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. During the violent searches of homes, the IOA assaulted Ali Sami Shahin and his family, causing cuts and bruises. (IMEMC 18 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained fifteen young Palestinian men in occupied Jerusalem, who were celebrating their high-school graduation using fireworks, after Israeli settlers complained that the Palestinians are "firing live rounds." Dozens of Palestinians, including the graduating students, were celebrating the graduations, and using fireworks. Israeli settlers, living on Palestinian lands in and around the area, complained to the army and the police, and alleged that the Palestinians were also firing rounds of live ammunition. The settlers also alleged that "some of the bullets reached their homes and cars and endangered their lives." (IMEMC 18 July 2019)

- A Palestinian was injured by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) as the latter raided the camp and detained Hasan Mahmoud Shamarkhah, 35, and Ismael Tawfeeq Al Ayasa, 19, after raiding their families' houses and searching them. Clashes erupted between the IOA and Palestinians resulting in the injury of a Palestinian aged 25 years in his thigh. (Wafa 18 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Jenin refugee camp and detained Amin Hasan Bani Ghurra and Kasoum As Sa'di after raiding their families' houses and searching them. Clashes erupted between the IOA and the Palestinians. (Wafa 18 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Nahel Ahmad Rezeq Shqeir, Layth Ibrahim Bakr Shqeir, Rafat Yousef Abdullah Shqeir and his son Arqam after raiding their families' homes in Az Zawiya village west of Salfit and searching them. The IOA also detained for few hours resident Rif'at Shqeir and his son Omar, Najeeb Mustafa Muqdi and his son Karam. Additionally, the IOA raided the home of Az Zawiya Mayor, Naim Hammouda and summoned him to interview the Israeli Intelligence Police. (Wafa 18 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians, including a father and his son, after storming their families' houses in Az-Zawiya town, west of Salfit. (Wafa 18 July 2019)
- In Jenin Governorate, a large Israeli military force detained two Palestinians in a raid that triggered confrontations in Jenin refugee camp in the northern West Bank. During ensuing confrontations, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) opened fire towards local youngsters who attempted to block their entry. No injuries were reported though. (Wafa 18 July 2019)
- Two Palestinians were detained and another injured by Israeli military gunfire in Duheisha refugee camp, south of Bethlehem. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) conducted a raid into the camp, and detained two Palestinians, including a 19-year-old teen, after ransacking their families' houses. During confrontations that unfolded, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shot and injured a protestor by a live round in the thigh. (Wafa 18 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian from Dura town south of Hebron city after raiding his family home. The detained

Palestinina was identified as Mu'tasem Sameer Muhammad Az Zeir. (Wafa 18 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained a former prisoner, Bilal Abd Al-rahman Ismail, 18 years old, from Beit Amr, north Hebron. (Maannews 21 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Misbah AlKanash and Uday Nakhla from Al Jalazon camp, north Ramallah. He was detained for participating in public activities against the Israeli occupation. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Magdi Mohammed Abu Ayash from Beit Ummar, north of Hebron. He was detained for participating in public activities against the occupation. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Osama Obaido from Hebron for participating in public activities against the occupation. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Thamin Ahmed al-Halayqa from Al Shoyokh east of Hebron for participating in public activities against the occupation. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Wael Youssef Safi Harb from Dora south of Hebron. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained an old man, Mohammed Tahir Jabr, from Jayyus east of Qalqiliya. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Ahmed Ali Yamin from Al Ain Camp in Nablus. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Abdullah Wasef Dweikat from Beita town south of Nablus. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Qusay Nizar 'Adili from a village south of Nablus. (MAANNEWS 22 July 2019)
- Israeli military army raided Tuqu town, southeast of Bethlehem, where the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians in their early 20s. (Wafa 23 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided al-Khader town, south of Bethlehem, detaining a Palestinian. (Wafa 23 July 2019)
- In Hebron Governorate, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) conducted a raid in al-Fawwar refugee camp, south of Hebron city, resulting in the detention of a Palestinian. (Wafa 23 July 2019)

- In Nablus Governorate, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a 20-year-old Palestinian from the Dawabsheh family in Duma village, south of Nablus. (WAFA 23 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two 20-year-old youths in the Qalqilya Governorate in the north of the West Bank. (WAFA 23 July 2019)
- Israeli authorities released Mohammad Abu Teir, who owned the last of the buildings demolished by Israel in Sur Baher suburb of occupied East Jerusalem, and banned him from returning to his neighborhood until Thursday. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Abu Teir yesterday when he protested the demolition of his building. The IOA demolished 10 Palestinian-owned buildings in Sur Baher's Wadi al-Hummus area and displaced 24 individuals in the process, many of them children. (WAFA 23 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians from Kafr al-Labad village in Tulkarem Governorate. The four were identified as Ahmad Abdel Qader Hamdan, Muhammad Ibrahim Faqha, Ahmad Abu Jbara and Fadi Khattab. (WAFA, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mathna Abdullah Sadla from Anabta town in Tulkarem Governorate. (WAFA, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Younis Ghazi Odeh, 24, from al-Ras village in Tulkarem Governorate. (WAFA, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mu'ath Ash Sheikh Hussein from Kafr Abbush village in Tulkarem Governorate. (WAFA, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ezz Ad Din Muhammad Al Woddiya from Nur Shams refugee camp in Tulkarem Governorate. (WAFA, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- In Nablus Governorate, Israeli military vehicles raided Beita town, south of Nablus, where the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) rounded up a former prisoner identified as Hazem Idris Hamayel after raiding his family house and ransacking its contents. (WAFA, IMEMC 24 July 2019)

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- In the southern West Bank, Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Beit Fajjar town, south of Bethlehem city, resulting in the detention of two Palestinians brothers, Khaled, 30, and Muhammad Raed Taqatqa, 27. (Wafa, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- In Hebron Governorate, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Alaa' Al Uweiwi, 46, from the vicinity of Bab Az-Zawiya in Hebron city. (Wafa, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained A Palestinian Journalist from Beit Hanina north of Jerusalem city after raiding his house and transferring it into a military post and interrogating him. The journalist was identified as Saleh Az Zaghari. (Wafa, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided As Samou Town south of Hebron city and raided the houses of Yacoub Sami after searching it and ransacking the contents. (Wafa, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the house of Sayyed Muhammad As Sarahim from Beit Ula town west of Hebron city, searched it and ransacked contents. (Wafa, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) summoned Laith Asafreh from Beit Kahel town in Hebron Governorate to interview the Israeli Intelligence police. (Wafa, IMEMC 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities denied access to Al-Aqsa Mosque to citizen Malik Nabulsi, 14, for 15 days and citizen Ihab Zaghair for a week. The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) has also detained a number of Jerusalemites including Alaa Al-Masri and Alaa Al-Zerba, and summoned others for interrogation including a photographer identified as Rami Khatib, and a number of guards of the Al-Aqsa Mosque. (Wafa 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities decided to release three brothers from Al-Farouk neighborhood in Silwan, in occupied Jerusalem provided that they are not to access the area of Abu Ghneim settlement for 45 days. The decision includes the release of brothers Sharif, Mustafa and Mu'taz Ahmed al-Malehi, on a bail of NIS 3,000 and another third-party bail of NIS 5,000. (Wafa 24 July 2019)



- Two days after her release from a the Palestinian Authority (PA) jail, the Israeli intelligence apparatus detained Palestinian teacher Alaa Basheer, after summoning her for interrogation. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and ransacked many homes in Jenin city, and detained three former political prisoners. The three were identified as Abdul-Rahman Abu Khader, Ghassan Al-Atrash, and Miqdad Ahmad Nawahda. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Yahia Turkman, from his home in Wad Burqin town in Jenin Governorate. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner identified as Mohammad Awni Obeid, from Anza town in Jenin Governorate. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner identified as Mohammad Mahmoud Azzam, from Siolet al-Harithiya village in Jenin Governorate. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) invaded and ransacked homes in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem, and detained Tha'er Abed Mahmoud, and his sons Mohammad and Abdul-Rahman. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) invaded and ransacked homes in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem, and detained four Palestinians from their homes. The detained Palestinians were identified as Adham Sabta, Mohammad Amin Khallaf, Mohammad Abed Atiyya, Nassim Amjad Mohsin. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians identified as Omar Wadea' Qar'an, 'Atef Abu Thabet and Ahmad Mahmoud Qatrawi. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Ekrima Abu Elba. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two former political prisoner, identified as former legislator Azzam Salhab and Mohammad Mahmoud Ghneimat. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young Palestinian men at a sudden military roadblock, near Tulkarem. The two young men, who remained unidentified, were driving near Taybeh military roadblock,

when the IOA stopped them at a sudden roadblock which was installed in the area. (IMEMC, 26 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained four Palestinians from Fasayel village, north of Jericho. The four were identified as Ahmad Mousa Nawawra, Fathi Ahmad Nawawra, Zakariya Khaled Nawawra, Fahmi Mohammad Sourka. (IMEMC, 26 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained seven Palestinians from their homes, in the al-'Isawiya town, in the center of occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA invaded and ransacked several homes, and detained Mohammad Fares Oleyyan, Mohammad Abu Libda, Yousef Abu Libda, Mohammad Haitham Mahmoud, Moudi Abu Ryala, Ala' Aby Ryala and Nasser Obeid. The invasions and violent searches of Palestinian property in al-'Isawiya has been on ongoing for several months, and include imposing high fines and fees on the Palestinians, their vehicles and property, in addition to the abduction of dozens of them. (IMEMC, 26 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Ezz Yousef Mohammed al-Atrash, 17 year old, after he was severely beaten during clashes that broke out between dozens of young men and the Israeli occupation army (IOA) in the area of Bab al-Zawiya in the center of Hebron. (MAAN, 26 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army invaded and ransacked several homes in Al 'Isawiya town, and detained Ala' Aby. (IMEMC, 26 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army invaded and ransacked several homes in Al 'Isawiya town, and detained Nasser Obeid. (IMEMC, 26 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) assaulted and detained a Palestinian teenage boy in the Bab az-Zawiya area, in Hebron city, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Dozens of IOA invaded the area, and fired many live rounds, gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at Palestinians protesting the invasion. The IOA detained Ezz Yousef al-Atrash, and repeatedly assaulted him, causing various cuts and bruises, before abducting him. The IOA were extensively deployed in the area, and closed many roads in and around Bab az-Zawiya, before stopping and searching local Palestinians and vehicles. (IMEMC, 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian teenage boy from Al Isawiya town in occupied East Jerusalem and took him to one of the interrogation centers in the city. The teenage boy was identified as Nyef Waseem Ubeid, 17. (WAFSA 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two youths as they tried to cross the border fence in the Gaza Strip. The IOA detained the two young

- men in the southern Gaza Strip after trying to cross the fence, and took them in for investigation. (IMEMC 28 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched several homes in various parts of Bethlehem, and surrounding communities, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA detained a child, identified as Ahmad Maher Khalifa, 14, in addition Qoteiba Khalifa and Ahmad Maher Ekhmayyes. (IMEMC 28 July 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded Doura town, south of Hebron, broke into the home of Abdul-Fattah Amro, and violently searched the property, before summoning his son, Shadi, for interrogation. (IMEMC 28 July 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched many homes, and detained the seven Palestinians, including one child, before moving them to a few interrogation and detention facilities. The detained Palestinians have been identified as Samer Anwar Obeid, Mohammad Ayman Obeid, Mohammad Adnan Obeid, Mohannad Anwar Obeid, Mohammad Ali Nasser, Shaker Ali Mustafa, Shaker Amjad Mustafa, and the child, Emad Jarrah Nasser, on 12 years of age. (IMEMC 28 July 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded the town of al-Ram, northeast of Jerusalem, and detained Hamza Rajabi, Faraj Edrees and Mohammad Edrees. (IMEMC 28 July 2019)
  - An Israeli court ordered five Palestinians from occupied East Jerusalem neighborhood of al-Issawiya to stay away from the city for two weeks, as a precondition for their release from Israeli custody. The five Palestinians who received stay-away orders are Ahmad Zumurrud, Ahmad Khmour, Wadee Elayyan, Malek Mustafa and Nayef Ebeid. It described the orders as a means of collective punishment against the entire citizens of al-Issawiya, in the aftermath of recent protests in the neighborhood sparked by Israel forces' murder of Palestinian youth Mohammad Ebeid. (Wafa 28 July 2019)
  - Palestinian prisoner Mohammed Abu Tabikh, from Jenin's city in the occupied West Bank, entered his 18th year in Israeli jails. Abu Tabikh, who was detained in July 2002 and was sentenced to two lifetimes and 15 years in jail, entered today 18 years in Israeli jails. (Wafa 28 July 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained seven citizens from their homes in the early morning hours in Al Esawiya town in occupied East

Jerusalem , waking them from their beds and taking them into custody. Most of those detained came from a single family. They were transferred to Israeli detention and detention centers in Jerusalem for interrogation . The detainees include: Ngham Mohammed Hassan Alian (16 years old), Mu'tasim Hamza Obaid, Yousef Hashim Alian, Majid Suleiman Dari, Mohammed Alyan and Anas Alayan. (Wafa 29 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed the house of Yusuf Mustafa Obeid in Al Esawiya town in occupied East Jerusalem and detained his son Fadi after his assault and assault him in front of his family . These detentions are just the latest in a series of escalations by the Israeli military targeting the town of al-'Isawiya over the past two months, during which dozens of young men and children were detained, and the army engaged in the daily harassment of Palestinian residents. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- In an ongoing police campaign against Issawiyeh neighborhood in occupied Jerusalem, Israeli police detained seven young Palestinian residents, including minors and a girl. The police raided the neighborhood in the early hours while residents were asleep, broke into several homes and detained a girl identified as 16-year-old Nagham Illian, along with three others from the same extended family. Police also detained a child identified as Mutasem Obeid in another raid along with another member of the Obeid family identified as Fadi Obeid, who was beaten during the arrest. A seventh resident from the Dari family was also detained. The raids and arrests came after Israeli police claimed two of its members were injured from stone throwing in the neighborhood last night. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Bidya village west of Salfit city and detained Abdullah Shatat and took him to unknown destination. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- A female detainee from Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied Jerusalem, was slapped with Administrative Detention order for six months without charges or trial, despite her deteriorating health condition. Detainee, Shorouq Mohammad Mousa al-Badan, 25, from Teqoua' town, east of Bethlehem, was detained by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) on July 15<sup>th</sup>, after the army stormed her home and ransacked it at dawn. Shorouq was instantly moved to Etzion detention center, south of Bethlehem, before she was transferred to Damoun Israeli prison. Israel is also holding another Palestinian woman, identified as Fida Mohammad

Da'mas, 24, under consecutive administrative detention orders for the last fourteen months. Fida was detained on May 29<sup>th</sup>, 2018, after the IOA stormed and violently searched her family's home, before she was transferred to Etzion detention and interrogation center, south of Bethlehem, and was later moved to HaSharon prison before she was transferred to Damoun prison. She received the first administrative detention order for six months just one week after she was taken prisoner and has since been held under repeatedly renewed orders without charges or trial. Fida' started an open-ended hunger strike on July 8<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Fida is a third-year university student, studying Business Administration, and is also a former political prisoner who was first detained on January 28, 2015, and was sentenced to six months in addition to 2000 Shekels fines. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Rezeq Mohammad al-Ja'bari, Ziad al-Bakri, Mohammad Emad at-Teety and Luay al-'Amour, from Hebron governorate. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Fares Rahhal, Mohammad al-Hindi, Rateb al-Bali and Hassan Jarrar from Jenin Governorate. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded the northern West Bank city of Jenin and the nearby Jenin Refugee Camp. During the invasion, Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained three young men identified as Hassan Jarar from Jenin City and Shabab al-Balali and Fares Rahal from Jenin refugee camp after they raided and searched their homes. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)
- In the latest violation of the International Convention on the Rights of the Child, Israeli authorities issued a summons for a 3-year-old child to be brought to the Jerusalem police station for interrogation. During an invasion of the East Jerusalem neighborhood of al-'Isawiyat, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed the home of 3-year old Mohammad Rabi 'Alian, and handed a summons to his parents for him to appear the following day for interrogation about possible stone throwing. At the time of the summons, dozens of Palestinian residents of al-'Isawiya accompanied the small boy to the interrogation center, holding a protest outside while he headed in to be interrogated by the Israeli police. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mamdouh Hamad Maskawi, 25, at a sudden military checkpoint near Qalqilyia city. (Wafa 30 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Tareq Bargouth from occupied Jerusalem for 13.3 years in the Israeli prison. Bargouth was detained on the 27<sup>th</sup> of February 2019. (Wafa 30 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians from Hebron city in the southern West Bank. The four have been identified as Riziq Muhammad Burhan Al Ja'bari, Ziad Al Bakri, Muhammad Imad At Titi and Luai Al 'Amour. (Wafa 30 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians from Jenin city in the northern West Bank. The four have been identified as Fares Rahhal, Muhamamd Al Hindi, Rateb Al Bali and Hassan Jarrar. (Wafa 30 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded al-'Isawiya town, before storming and ransacking the home of Fateh movement's secretary, Yasser Darwish. Moreover, the Israeli soldiers interrogated the official, along with his family, while examining his ID card, before taking him prisoner. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Hebron and detained Jawad Khader al-Jabari. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Ithna, west of Hebron, and detained Imad Abdel-Aziz al-Batran. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Hebron, and detained Ibrahim Nimr al-Ja'bari. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained brothers Yusef Hilmi Abu Khalil, 20, Mujahid, 19, and Leith, 18, from the village of Shufa southeast of the province, following the raid on their homes. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israel occupation army (IOA) stormed several neighborhoods in Nablus and detained Yasser Manna. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israel occupation army (IOA) stormed several neighborhoods in Nablus and detained Marwan' Ateini. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israel occupation army (IOA) stormed several neighborhoods in Nablus and detained Marwan' Ateini. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israel occupation army (IOA) stormed several neighborhoods in Nablus and detained Fadel al-Kurdi. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)

- Jihad Awartani was detained at a military checkpoint on the road between Ramallah and Nablus. By Israel occupation army (IOA) . (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) stormed the village of Beit Dajan in the east, and detained the young Maawiya Afif Hanini, after the raid on the house of his family and search of the home. (IMEMC, 31 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained two Palestinians at the entrance of An Nabi Saleh village north of Ramallah city. The Two were detained, interrogated for several hours before they were released again. The detained Palestinians have been identified as Waleed Wael Ar Remawi and Ramez Hamdan. (WAFA 31 July 2019)

### **Israeli Arrests during the month of August 2019**

- The Israeli Occupation authorities summoned an 8-year-old girl from the southern West Bank city of Hebron for interrogation. This is the third such summons of children in recent days. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the home of Shadi Sadr in Hebron city center and handed him a summons for his daughter Malak, 8, to appear at an interrogation center for allegedly harassing the heavily-guarded Israeli settlers in the occupied part of the city. Israeli police summoned two days ago 4-year-old Mohammad Ilian and yesterday summoned 6-year-old Qais Obeid, both from Issawiyeh neighborhood in occupied East Jerusalem, for interrogation on claim the former threw a stone and the second a beverage at a police vehicle in the neighborhood. (WAFA 1 August 2019)
- The Israeli military authorities issued in July administrative detention orders against 100 Palestinians, some new and others extensions. The orders were between two and six months and can be indefinitely extended. Nine Palestinians held in administrative detention are currently on hunger strike, some of them for one month, to protest their detention without charge of trial and to demand their release. Many other detainees have secured their release after observing a long hunger strike, seen as the only way to get Israel to end extending indefinitely their detention. A total of 530 Palestinians are currently held in administrative detention, considered illegal in international law, for resisting the Israeli occupation, said the commission. (PPC, WAFA 1 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) summoned a second Palestinian child, in less than 24 hours, for interrogation. Qais Firas Obaid, 6 years old, from

- al-Eesawiyya, in the occupied city of Jerusalem, was summoned by The IOA for interrogation, just after a summon was issued to Mohammad Elayyan (4 years). The military sent Qais' family an official summons to come to the interrogation center in Jerusalem. The IOA also handed over an investigation of the Jerusalemite child Mohammed Elayyan (4 years,) from the town of al-Eesawiyya, in Jerusalem, under the pretext of "throwing stones at a vehicle of the occupation forces during the storming of the town." (IMEMC 1 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two young men from Qabatiya village south of Jenin in the early morning hours . The two detainees were identified as Bilal al-Sa'di and Khaled Nazzal and were detained while they were near the village of Marqa, south of Jenin . (IMEMC 3 August 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained two Palestinian citizens south of the Gaza Strip claiming that they were attempting to infiltrate into the 1948 occupied territories. The two detainees, who were taken for interrogation, were carrying a grenade and a knife.(IMEMC 5 August 2019)
  - Israeli navy detained a Palestinian fisherman while sailing off the Gaza shore and was taken to an undisclosed location. The Israeli navy opened fire at several fishing boats that were sailing six nautical miles off the Gaza coast, surrounded one boat and detained a fisherman identified as Awad Tareq Bakr. (IMEMC 5 August 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young men, who remained unidentified while walking on Sultan Suleiman Street, near Bab al-'Amoud and Bab as-Sahera gates of the Old City, after repeatedly beating and clubbing them. (IMEMC 5 August 2019)
  - In Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched many homes in the al-'Arroub refugee camp, north of the city, and detained five Palestinians, including one child. The five Palestinians have been identified as Ehab Kamal Janazra, Ehab Kamal Jawabra, Ahmad Rafat al-Badawi, Anan Sharif, and the child Obeida Akram Jawabra, 15, and the IOA summoned Mohammad Nasser Badawi, Ali Hasan Sharif, Obai Jawabra and Hani Ja'ara, for interrogation. (IMEMC 5 August 2019)
  - In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched homes and detained Essam al-'Aloul along with his son Laith,



after invading and ransacking their homes in Nur Shams refugee camp, east of the city. (IMEMC 5 August 2019)

- In Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Teqoua' town, southeast of the city, and detained Mo'men Rateb al-'Amour, 18, and Mahmoud Ali al-'Amour, 19. (IMEMC 5 August 2019)
- Tension prevailed in Israel's Ofer prison after "Metzada" repression unit broke into section 20, which contains imprisoned children, to transfer leading activists. The Israeli Prison System (IPS) informed the prisoners that the transfer is due to a Shabak order and that it would be executed, without providing any further details. Metzada soldiers assaulted prisoners after breaking into their cells in sections 19 and 20, which contain detained Palestinian children. (IMEMC 5 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two children and two sons, one of them a child, from Nahalin, near Bethlehem. The man and his sons were pouring concrete at their family home for a planned expansion when the IOA detained them. The IOA stormed the town and stationed themselves in the Sabiha area before confronting the Palestinian homeowner and detaining him and his sons. The IOA seized a pump and two concrete mixers that were being used for construction at the Shakarneh's family home, confiscated the drivers' ID cards, and forced them to transfer their equipment to the Gush Etzion Israeli settlement complex and military base. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- 11 were abducted by the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) from the Nablus governorate. They were identified as: Dirar Ahmad Hammadneh, 58, and his sons Amr, 33, and Ahmad, as well as Abu Hassan Hammadna, 37, and Mohammad Sa'ada, 41, Hamza Abdullah Yassin, Mohammad Fayek Hamadneh, Omar Nidal Yassin, Baraa Essam Jarra'a, Adham Shuli, and Mohammad Abdel Fattah Khrouche, 23. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- In the northern part of the West Bank, in the Jenin province, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians, all of whom are former prisoners: Mohammed Ali Ateeq, Muhtadi Jamil Al-Assi and Mohammed Farouk Abed. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided Jericho, in the southeastern West Bank, and detained Haitham Awwad Jarahid and Marwan Awad Jarahid. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Abu Roumi. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Tareq al-Amouri was taken from his bed while sleeping by the Israeli occupation Army (IOA), from the town of Al-Eizariya in Jerusalem. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Faris Adel al-Titi, 24, Mu'tasim al-Sayed Ahmed and Mohammed Walid Hajjajra were detained by Israeli occupation Army (IOA) during early morning raids.
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the Journalist Mohammed Ateeq from Burqeen village west of Jenin city. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Amr Dharar Hamadneh, Sheikh Dirar Hammadneh, Adham Shuli Sa'ada, Hamza Yassin , Mohammed Hamadneh, Omar Deglas, Bara Jarrara, Ahmed Ibrahim Sawalha, Assem Deglas, Bara Jarrara, and Tariq Al-Ammouri from Asira al-Shamaliya in Nablus Governorate. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Majd Abu Roumi and Muzaffar Abu Roumi from Al Ezarieh town in occupied East Jerusalem. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Faris Adel al-Titi from Al Fawwar refugee camp south of Hebron. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Farouk Abed from Kafr Dan village near Jenin. (MAAN, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahdi Jamil Assi from Burqin village in Nablus Governorate. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Rameem al-Baik-from Bal'a village in Tulkarm Governorate. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Haitham Awad Grahid and Marwan Awad Grahid from Al Auja village north of Jericho city. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Zakaria Alyan from Al Isawiya town in occupied East Jerusalem. (MAANNEWS, 6 August 2019)

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- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) rounded up three Palestinians, all former prisoners, from Jenin Governorate. One of the three detainees was identified as Muhammad Ali Atiq, a journalist. (Wafa 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained 15-year-old Suleiman Musallam al-Debs, and Mohammad Jamal Roumi, 18, from Aida refugee camp, north of Bethlehem. (IMEMC 7 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Hassan al-Zaghari, 24, from Doha Village, west of the town of Bethlehem. (IMEMC 7 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Daqdaq, 28, and Ali, 23, from al-Khader village in the south, after the Israeli troops raided and searched their homes. (IMEMC 7 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Kendo fuel station in Bethlehem, and examined the surveillance cameras. (IMEMC 7 August 2019)
- In the northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two brothers from Qalqilya, identified as Anas Wajih Abtli, 25, and Adam, 20. The two were taken to unknown locations after the Israeli troops raided and searched their family home. (IMEMC 7 August 2019)
- Many Israeli occupation Army (IOA) and police officers invaded a Palestinian home in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem, after destroying the main door of the property, and detained a child in front of his brothers. The IOA used tools to damage the front door of a home, owned by Wa'el Abu Hadwan al-Fakhouri, and invaded it, causing severe anxiety attacks among seven children, who were alone in the property without their parents. The children were trying to open the heavy door for the soldiers to enter the property without causing damage, but the army went ahead and destroyed it. The IOA then detained Saleh al-Fakhouri, 13, after placing him in a car driven by undercover officers. The IOA detained the child, and took him to the police in Salaheddin Street, in Jerusalem, after accusing him of throwing stones at army jeeps. The family owns their home, stores and lands in the area since the year 1954, before Israel occupied East Jerusalem in 1967, but are facing constant invasions, violent searches and attempts to confiscate their property and force them out. (IMEMC 8 August 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians from Jenin, in the northern part of the West Bank identified as Mohammad Hanaysha, Hadi Sabah Nazzal and Fadi Zakarneh. (IMEMC 8 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded Ramallah and Al-Bireh in the central West Bank and detained Omar Issa Eshtayeh and Oraib Baker Nasr, both from Kafr Na'ma town and Thaer Samir Nakhleh from Jalazoun refugee camp. (IMEMC 8 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation detained Qusai 'Abd Elayyan and Husam Sameeh' Olayan from the town of al-Issawiya in Jerusalem. (IMEMC 8 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Morad Eshtewi, the coordinator of the Popular Committee against the Annexation Wall and Colonies, in Kufur Qaddoum town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, while crossing al-Karama Border Crossing between the West Bank and Jordan. (IMEMC 9 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Fajjar town, south of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank, searched and ransacked several homes before detaining a young Palestinian man and confiscating his car. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) violently searched homes in the town and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA detained Ammar Mansour Thawabta, 29, and took him to the nearby Etzion military base and security center. The IOA also towed his car and took it to Etzion. (IMEMC 9 August 2019)
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- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians, including one woman, near Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, reportedly for their involvement in the killing of an Israeli soldier two days ago. The IOA continued the extensive and violent searches of homes and property in various areas in and around Hebron. The IOA detained Qassem Aref Khalil Asafra, his wife Enas Nabil Asafra, in addition to Ekrima Asafra and Nasr Asafra, and took them to an interrogation facility. All are from Beit Kahil town, northwest of Hebron. The IOA also confiscated a car, owned by one of the detained Palestinians, and towed it to their base in Etzion. The army claimed the abducted Palestinians are

reportedly involved in the fatal shooting which led to the death of an Israeli soldier, identified as Corporal Dvir Sorek, who was a settler living in the settlement of Ofra, and was killed Thursday. (IMEMC 10 August 2019)

- At least four Palestinians were detained by the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) during a detention campaign in the occupied East Jerusalem neighborhood of Al-Issawiya, one of them had sustained wounds during earlier clashes with the IOA. Clashes erupted with stone-throwing Palestinian protesters after Israeli police raided the neighborhood in middle of the night. The latter fired rubber-coated rounds to disperse the protesters, injuring one of them in his foot before detaining him. The police also detained three Palestinians after raiding their homes in the neighborhood during the campaign. (Wafa 10 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians, including a paralyzed man and his son, in two separate incidents in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA invaded al-'Isawiya, before breaking into and searching homes and stores, and detained Mohammad Ibrahim Obeid, 18. The IOA also detained Mohammad Amin Khallaf, 27, while walking in the Schools Neighborhood in the town. (IMEMC 2 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Abu Ryala neighborhood, in al-'Isawiya, and detained a paralyzed man, identified as Jarrah Mohammad Ali Nasser, 52, in addition to his son, Essam, 22. (IMEMC 2 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian woman from the southern West Bank Governorate of Hebron, while visiting with her imprisoned son in Hadarim Israeli prison. The IOA detained Siham al-Battat, 59, from the ath-Thaheriyya town, southwest of Hebron, while visiting with her imprisoned son, Haitham al-Battat, who is serving three life-terms in prison. Siham is also a former political prisoner, who was abducted in 2015 and was subjected to a harsh and extended interrogation. (IMEMC 2 August 2019)
- Thirty Palestinians in Israeli jails, have joined a hunger strike in solidarity with six detainees who have themselves been refusing to eat or drink to protest their illegal detention without charge or trial. The prisoners reject the intake of any food or water to step up pressure on the Israeli authorities to meet the demands of the six detainees who have been on

hunger strike, particularly Huthaifa Halabiya, whose health condition is deteriorating. The latest group brings to 49 the number of prisoners who have joined the protest action in solidarity with the six detainees. From the Negev prison, Asem Kaabi, Shadi Ma'ali, Majd Barbar, Munther Mifleh Khalaf, Jamil Yousef, Nazim Assous, Mahmoud Abu Srouf, Muhannad Kawar, Mohammed Abu Khdei, Mohab al-Ajarma, Obada Dandis and Maan Awad

From Ramon prison, Jihad Ma'ali, Ahmad Mousa, Tariq Abu Ayyash, Zaki Atta, Thaer Hanani, Mahmoud Issa and Tamer Abu Zudud  
From Ofer prison, Hafez Omar, Nasser Atta, Rami Karajeh, Majdi Nasr, Bassel al-Wawi and Mahmoud al-Lahham. From Gilboa prison, five comrades whose names were not yet reported due to the difficulties of communication imposed by the Israeli prison environment. (IMEMC 13 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian teenage boy in the town of al-'Isawiya, in occupied East Jerusalem. The IOA detained Odiya Ayman 'Obeid, 17, after invading his family's home and violently searching it. The IOA cuffed and blindfolded the Palestinian teen, and took him to an interrogation facility in Jerusalem. (IMEMC 13 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a handicapped Palestinian after severely assaulting him in Izbet At Tabib village east of Qalqilyia city. The assaulted Palestinian has been identified as Hamad Asad Tabib, 48. (WAFSA 14 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the house of prisoner Jarrah Naser and detained his son, 20, in occupied East Jerusalem after severely attacking him and the rest of the family members. Three family members were injured as a result. (WAFSA 14 August 2019)
- In Silwan in occupied East Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yazan and Luai Al Rajabi from their home in Batn Al Hawa neighborhood. (WAFSA 14 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Fares Khader Zreineh, 22, after raiding his family house in Ad Duheisha refugee camp in Bethlehem Governorate and searching it. (WAFSA)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained TWO Palestinians in Qalqilyia Governorate after raiding their families' homes and searching them. The two have been identified as Muhamamd Abdel Raheem, 24, and Muhammad Afif At Turki, 23. (MAAN, 15 August 2019)

- A special force of the Israeli police detained Yasser Arafat Darwish, the secretary general of Fatah movement in Isawiya. (MAAN, 15 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained invaded the town of Beit Awwa town, west of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, stopped and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA detained Ala' Yousef Sweity, and his brother Islam, and took them to a nearby military base. (MEMC 17 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) installed a military roadblock in the northern part of Hebron city, and detained a Palestinian teenage boy, identified as Yousef Thiab Shweiki, in addition to conducting extensive searches on Wadi Sharif area in Sa'ir town, northeast of Hebron. (MEMC 17 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained the 16-year-old Islam Yousef Obeid from al-'Issawiya village east of occupied Jerusalem In Jerusalem while he was inside a shop in the town. (MEMC 17 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Mo'taz Jaradat from Jenin refugee camp as he was passing through Al-Hamra checkpoint near Jericho . (MEMC 17 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained a young man at a military checkpoint set up north of Hebron. The IOA detained the boy Yousef Diab Abdel Rahim Shweiki from the city of Hebron while he was crossing the checkpoint. The troops also conducted extensive searches in the vicinity of houses in the valley of honor in the town of Seir, northeast of Hebron. (MEMC 17 August 2019)
- In the Hebron area, The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained before dawn two Palestinians from Beit Awwa village, southwest of Hebron. The IOA raided the town and arrested the brothers Alaa and Islam Yousef Mohammad al-Sweiti . (MEMC 17 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained dozens of Palestinian workers from the West Bank, in raids on occupied Palestinian, pre-1948. The IOA erected many checkpoints at most of streets and searched all cars and buses that Palestinian workers had boarded. More than 30 Palestinian workers were detained after forces searched the buses near the illegal Keryat Jad settlement, under the pretext that they didn't have work permits. (MEMC 18 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Najeh Ayyad from the town of Silwad in the east of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Raed Hamed from the town of Silwad in the east of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Fakhri Abdel Raouf Hamed from the town of Silwad in the east of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Jamil Hamed from the town of Silwad in the east of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Musa Mohammed Hammad from the town of Silwad in the east of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Issam Ahmed Abu Alia from al-Mughayer, Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Luqman Hamayel from Kafr Malek, Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Hassan Odeh for Dadwa, Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Issa Al-Ali from the Western Farm, Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Hussein Shabana from Singel to the north of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Montaser Qadah from Shuqba to the west of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yaqoub Thalji Al-Rimawi and Hamam Munir Al-Rimawi from Beit Rima town to the north of Ramallah. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided the town of Dura, south of Hebron and detained Jihad Yousef Ali Faqousa, after searching his house and tampering with its contents. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- Members of the special forces kidnapped the following youth in two vehicles: Shawkat Khader al-Sheikh (16 years), Amir Shishtawi and Mahmoud Erekat, after they raided Yasser Arafat Square in Al 'Eizariya village east of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC, WAFA 19 August 2019)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammed Assafra, accused of stabbing an Israeli soldier in the illegal Etzion settlement, two weeks ago,



in addition to family members Ahmad Assafra, Mua'weyah Assafra, and E'krema Assafra. (IMEMC 20 August 2019)

- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Azzahour, Mumen Azzahour, and Mahmoud Al-Atawna. (IMEMC 20 August 2019)
- Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two brothers, identified as Omar and Farouq Badeer, after intruding on their family house in Aida refugee camp in southern Bethlehem. (IMEMC 20 August 2019)
- Mohammed Al-Wahsh, a minor, was detained after his family home in Biet Ta'mour town, east of Bethlehem was stormed by Israeli occupation army. (IMEMC 20 August 2019)
- The Israeli security services summoned 10-year-old Mohammad Najib, from Jerusalem's Old City, for questioning, for the fourth time. (Wafa 21 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army arrested four citizens from the West Bank governorates at dawn. The young men were arrested on the pretext of participating in popular activities against the occupation in different parts of the West Bank. (Wafa 21 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army detained the 13-year-old girl from Qalqilia after she was stopped for inspection near a settlement and allegedly a knife was found in her possession. (IMEMC Wafa, 21 August 2019)
- Israeli occupation army detained Hiba Ahmad Labadi, from Jenin district in the north of the West Bank, upon arrival at Karama/Allenby/King Hussein Bridge crossing coming from Jordan. No reason was given for her detention. (IMEMC, Wafa 21 August 2019)
- Israeli security detained four Palestinians from Shufat refugee camp in occupied Jerusalem, including a young woman who was not identified. (IMEMC, Wafa 21 August 2019)
- A 17-year-old boy was detained from Bidya village in Salfit district in the north of the West Bank and another 20-year-old from al-Zawiyeh, also in Salfit district. (IMEMC, Wafa 21 August 2019)
- The Israeli security services summoned 10-year-old Mohammad Najib, from Jerusalem's Old City, for questioning, according to the child's father Yasser Najib. This is fourth time Israeli intelligence summons his sons for questioning. The security services called Yasser and ordered him to appear with his son, Mohammad, at the Jaffa Gate police station in Jerusalem on Sunday. (Wafa 21 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as Habib Abu Shousha, near Bab ar-Rahma Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained four Palestinians from Jenin city in the northern West Bank. The four were identified as Qaisar Enfei'at, Yousef Amarna, Nour Moayyad Amarna, Islam Jamil Shalabi and Bilal Walid Hosseiss. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Sharaf Abu Bakr, Taher Badarna, Ahmad Sadeq Abu Bakr, Mahmoud Atatra and Amir ar-Razzi from Jenin city, but released them a few hours later. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) invaded Beit Lid town, southwest of the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem, searched homes and detained Luay Rashed Mosleh, 19. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israeli occupation army (IOA) searched homes and detained Issa Mahdi al-Ja'bari. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Majed Fawalha, from Sinjil town in Ramallah Governorate. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Mohammad Hussein al-Ghoul, 18, from Silwad town, in the central West Bank governorate of Ramallah. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Saleh Abu Assab, Ahmad Sa'ad Mustafa, Adam Barakat Resheq, and Moath Nahed Obeid, from the al-Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained five Palestinians, including two women and a guard of the Al-Aqsa Mosque, in occupied East Jerusalem, after dozens of IOA, police officers and colonialist settlers invaded the courtyards of the holy site. The IOA detained one of the holy site's guards, identified as Bader Rajabi, while working in Bab ar-Rahma Mosque, in al-Aqsa. The IOA also detained two women, identified as Madeleine Issa and Shifa Abu Ghalia, in addition to a young man, Habib Abu Shousha, near Bab ar-Rahma Mosque. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) and Police detained Ashraf Abu Rmeila, the head of the evening shift of the mosque's guards, after summoning him for interrogation. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) and Police detained eight Palestinians, including two women and a 13-year-old girl. The IOA detained the 13-year-old girl from Qalqilia after she was stopped for inspection near a settlement and allegedly a knife was found in her possession. Israeli army also detained Hiba Ahmad Labadi, from Jenin in the north of the West

Bank, upon arrival at Karama/Allenby/King Hussein Bridge crossing coming from Jordan. No reason was given for her detention. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)

- Israeli security detained four Palestinians from Shufat refugee camp in occupied Jerusalem, including a young woman who was not identified. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- A 17-year-old Palestinian boy was detained from Bidya village in Salfit Governorate in the north of the West Bank (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained a 20-year-old from al-Zawiyeh, also in Salfit Governorate. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained journalist Hisham Abu Shakra from Ras Karkar, Ramallah. (IMEMC, 24 August 2019)
- In the southern West Bank, the Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained Samed Jihad Jahhara from Al-Aroub refugee camp north of Hebron. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- In the central West Bank, the Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained at dawn two young men from Ein Arik village and a third from Ein Qiniya village west of Ramallah. The IOA detained Ribhi Abu al-Safa, and Mohammad Nayef Abu al-Safa, from the village of Ein Arik after raiding their homes and ransacking their property. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- A Palestinian student at Birzeit University and a former political prisoner, was detained from his house in Ein Qinya village, northwest of Ramallah. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- Israeli intelligence officers summoned Azzam al-Khatib, director general of the Islamic Endowments Department in Jerusalem, to come in for questioning. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) raided homes in the village of Ein Arik, near Ramallah, and detained two youths after raiding and ransacking their homes. The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) detained a third youth, a student at Birzeit University and a former prisoner from the village of Ein Qinya, near Ramallah, after raiding his family home. The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) seized tapes from the street surveillance cameras installed by shop and homeowners in these villages. (WAFA 24 August 2019)

- The Israeli Prison Service (IPS) transferred Palestinian detainee Wajdi al-Awawdeh, from the town of Dersamet, in the occupied West Bank, to the hospital after his health markedly deteriorated. He has continued his hunger strike for some 30 days, rejecting his administrative detention, an archaic detention procedure dating back to the days of Mandate Palestine, in which a prisoner is detained indefinitely, without charge or trial. (IMEMC 25 August 2019)
- Israeli authorities continue their detention of French-Egyptian national Salah Mohammad Hasanin, 61. Hasanin, and is placed in harsh and inhumane detention conditions and is suffering from multiple diseases, including hemiplegia in the right side of his body. He is also suffering from heart disease, diabetes, high blood pressure and problems in the prostate, and is therefore in need of urgent medical care. Hasanin was recently detained by Israeli occupation authorities while he was visiting the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in occupied East Jerusalem. He was taken to the Moroccan compound at the time he was detained, and was later moved to Ofer prison, near Ramallah. (Wafa 25 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) detained 21 Palestinians in multiple raids across Ramallah and al-Bireh Governorate. Nine of those detained were taken from their homes in Kobar, west of Ramallah, while three were kidnapped from their beds in Katrina Erin village. Three were taken from their homes in the city of Ramallah, and one from his home in Saffa village. In addition, one Palestinian was detained from Abu Dis, in East Jerusalem. (IMEMC 26 August 2019)
- In the northern West Bank, Israeli military invasions resulted in the detention of three Palestinians from their homes: one from Nablus, one from Salfit and one from Jenin. (IMEMC 26 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) summoned al-Aqsa Mosque's preacher Ekrima Sabri for questioning. Local sources said that Sabri, who also serves as the head of the Higher Islamic Council in Jerusalem, was summoned for interrogation at al-Maskoubiya detention center. Sheikh Sabri was handed the interrogation order during a raid on his home in Jerusalem at daybreak. (IMEMC 26 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) raided Jenin refugee camp, where the IOA detained Daoud Mohammad Zubeidi, whose brother, Zakaria, is a member of Fatah Revolutionary Council. (Wafa 27 August 2019)

- In the northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) rounded up four Palestinians Qalqiliya Governorate, including three from Kafr Qaddum town, east of Qalqiliya city. (Wafa 27 August 2019)
- In Ramallah Governorate, an Israeli military raid in Beit Liqya town, south of Ramallah city, resulting in the detention of a Palestinian. During the raid, the IOA ransacked a blacksmith workshop and seized its equipment. (Wafa 27 August 2019)
- In Jerusalem Governorate, Israeli police rounded up two Palestinians from the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiya. (Wafa 27 August 2019)
- In the central West Bank, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian and seized the equipment of a blacksmith workshop in the town of Beit Liqya, south of Ramallah. The IOA arrested the citizen Najeh Anwar Mfarjeh (32 years), after they raided and ransacked his home in the pre-dawn hours. The IOA also raided a metal workshop belonging to Hakam Mohammed Dar Mousa and seized equipment. (IMEMC 27 August 2019)
- In Jerusalem, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young men and summoned another from the town of al-Eesawiyya in occupied Jerusalem. The IOA stormed the town and detained the two young men Majd Mohammed Musa Darwish, and Mohammed Hussein Maoz Obeid, after raiding their family homes and pulling them from their beds where they were sleeping. The IOA also summoned a young man, Atta Derbas, for questioning. The raids in al-Eesawiyya come after clashes erupted between youths and the IOA in the town the previous evening, during which sound and gas bombs were fired, and houses were raided and attacked. (IMEMC 27 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian who had recently been released from Israeli prison, from his home in Jenin refugee camp. The IOA detained the young Dawoud Mohammed Zubaidi, brother of the prisoner Zakaria Zubaidi member of the Revolutionary Council of the Fatah movement, after storming the camp with regular military and special units who invaded his family home and ransacked his property. (IMEMC 27 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three young men from the town of Kafr Qaddum, east of Qalqilya. The three were identified as Mu'tasim Tayseer Shteiwi (33 years), Halfat Mahmoud Akl Shteiwi (29

- years) and Yousef Mustafa Shteivi (26 years) after they raided and searched their homes. (IMEMC 27 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian citizen from Jenin governorate identified as Thaer Rayashi. (IMEMC 27 August 2019)
  - Tension is mounting in Majeddo Israeli prison after the Israeli administration imposed further sanctions on the detainees. The tension has been mounting since Monday evening, after the Israeli Prison Administration closed sections 3, 4 and 5 in Majeddo. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) broke into the detainees' rooms, and confiscated all their electric equipment, in addition to imposing sanctions on them. (Wafa 27 August 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained one of the Aqsa Mosque guards as he was traveling aboard his car at a military checkpoint in the north of Jerusalem. The 32-year-old Husam Seder, who works as a guard at the Aqsa Mosque, was with his wife and kids when he was detained. The IOA intercepted Seder's car at az-Za'ayem checkpoint and forced him to leave it before handcuffing him in front of his family and taking him to an known place. (PALINFO 27 August 2019)
  - Israeli undercover army detained a Palestinian ex-detainee from his home in Jenin refugee camp in the occupied West Bank. Plain-clothes army stormed the refugee camp aboard a civilian car, broke into the house of Dawoud al-Zabidi, an ex-detainee, and then rounded him up. The IOA bundled Zabidi into their car and drove off. (PALINFO 27 August 2019)
  - Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Silwan town, south of the Al-Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem, before storming the Wadi Hilweh Information Center in Silwan (Silwanic) and summoned its director for interrogation. The IOA and police officers stormed the center, and summoned Jawad Siyam, the director of Silwanic and a senior nonviolent activist in Silwan for interrogation, which will be held next Tuesday. The police is alleging that he installed a wooden shed without obtaining a permit from the City Council, although the structure was built in 2009. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)
  - Many Israeli army jeeps invaded Aida refugee camp, north of Bethlehem, searched homes and detained five Palestinians, identified as Mohammad Emad Radi, 22, Mahdi Badawna, 20, Laith Rafat Abu Aker, 17, Yazan al-Kurdi, 17, and Mohammad Amjad 'Oleyyan, 17. (IMEMC 28 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Teqoua' town, east of Bethlehem, and detained Ala' Daoud al-'Amour. (MEMC 28 August 2019)
- In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Osama Mohammad Hannoun and Mahmoud Hasan Marar, from their homes. (MEMC 28 August 2019)
- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained one Palestinian, identified as Amir Ibrahim Hannoun, 20. (MEMC 28 August 2019)
- A Palestinian, identified as Yousef Nidal Abu Alia, was detained by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) from his home in Salfit, in central West Bank. (MEMC 28 August 2019)
- In Jerusalem, a young girl identified as Mais Abu Ghoush, a media student at Birzeit University, was taken prisoner during an Israeli Occupation Army campaign in Qalandiya refugee camp. (PALINFO 29 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed Issawiya in occupied Jerusalem and al-Ram town in Jerusalem and detained a young man and a teenager from their homes. (PALINFO 29 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained five citizens from their homes in the towns of Yatta and Surif towns in al-Khali province.
- In Bethlehem, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young men identified as Hussein Masalmeh and Suleiman al-Ajouz after ransacking their homes in Azza refugee camp. (PALINFO 29 August 2019)
- A Palestinian political prisoner from Beit Rima town, northwest of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, started a hunger strike the day of his detention, three days ago, protesting his detention without charges. Humam Monir Rimawi, 28, that their son started the hunger strike immediately after his detention and imprisonment. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Humam on August 25<sup>th</sup>, before transferring him to the al-Maskobiyya detention and interrogation facility. Human instantly declared a hunger strike and was then moved to Ofar prison, before he was placed in solitary confinement. It is worth mentioning that Humam is engaged and was supposed to get married this coming Friday. He is a

former political prisoner who was abducted and imprisoned twice before, once for five months and the second time for 18 months. ((IMEMC 29 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinian citizens and their wives from the town of Silwan, south of Al-Aqsa Mosque in East Jerusalem. The IOA and intelligence stormed the town of Silwan at dawn and detained Jawad Abu Sneineh and his wife, as well as Ahmad Rayyan and his wife, and transferred them to an investigation center in the city. (IMEMC 29 August 2019)
- In the central West Bank, The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the photographer Hassan Dabbous, 30, after they raided his house in Ni'lin village, west of Ramallah. The IOA raided the house of the photojournalist Hassan Dabbous, and searched the home, damaging and ransacking his property before detaining him and taking him to an unknown location for interrogation. (IMEMC 29 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation police detained a Palestinian young man after physically assaulting him in Issawiya in occupied east Jerusalem. The police detained the 19-year-old Basel Dirbas after brutally beating him. (PALINFO 29 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian girl as she arrived at al-Karama crossing coming from the United Arab Emirates. The IOA stopped Mariam Abu Obeid, a resident of the West Bank city of Jenin, at al-Karama crossing and detained her. Abu Obeid, who was on her way back home following medical treatment in the United Arab Emirates, was detained for no apparent reason. (PALINFO 30 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Burj Luqluq Social Center Society in the Old City of occupied East Jerusalem, and forced it shut, in addition to detaining its head of its executive administrator, and its coordinator, for organizing a soccer competition for Jerusalemite Palestinian families. The IOA and police officers invaded the social center, before detaining its executive administrator Montaser Edkeidik, in addition to handing the society an order barring it from conducting its planned soccer competition, which include ten Palestinian families from occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 31 August 2019)



- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Nasser Gheith, the head of the center, in addition to the coordinator of the Families' Soccer League, Ala' Jamjoum, and took them to interrogation facilities in occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 31 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinian citizens, including a child, from their homes in Kobar town, north of Ramallah city in the West Bank. The IOA stormed the house of prisoner Khaldoun al-Barghouthi and detained his son Obeida. Another young man identified as Nasrallah Sarhan was taken prisoner after the IOA ransacked his home in the same town. The IOA also engaged in clashes with local youths during its campaign in the town. (PALINFO 31 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained five Gazan young men after four of them infiltrated through the border fence into Israel. Four young men were detained after they crossed into Israel from southern Gaza, claiming they were found in possession of a grenade and a knife. (PALINFO 31 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a young passenger from Gaza at the Beit Hanoun (Erez) border crossing, north of Gaza identified as Walid al-Battrikhi, a resident of al-Shuja'iyya neighborhood in the east of Gaza City. al-Battrikhi was denied travel and arrested, without providing further details. (PALINFO 31 August 2019)

### **Israeli Arrests during the month of September 2019**

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained eight Palestinian citizens, including a woman, during campaigns in the West Bank and Jerusalem. Among the detainees was professor Widad al-Barghouthi, a lecturer at Birzeit University. She is the mother of prisoners Qassam (journalist) and Karmal al-Barghouthi. Karmal was detained by the IOA upon his return from al-Khalil last night to his home in Kobar town in Ramallah. The IOA also raided the home of ex-detainee Omar al-Barghouthi, the father of martyr Saleh and prisoner Asem, and other homes in Kobar town. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)
- In Hebron, in the southern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained once again Aziz Rushdi, an ex-detainee, from his home in al-Arroub refugee camp. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)


- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians in Bethlehem, including a young man and his wife at the Nashash checkpoint. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)
- In Jerusalem, Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Al Issawiya Town and detained a young Palestinian man identified as Shadi Atiya. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained one Palestinian citizen in the West Bank city of Hebron, identified as Abdulhadi Abu Sneineh, inside the Ibrahimi Mosque. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Forces detained, early Monday morning, 28 Palestinians from their homes, after soldiers invaded their homes in the occupied West Bank, reported the Palestinian Prisoner Society (PPS). The PPS said the army detained 7 men from the Hebron district, including Thayer Halahleh who spent several years in Israeli prisons, most of them in administrative detention without charge or trial, going on hunger strike for 78 days in 2012, securing his release, according to Wafa. The army also detained 6 Palestinians from the Jenin district and 2 from the Qalqilia area, in the northern occupied West Bank. 3 men were abducted from the Bethlehem district, in the southern West Bank and 1 from Sinjil village near Ramallah. In addition, Israeli forces detained 8 young Palestinians from al-'Isawiya neighborhood in occupied Jerusalem, and 1 from Abu Dis town, east of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 2 September 2019)
- The Palestinian Prisoners Society (PPS) has reported that Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn, at least twenty-four Palestinians, including children and political prisoners, from their homes, in several parts of the occupied West Bank. The soldiers conducted extensive invasions and violent searches of homes across the occupied West Bank, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. Furthermore, the soldiers installed many roadblocks across the West Bank, before stopping and searching cars, and interrogated dozens of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. Among the invaded homes are the property of a political prisoner, identified as Karmel Barghouthi, from Kobar village, north of Ramallah, and the homes of two former political prisoners, Nafeth Shawamra and Mohammad Abu Arqoub, from Doura town, south of Hebron. The soldiers also caused excessive damage to many invaded homes, especially in Hebron city, in southern West Bank, and Beit Ummar town, north of Hebron, where the soldiers smashed doors and furniture during the violent searches. Nine of the abducted residents, including former political prisoners, in addition to a father and

his son, are from Hebron governorate, in southern West Bank. The soldiers caused damage to many homes, including those owned by two political prisoners, identified as Nafeth Shawamra and Mohammad Abu Arqoub, from Doura town, south of Hebron. The abducted Palestinians have been identified as: Soheib Qfeisha, Hebron city. Mohammad Hussein Hreizat, Yatta – Hebron. Hussein Mohammad Hreizat, Yatta – Hebron. Jamil Jamal Nassar, Yatta – Hebron. Montaser Issa Shadeed, Doura – Hebron. Yousef Salem Qazzaz, Doura- Hebron. Wahid Hamdi Abu Mariya, 17, Beit Ummar – Hebron. Qais Mohammad Abu Mariya, 16, Beit Ummar – Hebron. Malek Ayesh Abu Mariya, 17, Beit Ummar – Hebron. Saif Salim Awlaad Issa, Hebron. Yousef Abdul-Rasoul Qazzaz, Hebron. Amro Husam Salhab, Hebron. Ehab Ziad Rajab, 18, Kafr al-Lubbad – Tulkarem. Jamail Jamal Ja’ar, 18, Kafr al-Lubbad – Tulkarem. Yazan Taiseer Abdul-Dayim, 21. Anabta – Tulkarem. Binan Montaser Abu Daqer, 22, Anabta – Tulkarem. Mohammad Saif Abu Asal, 19, Anabta – Tulkarem. Zaher Amer Barakat, 27, Anabta – Tulkarem. Hussein Taiseer Abu Rayya, 23, Anabta – Tulkarem. Jamil Jamal Ja’ar, 18, Allar – Tulkarem. Hasan Taiseer Mezyed, Anabta – Tulkarem. Eyad al-’Adawi, Balata – Nablus. Mohammad Monir Obeid, al-’Isawiya – Jerusalem. Tareq Firas Mustafa, al-’Isawiya – Jerusalem. (IMEMC 3 September 2019)

- 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)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) raided Kobar village, northwest of Ramallah City, and clashed with residents. The violent clashes broke out between dozens of Palestinian youths and the IOA who stormed Kobar village in the early morning hours. The IOA heavily fired live ammunition and tear gas canisters at the youths who responded by throwing stones. No injuries were reported. The IOA further raided several Palestinian homes and detained two citizens identified as Diaa Mish'al and Sirri Esam. (PALINFO 6 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Saturday at dawn, a young female student of Birzeit University, after storming her home in al-Biereh city, near Ramallah. Media sources in Ramallah said several army jeeps invaded al-Biereh, before the soldiers stormed and ransacked the home Samah Jaradat, and abducted her. It is worth mentioning that, a week ago, the soldiers abducted Mais Abu Ghosh, a journalism student at Bir Zeit University, from her home in Qalandia refugee camp, north of Jerusalem, in addition to abducting another woman, who teaches journalism at Bir Zeit University, from her home in Kobar town, northwest of Ramallah. In related news, the soldiers invaded Ein Qiniya village, northwest of Ramallah, before storming the home of a political prisoner, identified as Aysar Ma'rouf, in addition to the home of his brother, Tal'at, and several homes of their relatives. Aysar's wife, Nour Hamed, said the soldiers caused excessive damage to her home while violently searching it, and confiscated a memory card from the property. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers abducted, Friday, three Palestinians, including two children, in Jerusalem and Ramallah, in the occupied West Bank. The Palestinian Prisoners' Society (PPS) has reported that the soldiers

abducted Sari Essam Barghouthi, after invading his home and ransacking it, in Kobar village, northwest of Ramallah in central West Bank. The PPS added that the abducted young man is the nephew of detained Fateh leader and a member of its Executive Committee Marwan Barghouti. In addition, the soldiers abducted Ahmad Khaled Atiyya, 16, while leaving the local mosque in the al-'Isawiya town, northeast of occupied East Jerusalem. The town has been subject to daily Israeli military invasions, violent home searches, abductions and ongoing protests. Furthermore, the soldiers abducted Jaber Hamad Jaber, 16, near the Ibrahimi Mosque in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, allegedly for "carrying a knife." The soldiers also closed the iron gate of the main road near Beit Awwa town, west of Hebron, and prevented the Palestinians from crossing. The closed road leads to Beit Awwa, Deir Samit, al-Majd, Sikka, Beit ar-Roush and Deir al-'Asal villages and towns, southwest of Hebron. (IMEMC, WAFA 7 September 2019)

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- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Sunday at dawn, the town of al-Isawiya, in occupied East Jerusalem, searched homes and abducted three young men. Media sources said several army jeeps invaded the town, before the soldiers broke into a few homes, and violently searched them. They added that the soldiers abducted Yousef al-Kiswani, Tareq Mousa 'Obeid and Anwar Sami 'Obeid, and took them to an unknown destination. On Saturday evening, the soldiers injured a young man, and abducted a teenage boy, after several army jeeps invaded al-'Isawiya town, and attacked local youngsters protesting the invasion. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)
  - Israeli soldiers injured, on Saturday evening, a young Palestinian man, and abducted a teenage boy, after several army jeeps invaded al-'Isawiya town, in occupied Jerusalem, and attacked local youngsters protesting the invasion. Media sources said several army jeeps invaded the al-Arba'in Street in the town, and forcibly removed the Palestinians, leading to protests. They added that the soldiers shot a young man with a concussion grenade in the head, while he was filming the invasion and the protests. The soldiers also abducted a teen, identified as Mohannad Abu 'Assab, 17, while standing near the al-Arba'in Mosque in the town, and took him to an interrogation facility. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers invaded, on Saturday evening, the town of Sebastia, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, and abducted a young Palestinian man in addition to wounding several others. Mohammad Azem, the mayor of Sebastia, said many armored Israeli military vehicles invaded the town, before Palestinian youngsters protested the invasion and hurled stones at them. Azem added that the soldiers fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs, causing scores of Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation. The soldiers also abducted a young man, identified as Rezeq Nahedh Aqel, and took him to a nearby military base. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)
- The Palestinian Prisoners' Society (PPS) has reported that Israeli soldiers shot a child, and abducted thirteen Palestinians, after the army invaded many communities, in several parts of the occupied West Bank, on Monday at dawn and during morning hours. Media sources in Ramallah, in central West Bank, said several army jeeps invaded Beit Rima town, northwest of the city, and shot a Palestinian child with a rubber-coated steel bullet in his neck, after the army attacked local youngsters, protesting the morning invasion into their town. They added that the soldiers also invaded and ransacked several homes in the town and occupied rooftops. The soldiers also abducted three children, who remained unidentified at the time of this report, while they were walking to their schools. In Silwad town, northeast of Ramallah, the soldiers invaded and searched many homes, and abducted Khalil Hasan Hamed, Mousa Yasser Najjar, No'man Saleh Hamed, Mohammad Lutfi Hamed and Mohammad Yasser Hamed. Furthermore, the soldiers abducted a former political prisoner, identified as Mahmoud Mohammad Shorti, from his home in the al-Mazra'a ash-Sharqiya village, northeast of Ramallah, after invading his home and searching it. In Jenin in northern West Bank, the soldiers abducted Amin Zakarna and Ahmad Yousef Kamil, from their homes in Qabatia town, south of Jenin. The soldiers also abducted one Palestinian, identified as Malek Eshteyya, from his home in Tal village, west of the northern West Bank city of Nablus. In Hebron city, in southern West Bank, the soldiers abducted Emad Nairoukh, in addition to Laith Yousef Asafra and Mohammad Jihad Asafra, from their homes in Beit Kahil town, west of the city. The soldiers also invaded many neighborhoods in Hebron city, and searched homes, in addition to installing roadblocks in Jouret Bahlas area, in its northern part, in addition to the entrances of Halhoul and Sa'ir towns, north and northeast of the city, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated scores

of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 09 September 2019)

- Israeli police physically attacked a Palestinian mother before detaining her son, while they were near the light rail, close to Shua'fat refugee camp, northeast of occupied Jerusalem, said witnesses. The mother and her son were attacked and pepper sprayed by Israeli police, for no apparent reason, before they detained the son and took him to an interrogation center in Jerusalem. The police reportedly used foul language against the mother during the attack, Wafa further reports. (IMEMC 09 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn and morning hours, thirteen Palestinians, including four former political prisoners and one woman, in Jenin, Qalqilia and Jerusalem, in the occupied West Bank, the Palestinian Prisoners' Society (PPS) has reported. The Jenin office of the PPS, in northern West Bank, said the soldiers abducted a former political prisoner, identified as Jaber Noah, from his home in Jenin refugee camp. It added that the soldiers also Moayyad Turkman, after stopping him at a sudden military roadblock, near Jenin, in addition to Morad Fashafsha and Baha' Fayeze Salatna, from their homes in Jaba' town, southwest of Jenin. The soldiers also abducted Mustafa Marwan Zayyoud, 21, after storming his home and ransacking it in Silat al-Harithiya town, west of Jenin. In addition, the soldiers invaded and searched homes in Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, and abducted Abboud Abu Sheikh, 21, and Nour Adnan 'Abed, 20. In occupied Jerusalem, the soldiers invaded and searched homes in the al-'Isawiya town, and abducted five Palestinians, identified as Mohammad Haitham Mustafa, Mahmoud Omran Mustafa, Abdul-Razeq Mousa Mustafa, Mohammad Zakariya Mustafa and Ahmad Amer Mahmoud. It is worth mentioning that Abdul-Razeq was released a few hours after the soldiers abducted him, but was slapped with an order preventing him from entering his town for one week. Also in Jerusalem, the soldiers abducted a Palestinian woman, identified as Nafeesa Khweiss, and summoned for interrogation another woman, identified as Fatima as-Sous. In related news, the soldiers [abducted one Palestinian](#), and searched many homes, in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and Yatta town west of the city. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn, one Palestinian, and searched many homes, in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and Yatta town west of the city. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)
- Several army jeeps invaded Abu Sneina neighborhood, in the southern part of Hebron city, and abducted Na’el Ahmad Abu Hussein, 59, after violently searching his home. His family said the soldiers caused excessive property damage to their furniture and belongings, and that the army also used dogs in the search, reportedly “looking for weapons.” The soldiers also violently searched the homes of his sons Fadel, Khader, Ramadan and Yousef. Furthermore, the soldiers invaded and searched the homes of two former political prisoners, identified as Ahmad Omar Abu Hussein and Sa’id Mustafa Abu Hussein. In addition, many army jeeps invaded Jabal Abu Romman area, southwest of Hebron city, and searched the homes of Kathem al-Qasrawi and Azzam Abu Aisha. In addition, the soldiers invaded Yatta town, south of Hebron, and searched the homes of Zoheir Abu Zahra, causing damage. (IMEMC 10 September 2019)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians, identified as Mahmoud Abu Zeitouna, Ahmad Abu Zeitouna and Saher Masoud. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, identified as Abdul-Karim Athamna, and a high-school student, Aws Raed Ersheid. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Abdul-Rahman Walid Sarhan, 16, and Baker Mousa Qawwar, from their homes in Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young woman, identified as Ghadir Nasser Karkour, in addition to Firas Karkour, Mohammad Karkour, Mohammad Met’eb, Yousef Hzeina and Riyadh Nasser ar-Resheq, from several parts of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two Birzeit University Students, identified as Amir William Hazboun and Yazan Maghames. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)



- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained seven Palestinians, including a girl, from the Old City of Jerusalem. The IOA raided Bab Hatta in Old Jerusalem, and detained Mohammed Meteb, Ahmad Meteb, Yousef Hazina, Riyad al-Rishq, Firas Karkour, Mohammad Karkour and the girl Raneem Karkour (18 years). (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained invaded many communities, south of Hebron, searched homes, tents and cave, in areas between the Ma'on and Avigal settlements. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian young man at a military checkpoint south of Jenin City. The IOA detained Oday Abu Na'sah at a checkpoint abruptly installed near Ya'bad town, south west of Jenin. Abu Na'sah was handcuffed and transferred by an IOA vehicle to an undeclared destination. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed Balata refugee camp in the east of Nablus and detained two brothers identified as Mahmoud and Ahmed Abu Zaytun. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man identified as Saher Mas'oud from Nablus city. (PALINFO 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) on Wednesday evening kidnaped two Palestinian young men during their presence in a southern border area of the Gaza Strip. A spokesperson for the IOF claimed the young men infiltrated through the wire fence using cutters and were also found in possession of knives. Every once in a while, the IOF announces the arrest of Palestinian young men from Gaza at the pretext of infiltrating through the border fence.(PALINFO 12 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Thursday at dawn, eight Palestinians, including a mother and her son, in Hebron and Bethlehem governorates, in the occupied West Bank, the Palestinian Prisoners' Society (PPS) has reported. The PPS office in Hebron, in southern West Bank, said the soldiers invaded and searched several homes in the ath-Thaheriyya town, south of the city, and abducted Khawla Bader Abu 'Allan, 50, along with her son, Ibrahim Adel Abu 'Allan, in addition to Odai Shaher Abu 'Allan. It added that the soldiers also searched homes in the al-'Arroub refugee camp, north of Hebron, and abducted a young man, identified as Moath Khaled Abu Sham'a. Furthermore, the soldiers abducted Mohammad Jamal al-'Azza, 25, Mohannad Khader Abu 'Ahour, 22, Mohammad Ahmad al-Hreimi, 21, and Ala' Mohammad al0-Hreimi, 21, from their homes in the Saff Street area and Wadi Maali area, in Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)

- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Wednesday evening, a Palestinian teenage boy, identified as Mohammad Nasser Mahmoud, in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem. The Wadi Hilweh Information Center in Silwan (Silwanic) said the undercover officers, wearing civilian clothes, infiltrated into the town, and abducted the teen, before taking him to an unknown destination. It added that the regular army units invaded the town when the undercover officers invaded Obeid family home, and fired live rounds in the air, to prevent the Palestinians from approaching them, and withdrew from the town. Earlier Wednesday, the soldiers abducted two Palestinians, and demolished several sheds and tents, in Masafer Yatta area, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation forces (IOF) at dawn Thursday kidnaped at least 11 Palestinian citizens from their homes in the West Bank. The IOA three citizens from the family of Abu Allan, including a woman, during raids on homes in ad-Dhahiriya town, southwest of al-Khalil. The IOF also stormed al-Jalazoun refugee camp in northern Ramallah and Kafr Aqab neighborhood in northern Jerusalem and kidnaped two citizens from their homes. The citizens were identified as Tahrir al-Arayshi and Tahadi al-Tawkhali. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation police on Thursday morning kidnaped a Palestinian young girl from her home in Issawiya district , east of Jerusalem, claiming she carried out a car-ramming attack. According to 0404 website, a 20-year-old girl from Issawiya was arrested for carrying out a vehicular attack last night on a road near Atarot settlement in Jerusalem. The Israeli police said last night that one border police officer and a settler were injured when a speeding car hit them, adding that they launched an investigation into the incident. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)
- Israeli police forces on Wednesday evening stormed anew Issawiya district in the east of Occupied Jerusalem, assaulted Palestinian citizens and kidnaped two of them, including a kid. According to local sources, police forces kidnaped a young man called Ibrahim Muhaisen from al-Arba'ain Mosque in Issawiya. Later, plain-clothes police officers kidnaped a 14-year-old child called Mohamed Mahmoud from a street in the district and fired gunshots in the air to prevent local residents from intervening. For many weeks, Israel has been sending paramilitary police forces to raid the east Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiya every day, ransacking homes and arresting and assaulting Palestinians. The Israeli campaign against

Issawiya is aimed at oppressing and making life miserable for all who live there as part of its efforts to push the native residents out of the holy city. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young Palestinian men from their homes in Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, in the West Bank. The IOA invaded and searched several homes and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. The IOA detained Mahdi Omar Ziyada and Montaser Hasan Shakhtour and took them to a nearby military and security center. (IMEMC 13 September 2019)
- At least seven Palestinian citizens were injured when the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) violently raided al-Eizariya village in Occupied Jerusalem. A six-year-old girl was transferred to the hospital after she was hit with a tear gas canister in the head, while six citizens choked on tear gas fired at their vehicle by the IOA. The IOA stormed al-Eizariya amid heavy firing of live ammunition and tear gas bombs, which led to the outbreak of violent confrontations. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinian citizens near the West Bank city of Salfit. The IOA detained three Palestinian young men in Kifl Haris village, north of Salfit. The detainees, whose identities have not been revealed, were taken to an undeclared destination. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained the 16-year-old Mohamed Hijazi from his home in Bethlehem city. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) `stormed the house of MP Hatem Qafisha in al-Khalil (Hebron) and his relatives' homes and handed him a summons for interrogation from the Shin Bet. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two Palestinian citizens after ransacking their homes in the West Bank. The IOA claimed that the two detainees were wanted for their involvement in resistance activities against Israel. The IOA also raided at dawn student apartments in the north of Ramallah and interrogated students from Birzeit University about some of their friends who were arrested recently. (PALINFO 15 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities have issued a four-month administrative detention order against the Jordanian detainee Abdulrahman Mar'i, 29. Mar'i was detained on 2 September at al-Karama crossing between Jordan and the West Bank. Mar'i is suffering from a brain tumor and he has undergone many surgeries since 2010. Nearly 24

Jordanian prisoners are currently held in Israeli jails under harsh conditions. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) assaulted a Palestinian child in the town of al-'Isawiya, in occupied East Jerusalem, and detained him. The IOA Assaulted the child, identified as Nabil Mohammad Abu al-Hummus, 12, while he was walking to a shop near his home. The IOA then detained the child and took him to a detention facility in Jerusalem, after alleging that he hurled stones at their jeep. The IOA also attacked the child's father while he was trying to talk to them and was telling them Nabil is just a child who was going to the shop. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the old city of Jerusalem and detained Faiza Ziyada, from her home. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded homes in the al-'Isawiya town, and detained Nassim Amjad Mheisin, 20, and Mohammad Mousa Hamdan, 20. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched homes in Qaffin town, near the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem, and detained Mohammad Mahmoud To'ma. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian woman, identified as Amal Hamad Bouziyya, in addition to Akram Jaber Abu Ya'coub and Makram Salah, from Kifl Hares village, west of the central West Bank city of Salfit. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young Palestinian man from his home in 'Aida refugee camp, north of the West Bank city of Bethlehem. The IOA invaded and ransacked the home of Mohammad Mahmoud Ja'ara, 22, and detained him. The IOA were heavily deployed in various streets and alleys in the refugee camp and interrogated several Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 17 September 2019)
- Six Palestinian detainees being held in Israeli prisons are continuing an open-ended hunger strike against their arbitrary administrative detention without charge or trial. Five of them are languishing in al-Ramla prison clinic. The six detainees are identified as: 42-year-old Ahmad Ghannam, a resident of Dura city, to the southwest of Hebron; entered his 65th day of hunger strike. 38-year-old Sultan Khallouf, a resident of Burqin town, to

the west of Jenin; entered his 61st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Ismael Ali, a resident of Abu Dis village, in occupied Jerusalem; entered his 55th day of hunger strike. 46-year-old Tariq Qa'dan, a resident of the Jenin Governorate; entered his 48th day of hunger strike. 31-year-old Nasser al-Jada', a resident of Burqin town, to the west of Jenin; entered his 41st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Thaer Hamdan, a resident of Beit Sira village, to the west of Ramallah; entered his 36th day of hunger strike. (IMEMC 17 September 2019)

- Scores of Jewish settlers on Tuesday morning desecrated the Aqsa Mosque's courtyards under tight police protection. According to local sources, dozens of settlers carried out provocative tours at the Mosque and received explanations about the alleged temple mount. The Aqsa Mosque is exposed to daily desecration by Jewish settlers in the morning and the afternoon except on Fridays and Saturdays. The Israeli occupation police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 17 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authority (IOA) on Monday evening kidnaped a Palestinian businessman at the Beit Hanoun (Erez) crossing in the north of the Gaza Strip. A Palestinian official from the crossings and border authority told Quds Press that Israeli intelligence officers arrested a businessman called Jawad Hassan after he went to the crossing for an interview. He added that Hassan had submitted a request asking to allow him to travel through the crossing. The arrest of a passenger at the crossing was not the first such incident since the beginning of the current year. The IOA had arrested four citizens after they applied for permission to travel through the crossing for medical and commercial purposes. (PALINFO 17 September 2019)
- Israeli soldiers abducted, on Tuesday at dawn, a young Palestinian man from his home in 'Aida refugee camp, north of the West Bank city of Bethlehem. The Bethlehem office of the Palestinian Prisoners' Society (PPS) said the soldiers invaded and ransacked the home of Mohannad Mahmoud Ja'ara, 22, and abducted him. The soldiers were heavily deployed in various streets and alleys in the refugee camp and interrogated several Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. In

related news, the soldiers invaded the northern West Bank city of Jenin, and violently searched the homes of Qussai Sa'adi and Monjid Thieb Jaber, while interrogating them and their families. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- The Commission of Detainees and ex-Detainees Affairs said, in its Sunday report, that six Palestinian detainees being held in Israeli prisons are continuing an open-ended hunger strike against their arbitrary administrative detention without charge or trial. Five of them are languishing in al-Ramla prison clinic. The commission noted that the six detainees are identified as: 42-year-old Ahmad Ghannam, a resident of Dura city, to the southwest of Hebron; entered his 65th day of hunger strike. 38-year-old Sultan Khallouf, a resident of Burqin town, to the west of Jenin; entered his 61st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Ismael Ali, a resident of Abu Dis village, in occupied Jerusalem; entered his 55th day of hunger strike. 46-year-old Tariq Qa'dan, a resident of the Jenin Governorate; entered his 48th day of hunger strike. 31-year-old Nasser al-Jada', a resident of Burqin town, to the west of Jenin; entered his 41st day of hunger strike. 30-year-old Thaer Hamdan, a resident of Beit Sira village, to the west of Ramallah; entered his 36th day of hunger strike. The commission confirmed, according to Al Ray, that the detainees are suffering serious health conditions which cause severe pains throughout their bodies, in addition to weight loss, vision impairment and severe wasting. Moreover, most of them cannot walk for long distances. The commission added that most of the detainees were infected with diseases before being detained by Israeli authorities, and are in need of effective medical follow-up, as with the case of the prisoner Ahmad Ghannam, who suffers from blood cancer. The commission warned that there is a real danger to the life of Ghannam after entering his 64th day of open-ended hunger strike, due to the weakness of his immune system. The commission noted that the Israeli Prison System (IPS) is deliberately carrying out a series of punitive measures against Palestinian detainees in Israeli jails, which include repeated transfer of the detainees. among jails, putting them in solitary confinement, which lacks key ingredients to life, and conducting search and storm campaigns against the prisoners, while they are in their cells. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian child in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem in the West Bank, as he was walking back home from school. The IOA detained Mohammad Ali

Dirbas, 16, after stopping him while heading back home from school, and took him to an unknown destination. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Silwan town in occupied Jerusalem and detained two children, identified as Mohammad Wasim 'Obeid, 14, and Mohammad Khalil Kleib, 15, while walking in the al-Bustan Street. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Silwad town, east of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, searched many homes and detained Mohammad Kamel and Suleiman Kamel. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained two young Palestinian men near Ein Bonin spring, northwest of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, after searching them and reportedly finding a knife. The IOA detained the two Palestinians and took them to an interrogation facility run by the Israeli Security Agency. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a Palestinian businessman from Gaza while travelling through the Beit Hanoun/Erez crossing with Israel. Israel detained Yousef Jawad Hassan, who was on his way from Gaza to the West Bank going through Erez crossing, after he was interrogated by Israeli security. Hassan is the second Palestinian detained at Erez crossing in one week and the fifth since the beginning of the year. (Wafa 18 September 2019)
- Violent confrontations flared up between Israeli occupation Army (IOA) and dozens of Palestinian youths in Azzun town east of Qalqilya City. The IOA later installed a checkpoint on the road between Azzun and Jayyus towns, stopped Palestinian vehicles, and interrogated the passengers. (PALINFO 18 September 2019)
- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Nathmi Abu Zagha, Yousef Eshrein, Ahmad Sabah, Bassem Esteeti, Soheib Mer'ey, and Mohammad Hussein Manasra. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahdi Hashem Sabri, Abada al-Haj, Hamza 'Oweinat, and Mohammad Kabeer. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Dia' Sbeitani, Raed Waheed and Yousef Hashash. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- In Ramallah governorate, in central West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained five Palestinians from Kafr Ni'ma village, identified as Mohammad Mansour Abda, 18, Ehab Mohyeddin Abda, 18, Moheeb Abda, 18, Bara' Saed Sayes, 24, and Hussein Abda. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- In occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained three children from Abu Dis town, east of the city. They have been identified as Ahmad Ezz Odah, 14, Issa Luay az-Zaro, 14, and Mohammad az-Zaro, 14. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Rayyan, from Beit Doqqo town, northwest of Jerusalem. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- The health of prisoner Naser al-Jada has seriously declined as a result of his prolonged hunger strike. The Israeli jailers in Nitzan prison transferred prisoner Jada from his isolation cell to Kaplan Hospital after he suffered serious health problems recently. The prisoner also refuses to undergo medical examination or go to the prison infirmary. Jada started his hunger strike 44 days ago in protest at his detention administratively, with no trial or indictment, and his exposure to harsh incarceration conditions. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) kidnaped a Palestinian young man at a military checkpoint in the south of Nablus identified as Mohamed Baddad, a resident of Jaba town in Jenin, as he was trying to cross the Za'atara military checkpoint in southern Nablus. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Safa area, north of Beit Ummar, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, detained five Palestinians and confiscated one car. The IOA stopped a Palestinian car transporting five Palestinians, including children, before confiscating the car and detaining the Palestinians who were identified as Mohammad Bassam Ekhlayyel, 16, Abdul-Aziz Mohammad Ekhlayyel, 17, Mohammad Nimir Ekhlayyel, 18, Abdullah Amjad at-Teet, 18, and Suleiman Mohammad Abu Dayya, 15. The IOA cuffed and blindfolded



the five Palestinians and took them to Etzion military base and security center, north of Hebron. (IMEMC 21 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three Palestinians from Masafer Yatta area, south of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Many Palestinians visited the village and the families, whose homes were demolished by the army two weeks ago, to express solidarity with them as they continue to be subject to constant invasions. Several Israeli army jeeps invaded, Deir Ghassana Palestinian village, northwest of Ramallah, in central West Bank. The Israeli army invaded the village and started stopping the Palestinians and their cars on its main road. The army also searched many cars and interrogated the Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. Several Palestinian youngsters protested the invading army jeeps, while the army fired rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, a Palestinian home in the al-'Isawiya town, in occupied East Jerusalem, and interrogated a child in the property, after alleging that she was filming them when some youngsters reportedly hurled stones at their jeep. The child and her family were on the rooftop of their home barbecuing with relatives. The IOA started interrogating her and asking her if she saw who threw stones at them and if she filmed it on her phone. The child, Sondos Omar Atiya, 12, denied the allegations of the IOA, and that she was on the rooftop with her family and relatives barbecuing and socializing. The IOA then examined several phones, and questioned her father, before leaving the property. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) injured fifteen Palestinians after the army invaded the al-'Ezariyya town, east of occupied Jerusalem. Several army jeeps invaded the town and fired many rubber-coated steel bullets and gas bombs at Palestinians protesting the invasion. The IOA also fired many gas bombs directly at several homes in the town, causing damage and injuries. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Azzoun town, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, attacked and closed several shops, leading to protests, before the army shot and injured six Palestinians during ensuing protests, one of them, identified as Naji Mofeed Radwan, 25, was shot with a live round in the abdomen. Two others were shot two with rubber-coated steel bullets, and three who suffered the effects of

teargas inhalation. In addition, the IOA closed several shops on the main road extending from the town's entrance to Azzoun Highschool for Boys and prevented the Palestinians from reaching the local mosque for evening prayers. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)

- in addition to home and structures demolitions. The IOA detained the head of Tiwana Village Council, Mohammad Rib'ey, in addition to the coordinator of the Protection and Steadfastness Committee, Fuad al-'Amour and a member of the committee, identified as Ali Rashed Awad. (IMEMC 21 September 2019)
- In Hebron governorate, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained six Palestinians from Beit Kahil and Beit Ula towns, west of Hebron city, after the IOA invaded and searched their homes, in addition to searching many other homes in the governorate. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Salem Zhour, Zahran Mahmoud Zhour, Mohammad Taiseer Asafra, Moath Mahmoud Asafra, and Yousef Ahmad Asafra, from Beit Kahil town, in addition to Raed Abdul-Afo al-'Emla from Beit Ula. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Emad Nihad Qayyim, from Ras al-'Ein area, after stopping him at Beit Forik military roadblock, east of Nablus, in northern West Bank, after the IOA claimed he had a knife in his possession. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- In occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yasser Khatib, from his home in Hizma town, east of the city. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and police officers, including military and police intelligence Units, invaded al-'Isawiya and Silwan town in Jerusalem, before storming and ransacking dozens of homes. The invasions and violent searches included the use of K9 units and that the IOA also interrogated dozens of residents while inspecting their ID cards and violently searched their homes and property. During the invasions of homes, the IOA detained Mohammad Abdullah Dari, his brother Mahmoud Dari, Dia' Ayman Obeid, Mohammad Fawzi Obeid, Sufian Nasser Mahmoud, along with his brothers Mohammad and Akram, Fadi Ali Mustafa, Haroun Mohammad Mheisin, Wasim Eyad Dari, Zayed al-

'Ajlouni, Ali Jamal Bader, Bassel Mohammad Dirbas, along with his brother Qussai, Samir Akram Atiya, Wasim Nayef Obeid, Rashad Amjad Nasser, Hamza Mohammad Nasser, along with his brother Issa, in addition to Mahmoud Jamal Atiya and Mohammad Rajab Obeid. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

- In Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched a few homes in Ein al-Louza neighborhood and detained Tawfiq Abu Tayeh and Majdi Abu Tayeh. The IOA and police officers invaded many neighborhoods in Silwan, ticketed cars and other vehicles, in addition to imposing fines on shop owners, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. During the invasions, the IOA fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian protesters but did not cause injuries. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- The many Israeli armored army jeeps invaded the Deheishe refugee camp, south of Bethlehem, searched several homes, and detained Bilal Omar Daoud, 26, Mousa al-Khmour, 25, in addition to Jamal Osama al-Ayasa, 24. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- In Ramallah governorate, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) abducted four Palestinians in the neighborhoods of al-Masyoun and al-Masayef, in addition to Birzeit and Durham towns, north of the city. Two of the detained Palestinians, Yazan Maghames, from Birzeit, and Bassel Filyan, from Burham village, north of Ramallah, are students of Birzeit University. The other two were identified as E'tiraf Bajes Rimawi, a former political prisoner and the head of Bisan Center for Research and Development, in addition to Nassar Jaradat, also a former political prisoner. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- In Salfit governorate, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched many homes in Qarawat Bani Hassan town, before detaining Hazem Zaher Aassi and Abdul-Rahman Abdul-Aziz Rayyan. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Odai Hamza Hussein, 29, a former political prisoner, in addition to Kathem Mofeed Radwan, 26, and Ali Ahmad al-Jada', from Azzoun town. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)

- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained five Palestinians from Jenin refugee camp, identified as Tareq Abu Tabeekh, Tha'er Sweity, Eqab Sweity, Tamer Nasharti, and Mohammad Abu Nassar. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Amjad Wa'el E'mayyer, 31, Mohammad E'mayyer, 39, and Ali Younis Abu Younis, 46, from their homes in Bal'a town, east of the city. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Yousef Ghaleb Hannoun, from Anabta town, east of Qalqilia, while crossing a military roadblock near Jeet village. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- In Hebron, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Rami Mohammad al-'Oweiwi, 30, and Nizar Mohammad Seder, 36. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded al-Masyoun and al-Masayef neighborhoods in Ramallah city and initiated violent searches of homes. Many Palestinian youngsters protested the invasions, and hurled stones at the army jeeps, while the IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs, concussion grenades, and rubber-coated steel bullets. Several Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, in addition to cuts and bruises. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- In Ramallah city, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained E'tiraf Bajes Rimawi, a former political prisoner and the head of Bisan Center for Research and Development, in addition to Nassar Jaradat, also a former political prisoner. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Burham town and Birzeit city, north of Ramallah, and fired gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at Palestinians, protesting the invasions. The army invaded and searched homes, before detaining Yazan Maghames, a university student from Birzeit. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- A university student, identified as Bassel Filyan, was detained from his home in Burham village, north of Ramallah. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stormed and ransacked many homes in several villages and towns, in the southern West Bank governorate of Hebron, and detained nine Palestinians identified as Faisal Mohammad

Najjar, Rami Ali Najjar, Ahmad Mohammad Najjar, So'oud Abu Yousef, Mahmoud Abdul-Rahman Najjar, Mohammad Jibreel Najjar and Ghaleb Mohammad Qar'ish, all from Yatta, in addition to Aref Qabaja from Tarqoumia, and Yasser Barbarawi, 27, from Halhoul. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

- In Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four former political prisoners, identified as Ahmad Mazen Raqban, Jihad Omar Ayyad, Omar Ayyad al-Hreimi and Mohammad Hadia. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained one Palestinian, identified as Omar Abdul-Rahman Awad, from Salfit, in central West Bank. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- In Ramallah, in central West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Harith Mohammad Shallash, from his home in Shuqba town, northwest of the city. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Ummar town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, detained one child and injured many other Palestinians in the ath-Thaher area. The IOA invaded the ath-Thaher area of the town, near the illegal Karmie Tzur settlement and fired a barrage of gas bombs and rubber-coated steel bullets at protesters and homes. Many Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation. The IOA also broke into a blacksmith workshop, owned by Jihad Ali Sabarna, and detained his son, Mohammad, 15. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- 140 Palestinian detainees being held in Israeli jails continue in their open-ended hunger strike. detainees are continuing their strike in opposition to the installation of the cancer-causing jamming devices in their cells for the 14th day in a row. The prisoners took escalating steps as the IPS keeps its position of rejection to meet with their demands, which include removing the devices, installing public phones inside prisons, as well as ending the punitive measures imposed against the hunger-striking detainees since last Tuesday. The Palestinian detainees, specifically those held in Raymond prison, launched a mass open-ended hunger strike on September 9, after Israeli Prison Service (IPS) had denied the agreement made with the detainees last April, which included these demands. After denying the agreement, the detainees held several negotiating sessions

with IPS, to meet their demands, but they were all of no avail. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Birzeit town, north of Ramallah, and stormed a residence for students of Birzeit University, before detaining three of them. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- The Israeli Prison Authority transferred five hunger-striking detainees from Ramon prison to solitary confinement in Tzlamon prison, which is usually used to house Israelis held on criminal charges. The four detainees are among more than 100 other political prisoners, holding a hunger strike protesting the installation of signal jamming devices that are impacting their health and causing complications. The detainees have been identified as Mohammad Riyadh Abu Tayeh, Sajed Abu Ghallous, Nassim Hamada and Ismael Hijazi, all from occupied Jerusalem, in addition to Hamza Matrouk, from Tulkarem, in northern West Bank. The detainees are facing very difficult conditions, and are kept in solitary confinement, to separate them from Israeli prisoners. On September 10th, the detainees, especially in Ramon, started a series of measures after the administration unilaterally voided the agreement which was reached with the striking detainees this past April, especially the removal of jamming devices, and the installation of public phones. The detainees held several sessions of negotiations with the administration, but their demands were rejected, and no progress was ever reached. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the Palestinian Authority's Jerusalem Affairs Minister Fadi al-Hadmi, after invading and searching his home in the Suwwana neighborhood, in occupied East Jerusalem. Many IOA, police and Internal Security officers, invaded al-Hadmi's home, and violently searched it. The IOA detained him after interrogating him and his family while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the home of Jerusalem Governor Adnan Gheith, in Silwan town, south of the Al-Aqsa Mosque in Jerusalem, and summoned him, along with his son, for interrogation. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) prevented the Palestinian Minister of Social Development, Ahmad Majdalani, from entering Jerusalem, and threatened to detain him. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- The Israeli Authorities issued a five-month Administrative Detention order, without charges or trial, against the female detainee from Jordan. The detainee, identified as Hiba Ahmad al-Lubbadi, 24, is currently held at the al-Maskobiyya detention and interrogation center, in occupied Jerusalem. The young woman was detained by the IOA, on August 20, 2019, while she was crossing into the West Bank, and has been denied any legal representation since then. Hiba, a Jordanian citizen who also holds a Palestinian ID, was accompanying her mother to Jenin, in northern West Bank, to attend a wedding celebration for one of their relatives. The young woman was interrogated for 35 consecutive days in Petah Tikva prison, and no charges were ever filed against her before a court decided to slap her with an Administrative Detention. She was also held at the Damon Israeli prison. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
- In Qalqilia, in northern West Bank, many Israeli army jeeps invaded Azzoun town, east of the city, searched homes and detained Ekrima Ayyoub Zamari, 21. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the al-Jalazoun refugee camp, north of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and detained a young man, identified as Ahmad Taiseer Rashed, after ransacking him home. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
- In Hebron governorate, in southern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and violently searched homes in Hebron city, and Halhoul town, north of the city, before detaining two Palestinians, and summoned one for interrogation. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
- In Hebron, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Bashar Abdul-'Alim Da'na, and summoned Majd Badran Jaber for interrogation. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
- In Halhoul town, north of Hebron, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched a few homes, and detained a former political prisoner, identified as Islam Eyad al-Baw. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Shweika village, near the northern West Bank city of Tulkarem, and attacked dozens of Palestinians. The IOA also confiscated several Palestinian cars in Tulkarem and fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades at the protesters. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) kidnaped three Palestinian citizens after ransacking their homes in different West Bank areas. The IOA detained three Palestinians, describing them as wanted by the security authorities. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) summoned three Aqsa Mosque guards for interrogation. The Aqsa guards are Zuhair Damiri, Zain al-Maged and Hamza Khalaf. They were summoned after a Palestinian kid was shot at and arrested outside the Mosque in Bab al-Silsila area. The Israeli police also closed the Mosque and prevented Muslim worshipers from entering it for prayers following the incident. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained three former political prisoners, identified as Ayed Doudin, Khaled al-Fasfous, and Tawfiq Abdul-Fattah al-Hroub, from Doura town, southwest of Hebron. During the invasion, the IOA stormed and ransacked many homes and interrogated scores of Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards, in addition to stopping and searching many cars. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a former political prisoner, Ismael an-Nattah, from Ethna town, west of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Fadi Ghneimat from Surif town, northwest of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) kidnapped a former political prisoner, identified as Mohammad Yousef al-Hroub, while crossing a road in Sinjer village, southwest of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ahmad Thieb al-Hroub and Ezz Qassem al-Hroub, after stopping a car they were riding, in Deir Samit town, west of Hebron. (IMEMC 28 October 2019)
- The Palestinian Prisoner Samer al-'Arbid was referred to Hadassah Hospital in Jerusalem due to the serious deterioration of his health condition while being interrogated by the Israeli Security Agency (Shin Bet) in the Moscovia Prison in occupied Jerusalem. The Israeli authorities raided and searched the house of Samer Mina al-'Arbid in Batn al-Hawa neighborhood in Ramallah on Wednesday, 25 September 2019. He was arrested and then, , taken to the Moscovia Prison, where he was interrogated on suspicions of carrying out the "Dolev" Settlement attack, west of Ramallah, which took place on 23 August and resulted in the



killing of a female settler and injury of 2 other settlers. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

- In Jenin, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained two former political prisoners, identified as Aseel Dia' Zogheibi and Rami Hisham Abu Farha, from the city. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahmoud Mustafa Mardawi, from Arraba town, southwest of Jenin. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Khaled Bassel Bazzour, from Raba village, southeast of Jenin, after invading their homes and ransacking them. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- In Nablus, in northern West Bank, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) searched many homes and detained two former political prisoners, identified as Kamal Ibrahim Abu Tharifa, from the Northern Mountain Area, and Mohammad Eid Tabanja, from Khallet al-'Amoud. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Maher al-Hroub, a member of the local committee for coordination between political parties, from his home in Balata refugee camp, east of Nablus. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- In Awarta village, south of Nablus, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Sa'id and Nabeeh Awwad, from their homes. The two are former political prisoners. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained Ayman Haj Mahmoud, from Beit Forik town, east of Nablus. Ayman Haj Mahmoud is a former political prisoner. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) invaded and searched homes in Asira ash-Shamaliya town, north of Nablus, and detained three young men, identified as Ja'far Omar Rawajba, Ali Omar Shouli, and Ali Nouredin Daraghma. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- In Tulkarem, in northern West Bank, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Ala' Zoheir al-Jayyousi, 40, from his home in the al-'Iskan neighborhood, east of the city, and confiscated his car. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)

- In Bethlehem, south of occupied Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Odai Makhlof Zawahra, 20, from his home in the al-Karkafa area, in the center of the city. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- In Nahhalin town, west of Bethlehem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched homes and detained two siblings, identified as Ammad Mohammad Shakarna, and his brother Khalil. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Kobar town, north of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, and searched many stores, in addition to a few abandoned homes. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Birzeit town after withdrawing from Kobar and fired many gas bombs and concussion grenades at Palestinian protesters. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained four Palestinians west of the central West Bank city of Ramallah. The four Palestinians were identified as Samer Mina Salim 'Arbeed, 44, from Ramallah, Qassem Abdul-Karim Shibli, 25, Yazan Hussein Mijmas, 25, and Nizam Sami Awlad Mohammad, 21, from the nearby city of Birzeit. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- Prisoner Samer Arbeed was taken to a hospital, in critical condition, as a result of brutal torture which he had been subjected to, in the Mascobiyyeh investigation center. Shin Bet Israeli security said it had obtained a "permit," from the court, which allows it to use exclusive methods of investigation. Al-Arbeed was severely beaten and tortured and taken to Hadassah Hospital in Jerusalem in a very serious condition. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) took Samer into custody on 25<sup>th</sup> of September, when they stormed the city of Ramallah. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) issued in September administrative detention orders against 101 Palestinians currently held in Israeli jails for periods ranging between two and six months. Some of the orders were issued against Palestinian detainees for the first time, while others had their administrative detention renewed. According to statistics, there are 500 administrative detainees in Israeli jails. Administrative detention is the imprisonment of Palestinians without charge or trial at

orders from a military commander and on the basis of secret evidence. The order normally goes for six-month periods, indefinitely renewable by Israeli military authorities. (Wafa 30 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained in Jerusalem Walid Ilyyan, from Issawiyeh neighborhood, hours after he was freed from prison after serving five years for resisting the Israeli occupation, along with his father, Daoud. (Wafa 30 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) detained four others from the same neighborhood all from the Obeid family, including Samir Obeid, father of Martyr Mohammad Obeid, 20, who was shot dead by the IOA in the neighborhood on June 27. (Wafa 30 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) **detained** two Palestinians from Dheisheh refugee camp in Bethlehem. (Wafa 30 September 2019)
- Seven detainees in Israeli prisons, including one woman, are ongoing with hunger strike, protesting being held under the arbitrary Administrative Detention orders, without charges or trial. One of the detainees, identified as Ahmad Abdul-Karim Ghannam, 42, from Doura town, southwest of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, started the hunger strike 79 days ago, and is facing serious complications, especially since he also has cancer. The second detainee, Ismael Ali, 30, from Abu Dis near Jerusalem, was taken prisoner in February of this year and started his strike 69 days ago. The third detainee is Tareq Oa'dan, 46, from Jenin governorate in Northern West Bank; he started the strike 62 days ago. He was frequently abducted and imprisoned, spending a total of 11 years in prison. The fourth detainee is Mos'ab al-Hindi, 29, from Tal town near the northern West Bank city of Nablus; he was taken prisoner on September 4<sup>th</sup> and started the strike seven days ago. Al-Hindi is a former political prisoner who previously also went on hunger strike for being held under Administrative Detention orders which were renewed for a total of 24 times, over the course of numerous abductions and imprisonment. The fifth detainee is Monir Bassel Sawafta, 36, from Tubas in northeastern West Bank; he was abducted on March 29<sup>th</sup> and received a six-month Administrative Detention order. He is a former political prisoner who was held for a total of four years in prison prior to his current detention. The sixth detainee, Ahmad Zahran, 42, from Deir Abu Mashal town, near Ramallah in central West Bank, started his strike seven days ago. He is a married father of four and was abducted this past March. Zahran started the strike seven days ago after Israel refused to release him, despite an

agreement that was reached after he held a 39-day hunger strike earlier this year. The seventh detainee is Hiba al-Lubbadi, 24, a bearer of a Jordanian and a Palestinian citizenship, who was abducted when she was traveling to Jenin to visit with her family. She was taken prisoner on the border terminal between Jordan and the occupied West Bank and was subjected to harsh interrogation for 25 consecutive days, before she was slapped with an Administrative Detention order, and started the hunger strike seven days ago. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a young man, identified as Hamza Maswada, while walking in an alley in the Old City, and took him to a nearby detention and interrogation facility. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mohammad Waleed Obeid, Waseem Nayef Obeid, and Ayyoub Bahaey Obeid, from their homes in occupied East Jerusalem. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) searched and ransacked homes in Hebron governorate, in southern West Bank, and detained Atallah Issa Abu Sbeih, in addition to searching the homes of Mohammad Khaled Shawaheen and Hafeth Rashid and Ali Rashid, in Yatta town, south of Hebron city. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained a child, identified as Osama Essam Rajabi, 15, after stopping him at Abu ar-Reese military roadblock, west of the Ibrahimi Mosque in Hebron city, while he was heading to his school. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)
- In Bethlehem, South of Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Raghad Raed Shamrookh, 24, and Bassel Waleed Da'amsa, 25, from their homes in Deheishe refugee camp, South of the city. Protests erupted after the IOA invaded the refugee camp, and the soldiers fired rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs, and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

### Israeli Settler Violence

#### **Israeli Settler Violence during the month of July 2019**

- Israeli settlers raided the Sebastia archaeological site in the north of the occupied West Bank city of Nablus. Dozens of Israeli settlers raided Sebastia archaeological site for the second day in a row under the heavy protection of the Israeli occupation Army (IOA), and prevented Palestinian residents' access to the site. (Wafa 1 July 2019)
- Israelis settlers assaulted Palestinian residents of Beit Ummar town in the south of the West Bank. The settlers assaulted and beat Palestinians and cursed them for no apparent reason causing fear among children. The residents live on the main Jerusalem-Hebron road. (Wafa 2 July 2019)
- Israel Minister of Agriculture and Rural Development Uri Ariel Wednesday morning headed a group of Israeli settlers in a provocative tour in al-Aqsa Mosque compound, in the occupied city of Jerusalem. Ariel and 42 settlers were heavily protected by Israeli police and special forces as they forced their way into the Muslim mosque compound through Bab al-Maghariba (the Moroccan Gate). (Wafa 3 July 2019)
- Israeli Minister of Agriculture [Uri Ariel](#), guarded by a special forces unit of the Israeli occupation police stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque, via the Moroccan Gate, and performed Talmudic rituals. At around 7:30am , the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) were deployed at the mosque gates and in its courtyards, securing the raid by settlers headed by Ariel. Ariel was guarded by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) as he performed Talmudic rituals. The IOA imposed restrictions on Palestinian entry into the mosque, seizing their personal IDs. (IMEMC 4 July 2019)
- Several Israeli settlers assaulted a Palestinian child in Hebron city, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, causing lacerations and bruises. The Israeli settlers attacked the child, Raed Abu Rmeila Tamimi, 10, while crossing the Sahla Street, near the Ibrahimi Mosque in Hebron city. The child suffered several lacerations and bruises. The child's father said that he was heading to his pottery shop in the Old City, after returning from the markets' area in Hebron, and then asked his child to carry some items to take them home in the southern part of the city. While the child was walking in the Sahla Street area, a few settlers assaulted him, causing his injuries, and deliberately smashed his mobile phone, while Israeli occupation Army (IOA), constantly deployed in the area, failed to intervene. (IMEMC 6 July 2019)
- Israeli settlers from the terrorist price-tag group spray-painted racist graffiti outside the Arab dormitory, in Tele Aviv University, students said. The settlers broke into the surroundings of their dormitory and spray-

painted racist, hate and anti-Arab graffiti on walls. (Wafa , IMEMC 6 July 2019)

- A number of Israeli settlers infiltrated at dawn, into Awarta Palestinian village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, punctured tires of several Palestinian cars and wrote racist graffiti. The assailants punctured the tires of four cars, owned by Suleiman at-Tammouni, Salah Awwad, Nasr Awwad and Samer 'Attouri and also wrote racist and anti-Palestinian graffiti, some calling for "revenge," and "killing the Arabs," on walls of several homes, and on cars, in addition to a kindergarten and a school. (Wafa, IMEMC 7 July 2019)
- Israeli settlers took over a Palestinian-owned building in Suwwana area on the Mount of Olives in occupied East Jerusalem. Israeli police escorted the settlers in their takeover of the building that houses four apartments and owned by Ihab Mahdar. Settlers were seen removing furniture from the building and throwing it in the street. (Wafa 8 July 2019)
- Israeli settlers razed around 24 dunums of Palestinian-owned land near an the Israeli settlement to the east of the occupied West Bank city of Hebron. Settlers from Kiryat Arba settlement, under the heavy protection of Israeli occupation Army (IOA), razed around 24 dunums of Palestinian land belonging to heirs of local resident Abbas Jaber, as a prelude to take over the land for the benefit of expanding the Kiryat Arba settlement. Land owners filed several complaints in Israeli courts, noting that the heirs own the TAPU, a Turkish title deed, as well as Palestinian and Israeli documents that prove their ownership of the land. (Wafa 09 July 2019)
- Israeli settlers set fire to hundreds of olive trees in the northern West Bank village of Burin. Settlers from the settlement of Yitzhar sneaked into Burin farmland and set fire to hundreds of olive trees in the southern parts of the village, located south of Nablus. The Israeli army prevented Palestinian fire-trucks from reaching the area to put out the fire, which then spread and resulted in heavy losses to the farmers. (IMEMC, Wafa, 10 July 2019)
- Several Israeli settlers invaded Khirbat Samra village, in the West Bank's Northern Plains, and occupied irrigation wells. The settlers occupied all the Palestinian wells, and prevented the farmers from using them, before using the water for their cows. The settlers prevented the Palestinians from using the well to feed their sheep, and planted trees in KHALLET Hamad area, near the tents of local shepherds, in preparation to occupy the lands. (Wafa, IMEMC 12 July 2019)

- A Palestinian child who was riding his bicycle near his village in the southern part of the West Bank was hit by an unknown Israeli settler and killed. Tariq Zebania, 7 years old, was from Tarqumia, west of Hebron, and was riding his bicycle by the settlement road near his town. He was struck by a car driven by an Israeli settler who headed into the 'Adhoura' settlement after hitting the boy. No efforts were made by the Israeli authorities to apprehend the driver who killed the boy. (IMEMC 16 July 2019)
- More than 40 Israeli settlers, 115 Governmental figures and 25 members of the Israeli intelligence police raided Al Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem from Bab Al Maghrabah (Al Mughrabi Gate) and carried out provocative tours in its courtyard. (Wafa 16 July 2019)
- Israeli settlers over the past two days set up a number of mobile homes on Palestinian-owned lands in the northern Jordan valley. The settlers up a caravan to the west of the Israeli settlement of Maskiyot, in the area of Abu al-Qandool in Wadi al-Malih and surrounded the area with a fence. The settlers also set up several other mobile homes in outposts in areas of al-Suwaida and Khallet Hamad, nothing that the settlers have continuously been working to install more caravans in the area. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- Israeli settlers resumed their incursions to Al Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem from Bab Al Maghrabah (Al Mughrabi Gate) and carried out provocative tours in its courtyard. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- An Israeli settler rammed, a young Palestinian man from the Old City of occupied East Jerusalem, causing fractures and bruises, and fled the scene. The young man, identified as Adnan Samer Mojahed, 19, suffered various fractures, in addition to cuts and bruises to several parts of his body. The young man was driving to his work when his car broke down in Abu Ghosh Street, and when he stepped out to try to fix it, a speeding Israeli settler rammed him with his car and fled the scene. (IMEMC 18 July 2019)
- A Palestinian identified as Fouad al-Rajabi was injured after Israeli settlers attacked him in Batin Al-Hawa neighborhood in the town of Silwan in occupied East Jerusalem. Settlers residing in the nearby outpost assaulted Palestinian citizens in the neighborhood after they prevented them from taking over a piece of land in the neighborhood, in order to turn it into a parking lot. (RB2000 23 July 2019)
- 51 Israeli settlers raided Al Aqsa Mosque in occupied East Jerusalem and carried out provocative tours in its courtyard. (Wafa 24 July 2019)

- Settlers from the settlement of Rahalim uprooted and destroyed 80 large and fruitful olive trees located in the hubs area southeast of the village of Yasuf, hundreds of meters away from Za'tara checkpoint, south of Nablus. (MAAN, 27 July 2019)
- Israeli settlers destroyed 80 olive trees belonging to Palestinian farmers in the village of Yasouf, east of the northern West Bank city of Salfit. The land where the trees were cut down is located near the Israeli settlement of Rahalim, and that it is owned by two brothers who are residents of the village. The act came as Palestinian farmer prepare for the olive harvest season, which is done in the autumn. Thousands of families live by harvesting olives. (IMEMC 28 July 2019)
- Israeli Settlers set up a new caravan in Abu al-Qandoul area in Marmala area in the northern Jordan Valley. Note that about a month ago, the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) built a settlement road in the same area. (Wafa 28 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) started ploughing 100 dunums of land near Hemdat settlement in the northern Jordan Valley. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- 42 Israeli settlers raided Al Aqsa Mosque, carried out provocative tours in its court Yard and Talmudic rituals. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- Hundreds of Israeli settlers invaded an area near Nablus that they are trying to take over to annex into Israel. Four Palestinians were wounded by live ammunition, while dozens more suffered from tear gas inhalation during clashes with the Israeli occupation Army (IOA) when around 1300 Israeli settlers, accompanied by IOA, invaded an area east of Nablus. Confrontations broke out when hundreds of settlers stormed the mosque located east of Nablus. Four Palestinians were wounded by live bullets in the lower limbs. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)
- Four Palestinians were injured by Israeli gunfire as hundreds of Israeli settlers forced their way into Joseph's Tomb in the northern West Bank city of Nablus. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) escorted a convoy of buses packed with hundreds of settlers into the site, located in the Palestinian-controlled area, sparking confrontations with Palestinian residents. The IOA opened fire on Palestinians protesting the raid and attempting to block settlers' access to the site, injuring four protestors with live rounds in their lower extremities. The IOA also



showered protesters with tear gas canisters, causing several to suffocate. (Wafa 30 July 2019)

- In Jerusalem, dozens of Israeli settlers renewed their provocative incursions into the Al-Aqsa Mosque from the Bab al-Mughrabi Gate, where the occupation army (IOA) have maintained a presence since they occupied Jerusalem in 1967 . Members of the special units of the Israeli police regularly provide protection to groups of right-wing Israeli settlers during their tours and attempts to perform prayers and rituals in the mosque. These settlers have as their stated purpose to remove the mosque, and replace it with a Jewish synagogue. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)

### **Israeli Settler Violence during the month of August 2019**

- Israeli settlers hurled stones at a Palestinian house and wedding hall in Urief village, south of Nablus. The settlers stormed the village, where they threw stones and empty bottles at a villager's house and wedding hall, smashing some of their windows. The house owner as Jamal Abdullah Shehadeh. No injuries were reported though in the attack. The settlers reportedly came from Yitzhar, an settlement inhabited by hardcore fanatic Jews. (Wafa 6 August 2019)
- Israeli settlers attacked with stones Palestinian vehicles passing at route 60 near the village of Lubban Esharqia, north of Ramallah in the occupied West Bank. Settlers attacked vehicles while passing near the village, causing partial damages to some of them. Other drivers, meanwhile, opted for longer, alternative routes in order to avert the stone-attack. (Wafa 8 August 2019)
- Tension was high at Jerusalem's Al-Aqsa Mosque, Islam's third holiest site worldwide, after a large group of Jewish fanatics started to perform Jewish rituals of dancing and singing as they walked through the plaza of Al-Haram Al-Sharif, or the noble sanctuary. 260 Israeli settlers entered in groups the Muslim holy place during the daily visit hours, most of them were members of hardline extremist religious groups who started to perform loud and open rituals and signing provoking the Muslim worshippers at the holy site. Police usually escort the fanatics as they walk through the plaza of Al-Aqsa Mosque compound and are supposed to prevent any religious rituals by non-Muslims. However, the signing and shouting continued as the religious fanatics walked until they exited the area. Jewish hardline religious groups have called on their followers to

force their way into Al-Aqsa Mosque on Al Adha Eid. The Jewish groups seek to take over and destroy Al-Aqsa Mosque to build a Jewish temple on its ruins, a move that could trigger religious strife in the region if carried out. (Wafa 8 August 2019)

- A group of Israeli settlers invaded Erfa'eyya area east of Yatta town, east of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, burnt hay bales, and wrote racist graffiti, in addition to hurling stones at Palestinian cars in the area and surrounding communities. The settlers infiltrated into the area and burnt many hay bales, owned by the residents. Israeli settlers also hurled stones, and empty bottles, at many Palestinian cars east of Hebron city, and a nearby road. The settlers also wrote racist anti-Palestinian graffiti on many walls in Yatta, before fleeing the area and heading to their nearby settlements and outposts. (IMEMC 9 August 2019)
- Groups of Israeli settlers attacked many Palestinian homes and cars in several areas in Bethlehem governorate, south of occupied East Jerusalem, in the West Bank. The settlers hurled stones at a home and a car, owned by Ahmad Abu Dayya, in the al-Manshiyya area, in Teqoua' town, east of Bethlehem. The settlers also hurled stones at a home, owned by Fuad Najajra, in Nahhalin town, west of Bethlehem. The settlers also gathered at many intersections and road in various parts of Bethlehem governorate, and hurled stones at Palestinian vehicles, in addition to obstructing traffic. (IMEMC 9 August 2019)
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- Jewish hardline religious groups have called on their followers to force their way into Al-Aqsa Mosque on the 11<sup>th</sup> of August 2019, the day Muslims mark Eid al-Adha holiday, one of the most important holidays in Islam that coincides with the annual pilgrimage to Makkah. (Wafa 9 August 2019)

- Israeli Minister Uri Ariel along with Israeli settlers escorted by the Israeli occupation Police raided Al Aqsa mosque and carried out provocative tours in its courtyard. (Wafa 15 August 2019)
- Israeli settlers sprayed racist graffiti at Palestinian residents homes and vehicles in Az-Zawiya town in Salfit governorate, the northern occupied West Bank. A group of settlers raided the town and wrote threatening and racist anti-Palestinian graffiti at the walls of several homes and on cars. (Wafa 15 August 2019)
- Israeli settlers attacked the village of Orif, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, after failing to set fire to local farmers' land. The settlers attacked the village of Orif after residents managed to fend off their attempts to set fire to their land. Clashes reportedly broke out in the eastern part of the village between residents and Israeli forces who intervened in support of the settlers and attacked the former with live ammunition and tear gas canisters. No injuries were reported. (Wafa 15 August 2019)
- Several Palestinians were injured by Israeli gunfire as hundreds of Israeli settlers forced their way into Joseph's Tomb near the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Israeli occupation army escorted a convoy of buses packed with hundreds of Jewish settlers into the site, located in the Palestinian Authority controlled area, sparking confrontations with Palestinian residents. The IOA also showered protesters with tear gas canisters, causing many to suffer tear-gas inhalation, all of whom received first aid treatment at the scene. (IMEMC 20 August 2019)
- Israeli settlers attacked Palestinian farmers in the town of Um Safa to the north of Ramallah, and placed barbed wire on land located in area 'B' and 'C' of the West Bank as a prelude to seize it. The settlers attacked farmers near Um Safa village and released their cows into residents' land, destroying the crops. Settlers further fenced off a land exceeding 150 dunums in area with barbed wires, in an apparent prelude to take over the land. (Wafa 20 August 2019)
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administrative control and Israel's security control and makes up 21% of the West Bank. Area C, which makes up 61% of the West Bank, is under Israeli administrative and security control. (Wafa 20 August 2019)

- An Israeli settler ran over a six-year-old Palestinian girl in the village of Jabaa to the southwest of Bethlehem, in the southern occupied West Bank. (Wafa 21 August 2019)
- Groups of Israeli settlers, broke into Al-Hafira hill, south of the occupied West Bank city of Jenin, and performed Talmudic rituals after spreading out in the area. The settlers have dispersed over the hill, and in the area classified as an archaeological site which is located among the lands of Arraba town, where several Palestinian families reside. The settlers frequently storm Al-Hafira hill and perform multiple Talmudic rituals, on the claim that it's a Jewish historical site. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) accompanied the settlers during the storming, to give them protection. (IMEMC 21 August 2019)
- Jewish settlers planted forest trees on Palestinian land to south of Bethlehem, as a prelude for taking it over. Residents of the village of Al Jab'a were surprised to see the settlers, and under army protection, planting forest trees in a hilly area about 300 meters away from the nearest home in the village, and without any prior notice. The land amounts to thousands of dunams, and that part of it has been planted with olive trees for decades. The army had closed most of that area and would often prevent local farmers from reaching their land to cultivate it, even after coordinating their visit to their land with the army. Israel's intentions in taking over the land were clear when they would not allow farmers to reach it, and after closing a road to the nearby town of Sourif with dirt, since the year 2000, which was later replaced by a metal gate, making movement of Jabah villagers, mainly high school students seeking to reach their schools in Sourif, very difficult and arduous. (IMEMC 21 August 2019)
- An Israeli settler ran over a six-year-old Palestinian girl in the village of Jabaa to the southwest of Bethlehem, the southern occupied West Bank. A settler ran over Jana Abu Loha, 6, as she was passing near the entrance connecting between the villages of Jabaa and Surif, which necessitated her transfer to a hospital for medical treatment. The entrance was previously closed by the Israeli authorities by an iron gate, which forced the child, as is the case for other Palestinian residents there, to take an alternative road heavily used by vehicles, which puts their lives at risk of being run over.

The girl's medical condition remains unknown until the moment. (Wafa 22 August 2019)

- Settlers blocked roads in the south and north of the occupied West Bank and hurled stones at cars with Palestinian license plates causing damage to cars and concern for the safety of the passengers. (Wafa 23 August 2019)
- An Israeli settler ran over a six-year-old Palestinian girl in the village of Jabaa to the southwest of Bethlehem, the southern occupied West Bank. A settler ran over Jana Abu Loha, age 6, as she was passing near the entrance connecting between the villages of Jabaa and Surif, which necessitated her transfer to a hospital, for medical treatment. The entrance was previously closed by the Israeli authorities by an iron gate, which forced the child, as is the case for other Palestinian residents there, to take an alternative road heavily used by vehicles, which puts their lives at risk of being run over. (IMEMC 23 August 2019)
- Jewish settlers attacked with stones Palestinian civilian cars driving on West Bank roads causing panic and concern for the safety of the passengers. The settlers blocked roads in the south and north of the occupied West Bank and hurled stones at cars with Palestinian license plates causing damage to cars. There were no reports of injuries. Palestinians as a result avoided the main roads where the settlers had gathered and took alternate longer routes to get to their destinations or homes. The Israeli army had also set up roadblocks on different roads in the West Bank following an attack earlier in the day against settlers near Ramallah in which one settler was killed and two others injured and attacked the P. The army blocked dozens of roads and stopped and searched cars that piled up on the road. The roadblocks were later removed and traffic was back to normal except in places where settlers gathered and attacked Palestinian commuters. (Wafa 23 August 2019)
- Israeli Right-wing settlers gathered in the northern and southern West Bank and threw stones at Palestinian vehicles. Israeli settlers attacked and threw stones at Palestinian vehicles on the Rt. 60 bypass road near Kharsina area east of Hebron. A number of settlers gathered on the settler street and threw stones at Palestinian vehicles, while Israeli occupation Army (IOA) reinforced their presence in the area. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- In the northern West Bank, dozens of Israeli settlers closed the road linking Huwwara, south of Nablus, to areas of the northern West Bank

- (Yitzhar) and threw stones at Palestinian cars. Dozens of settlers, under the protection of the Israeli occupation army, closed Yitzhar Street and attacked Palestinian vehicles with rocks and stones. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- Several Israeli settlers attacked many Palestinian cars near the junction of Yitzhar colony, south of Nablus, in northern West Bank. The settlers caused damage to several Palestinian cars. Settlers also held a protest at the junction, after closing it, and attacked the Palestinian vehicles, in what they called “retaliation. The settlers attacked the Palestinian cars in front of Israeli occupation Army (IOA) who were just standing and watching, without attempting to intervene. (IMEMC 25 August 2019)
  - Israeli settlers threw rocks at Palestinian citizens’ vehicles and caused damage to some of them near the village of Huwara, south of the occupied West Bank city of Nablus. The settlers pelted rocks at vehicles, causing damages to some of them but no injuries. (Wafa 25 August 2019)
  - Scores of Israeli settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque’s courtyards under police protection. The Jewish rabbi and Knesset member Yehuda Glick led dozens of settlers as they were touring the Aqsa Mosque. The Israeli police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 26 August 2019)
  - A group of Israeli settlers attacked at dawn homes of Palestinian citizens in Rafat village west of the West Bank city of Salfit. A number of Israeli settlers stormed the eastern side of Rafat and hurled rocks at several homes causing partial damages. The settlers further punctured the tires of a number of Palestinian-owned vehicles and smashed their windshields. (PALINFO 27 August 2019)
  - Dozens of Israeli settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque’s courtyards under police guard. The Israeli police closed the Mosque’s Maghariba Gate at 11 o’clock in the morning after at least 56 settlers toured the Islamic holy site’s courtyards. Some settlers performed Talmudic rituals during their tours at the Mosque. Three officers from the Israeli intelligence also defiled the Mosque in the morning. The Israeli occupation police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at about

10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 27 August 2019)

- A group of Israeli settlers, accompanied by many Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the archeological area in al-Mas'udiyya, north of Nablus, in northern West Bank, and prevented the Palestinians from entering it. Dozens of Settlers and IOA invaded the archeological area, and its park, in al- Mas'udiyya. The invaded sites belong to Burqa Village Council, north of Nablus, and is subject to constant Israeli invasions and violations. (IMEMC 29 August 2019)
- Hordes of Israeli settlers raided Ein Bubin, a natural spring in Deir Ibzi village west of Ramallah City. In the early morning hours a number of buses carrying hundreds of Israeli settlers entered the village and stormed Ein Bubin site. The Israeli occupation army later announced the place a closed military zone. (PALINFO 30 August 2019)
- A Palestinian farmer suffered moderate injuries when Israeli settlers physically assaulted him in the south of Bethlehem. Farmer Ayman Sa'ad from Artas village in Bethlehem was trying to enter the area where his own land is located when settlers from the settlements of Gush Etzion attacked him. The farmer was moderately injured in his face. (PALINFO 31 August 2019)

### **Israeli Settler Violence during the month of September 2019**

- A Palestinian farmer sustained injuries in the head, when he was brutally assaulted by Israeli settlers near the village of Artas, to the south of Bethlehem, in the occupied West Bank. Settlers from the Israeli settlement bloc of Gush Etzion broke into the farm of Ayman Khalil Sa'ad, who comes from Artas, while working in the farm near the village. As Sa'ad attempted to prevent the settlers from raiding his own farm. The latter assaulted and beat him, causing him bruises in the face and eye. (IMEMC 1 September 2019)
- Israeli Minister of agriculture Uri Ariel along with scores of Jewish settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque's courtyards amid tight security protection. Ariel and about 30 settlers toured the Mosque's courtyards in the morning. The Israeli occupation police allowed about 3,330 Jewish settlers to defile the Aqsa Mosque last August. The Israeli police close al-

Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshippers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)

- A hoard of armed Jewish settlers, on Monday, appropriated and bulldozed a Palestinian-owned tract of agricultural land in Beit Jala town, west of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank. Local official Hasan Berijiya said that bulldozers, escorted by a group of settlers carrying weapons, stormed the agricultural area of al-Makhrour and embarked on razing four dunams of land belonging to a local resident named Saba Iskandar. Berijiya added that the settlers threatened to place mobile homes on this piece of land, noting that the seized land is located near the Palestinian restaurant and the house that had been demolished about a week ago, by the occupation authority. (IMEMC 3 September 2019)
- 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 17<sup>th</sup> 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)



- Dozens of Palestinian citizens suffered from exposure to tear gas, in Madama village, to the south of Nablus, during confrontations with Israeli soldiers and settlers. Village chief Ihab al-Qut said that a hoard of Jewish settlers from the illegal settlement of Yitzhar, in Nablus, stormed the southern area of the village and fought with local youth, in the presence of soldiers who fired volleys of tear gas grenades. Dozens of young men suffered from inhaling tear gas, during the events. The settlers also set fire to many olive trees under military protection, while soldiers prevented local residents from going to their lands to extinguish the flames. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)
- Many fanatic illegal Israeli colonialist settlers attacked, on Sunday at dawn, Palestinian homes and cars in Aseera al-Qibliyya village, south of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, causing property damage. Hafeth Saleh, the mayor of Aseera al-Qibliyya village, said the attack was carried out by at least twenty assailants, who came from the nearby illegal Yitzhar colony, which was built on Palestinian lands near the village. He added that the Israeli assailants targeted many homes and cars in the eastern area of the village, causing damage to a few homes and three cars, in addition to puncturing car tires. Owners of some of the attacked homes and cars have been identified as Abdul-Basset Mohammad Abdul-Rahman, Rafiq Abdul-Basset Ahmad and Abdul-Wahab Abdul-Rahman Ahmad. Saleh also stated that the attacks were carried out approximately at five in the early morning, and added that some of the assailants were masked, and others were armed. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)
- Dozens of Jewish settlers on Thursday morning desecrated the Aqsa Mosque's courtyards under tight police protection. According to the Islamic Awqaf Authority in Occupied Jerusalem, 155 settlers, including university and religious students received guided tours at the Mosque. Some settlers tried to perform rituals during their presence at the holy site. The Awqaf Authority also said that 17 Israeli government employees entered and toured al-Marwani prayer building of the Aqsa Mosque. The Aqsa Mosque is exposed to daily desecration by Jewish settlers in the morning and the afternoon except on Fridays and Saturdays. The Israeli police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the

- entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)
- A horde of Jewish settlers on Wednesday attacked Palestinian vehicles traveling on the Jenin-Nablus road between the West Bank towns of Burqa and Silat ad-Dhahr. Local sources told a reporter for the Palestinian Information Center (PIC) that settlers swarmed the hill where the settlement of Homesh was once located before its demolition, and embarked on stoning Palestinian cars on the road. They added that several cars sustained material damage and two Palestinian passengers were injured in the attack. Incidents of sabotage and violence by extremist Jewish settlers against Palestinians and their property are a daily occurrence throughout the West Bank. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)
  - Israeli settlers set up a new outpost on Al-Muntar mountain, east of the Palestinian town of Sawahra. A number of settlers placed several mobile homes and barrels of water on the mountain, at 4 am. Two days ago, a number of settlers tried to set up a container in the town, south of the settlement of Kedar. However, the residents in the area prevented them. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)
  - A group of Israeli settlers attacked, several Palestinian homes in the al-Hareeqa neighborhood, in the southern West Bank city of Hebron, causing property damage, and chanted racist slogans. The settlers came from the Kiryat Arba' settlement. The settlers hurled stones at Palestinian homes and chanted racist slogans; damage was reported to several homes, while many children suffered anxiety attacks. (IMEMC 15 September 2019)
  - A group of Israeli settlers stormed al-Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem amid heavy police presence. Dozens of Israeli settlers forced their way into al-Aqsa Mosque through al-Maghareba Gate and carried out provocative tours inside the compound. Meanwhile, restrictions were tightened on the Palestinian worshipers entering the site. (PALINFO 15 September 2019)
  - Dozens of Israeli settlers, under the protection of the Israeli occupation Army (IOA), attacked Palestinian homes in Al-Haraiq neighborhood in Hebron, throwing stones and burning bottles at them. Dozens of settlers from the settlement of Kiryat Arba settlement, built on Palestinian lands, east of Hebron, and attacked homes under the protection of the IOA. The settlers broke a number of windows while chanting racist slogans, which spread fear and panic among the children. (IMEMC 16 September 2019)
  - A horde of Jewish settlers on Monday evening attacked a number of Palestinian homes in the south of Nablus in the occupied West Bank.

Local official Ghassan Daghlis said that dozens of settlers attacked the homes of citizens with stones in the northern area of Einabus village, south of Nablus, adding that local residents managed to fend off the assailants. In another incident, another group of settlers stormed Duma village in southern Nablus, slashed tires of some cars and spray-painted death threats and racist slurs on a house's wall. (palinfo

- Israeli settlers broke into a mosque in the center of the southern West Bank city of Halhoul, adjacent to Hebron, and held rituals at the site provoking clashes with local Palestinian residents. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) first raided the area in order to secure Nabi Younis mosque in the center of Halhoul for the settlers to hold their Jewish rituals. Palestinians provoked by the raid clashed with the IOA and settlers. The IOA fired rubber bullets and teargas at the Palestinians causing several injuries. (Wafa 9 September 2019)
- Scores of Jewish settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque's courtyards under tight police protection. Dozens of settlers carried out provocative tours at the Mosque and received explanations about the alleged temple mount. The Israeli occupation police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshippers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 17 September 2019)
- A group of Israeli settlers attacked a number of Palestinian homes in the south of Nablus in the occupied West Bank. Dozens of settlers attacked the homes of citizens with stones in the northern area of Einabus village, south of Nablus, adding that local residents managed to fend off the assailants.
- A group of settlers stormed Duma village in southern Nablus, slashed tires of some cars and spray-painted death threats and racist slurs on a house's wall. (PALINFO 17 September 2019)
- Israeli settlers protected by The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) broke into the center of Hebron's business area in Bab al-Zawieh and held rituals on Beersheba road. (Wafa 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation police allowed dozens of Jewish settlers to enter the Aqsa Mosque and tour its courtyards. About 50 settlers desecrated the Aqsa Mosque's courtyards. The Israeli occupation police close al-Maghariba Gate, which is used by Jews to enter the Mosque, at 10:30 am

after the settlers complete their morning tours at the holy site. Later in the afternoon, the same gate is reopened for evening tours by settlers. During the presence of settlers inside the Mosque compound, entry restrictions are imposed on Muslim worshipers at the entrances leading to the Mosque and their IDs are seized until they leave the holy place. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)

- At least one farmer was injured as Israeli settlers attacked several Palestinian farmers working in a farm near the village of Beitin, northeast of Ramallah in the West Bank. About 25 Jewish settlers protected by an Israeli army force broke into the farm, physically assaulted some of the farmers and injured one of them in the head. The settlers also attacked vehicles belonging to local Palestinian citizens and smashed their windshields. (Wafa 20 September 2019)
- Israeli settlers razed a Palestinian-owned land near the village of Turmus Ayya, to the north of Ramallah in the occupied West Bank. Settlers from the illegal settlement of Adi-Ad, nearby, and who were escorted by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) proceeded to raze about six dunums of land near the village. The land razed belongs to a local Palestinian farmers from the village. (Wafa 22 September 2019)
- A number of Palestinians suffered from suffocation during clashes with Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) who secure a break in by Israeli settlers into Joseph's Tomb in the northern West Bank city of Nablus. Palestinians clashed with the IOA who sealed off the Palestinian area to secure the visit of the settlers into the site resulting in 10 injuries mainly from suffocation due to inhaling teargas fired by the soldiers. About 1200 settlers broke into the site early in the morning, heavily protected by the IOA and accompanied by Rafi Peretz, Israeli Education Minister and Yossi Dagan, a settler leader. (Wafa 24 October 2019)
- Former Israeli Minister of Internal Security and Shin Bet director Avi Dichter, stormed the courtyards of Al-Aqsa Mosque under strict guard of Israeli occupation police. Dichter, WAS accompanied by a group of settlers and guarded by occupation forces stormed Al-Aqsa and made several provocative rounds in the courtyards. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- Groups of Israeli settlers staged a march in the Old City of Jerusalem and around the Aqsa Mosque and its gates to mark the Jewish new year. The settlers marched through the entrances of the Aqsa Mosque and performed dances while singing at its gates. Meanwhile the Israeli occupation police blocked many roads in Jerusalem during the march,

especially those leading to the Old City and the Aqsa Mosque's western wall. (PALINFO 27 September 2019)

- Israeli settlers attacked Palestinian farmers while working on their own farms, near the village of Deir Sharaf, to the west of Nablus City, in the northern occupied West Bank. A group of Israeli settlers chased Palestinian farmers while they were working on their farms, in preparation for the annual olive harvest, in attempt to force them to leave. Another group of settlers broke into the farms and stole a large amount of immature olives before leaving. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- At least 120 Israeli settlers invaded the courtyards of the Al-Aqsa Mosque, through the al-Magharba Gate, while the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) removed the Muslim worshipers to facilitate these provocative tours. The invasion was led by Israeli Minister of Agriculture Uri Ariel and Likud Member of Knesset Yehuda Glick. It is worth mentioning that settler groups in Israel have created a greeting card to be used in celebrating Rosh Hashana showing an image of the Al-Aqsa Mosque compound completely vacant of any mosque or Islamic structure, with the Mosque (the third holiest site in Islam) “replaced” on the card's image with a Jewish temple. This is part of their openly-stated mission to demolish Al-Aqsa and build a Jewish temple in its place. (IMEMC 29 September 2019)
- The Israeli police closed Bab al-Magharba gate, one of the gate of Al Aqsa Mosque, before allowing around 94 Israeli settlers to conduct provocative tours into the holy site. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

## Home Demolition & Demolition threats

### **House Demolition & Demolition threats during the month of July 2019**

- Sixteen apartment buildings, home to more than 100 Palestinian families, will have their homes destroyed by Israeli authorities in Jerusalem after a ruling (7 July 2019) by the Israeli Supreme Court allowing the demolition. The High Court accepted the argument of the Israeli government that the homes were “too close to the Israeli ‘security wall’”, despite the fact that these homes were constructed on Palestinian land and were permitted by the Palestinian Authority – and the fact that the Wall was constructed on Palestinian land with no consultation with the Palestinian Authority as to its route. The Israeli Supreme Court dismissed the appeal which was filed by Palestinian residents against the demolition of 16 apartment buildings

in Wadi al-Hummus area of Sur Baher neighborhood, southeast of occupied Jerusalem. The buildings slated for demolition are located in areas classified as (a), under the full control of the Palestinian Authority, where building permits are obtained from the Palestinian Ministry of Local Government. The Palestinian owners of the buildings have until July 18<sup>th</sup> to demolish the buildings themselves, or Israeli officials will send the army to demolish them, and send the Palestinian owners the bill, along with massive fines. (Wafa 1 July 2019)

- Israeli authorities notified to stop the construction work on three houses and an industrial facility in the town of al-Jalama, north of Jenin, the occupied West bank. The IOA handed Mahmoud Hamdan and Ahmad, Naser, and Mohammed Abu Farha notices ordering them to stop the construction work on their three houses and an industrial facility in al-Jalama town, citing unpermitted construction as a pretext. (Wafa 1 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) prevented workers of the Hebron Rehabilitation Committee (HRC) from renovating a house belonging to a Palestinian residents in al-Shuhada St, in the city of Hebron. The IOA workers to take out the materials used in the renovation work outside the area, and briefly the workers before releasing them. (Wafa 2 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) notified two Palestinians residents of their intentions to demolish a house and a park under construction in al-Mas'udiya area, in Burqa village, north of Nablus. The IOA handed notices ordering the demolition of a newly built house and a park under construction located along the Jenin-Nablus Rd. Israeli settlers seized equipment and wreaked havoc into the park a few months ago. (Wafa 2 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded a natural reserve area in the villages of Khashm ad-Daraj and Um el-Kheir, east of Yatta town, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and demolished a children's park, in addition to uprooting trees and demolishing water wells. D of IOA invaded the area, before demolishing a children's park, used by dozens of families. The IOA also demolished several water wells, in addition to uprooting evergreens and other trees in the natural reserve. The Israeli army claimed that the invaded lands, and the uprooted trees, are in an area "designated for military training." (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished several Palestinian structures and uprooted forest trees in Khirbet Khashm al-Daraj and

Umm al-Kheir villages, east of Yatta city in the southern Hebron hills. Several heavily armored Israeli military vehicles stormed the villages with bulldozers and demolished a children's park and several water wells and uprooted a number of forest trees under the pretext that the area is designated as a firing zone. (Wafa 3 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) stopped the construction work on a car wash, seized a vehicle and building material and imposed a high fine on the owner in Yatta area, in the southern West Bank Governorate of Hebron. The IOA stopped the construction work on a car wash belonging to a Palestinian resident who was identified as 'Issa Abu 'Eram, under the pretext that the area is classified as Area C, under full Israeli administrative and military control. The IOA further confiscated a vehicle and building material as well as imposed a fine of NIS20,000 (approximately \$5,591.32) on the owner. (Wafa 4 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Authorities (IOA) notified about its intentions to demolish a number of homes on Wadi Qaddoum neighborhood in the East Jerusalem town of Silwan. The demolition orders were delivered under the pretext that the land on which the houses were built is allegedly under the jurisdiction of the Israeli municipality of west Jerusalem. (Wafa 4 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished al-Daquiqa nature reserve to the east of Yatta in the southern West Bank Governorate of Hebron. The IOA escorted bulldozers into al-Daquiqa nature reserve, in the Masafer Yatta area, where the bulldozers razed parts of the fence surrounding the 150-donum reserve and proceeded to uproot trees and destroy water wells. The nature reserve was established 10 years ago by Palestinian villagers with international funding to protect lands from settlers' activities, and it contains four water-harvesting wells and more than 5,000 trees. It is inhabited by about 250 Palestinians who depend on agriculture and livestock husbandry for their livelihood and who face the threat of forced displacement under the pretext that their area is in a military training zone for Israeli forces. (Wafa 4 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Khirbat al-Qat area in Beit Ummar town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and demolished a 150 square/meter under-construction home under the pretext it was built without a permit, owned by Mohammad Khalil Abdul-Fattah Sabarna. During the invasion, the IOA broke into several homes in the area, and searched them. (Wafa, IMEMC 8 July 2019)

- In 2005, precisely when the Israeli authorities began building the apartheid wall in Jerusalem and Bethlehem areas, the suffering of the residents of the Wadi al-Hummos, an area part of Sur Bahir, a Palestinian neighborhood southeast of the occupied city of Jerusalem, began to surface and gradually worsen. The neighborhood, which is about 6000 dunams in area, was divided into two parts when building the wall was completed, with half of it being inside the wall, that is on the Jerusalem side, and the other half outside it that remained part of the West Bank, which is an area that reaches its borders from Sur Baher to Beit Sahour and other nearby villages in the Bethlehem district. Last month, Israel decided to demolish 100 residential apartments on the West Bank side of the wall claiming they were built too close to the wall. It gave the resident until July 18 to evacuate the area. The head of the services committee in Wadi al-Hummos, Hamada Hamada, said that the land where the buildings are located is under the jurisdiction of the Palestinian Authority (PA) as defined in the Oslo Accords which classified the West Bank into areas A (under PA rule), B (joint PA, Israeli rule) and C (full Israeli control). Hamada told WAFA that 6000 people live in Wadi al-Hummos and with the urgent need for urban expansion, residents of Sur Baher started to expand and built homes on their own land. However, with the construction of the wall and dividing Sur Baher land and people, problems began to surface with Israel issuing halt construction orders and threats of demolition. Hamada said the Israeli municipality of West Jerusalem would not provide them with services and at the same time refused to acknowledge that this land was under PA control. Whenever they asked for services, the municipality would tell him to go and get it from the PA. (IMEMC 8 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) ordered today a halt on construction on a water tank in the village of Kardala, in the northern Jordan Valley. Staff from the Israeli so-called Civil Administration, an arm of the military government, handed notices ordering citizens to halt construction on a water tank even though the building process had started a while ago and is intended to provide drinking water for the entire village. (WAFA 8 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) confiscated a bulldozer working on the rehabilitation of an agricultural land in Kufr Qaddoum village, east of Qalqilia, in the occupied West Bank. They have confiscated a bulldozer belonging to Suhaib Jamal, while he was working on rehabilitating an



agricultural land belonging to one of the village residents in the north-eastern part of the village. (IMEMC, WAFA, 10 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a house belonging to a Palestinian resident in a locale to the northeast of Yatta, south of the southern occupied West Bank district of Hebron. The IOA stormed an area near al-Bweeb village to the northeast of Yatta and demolished a one-storey house, where local resident Rasheed Abu Hadid, the owner, and his family of seven lived. (WAFA, 9 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished the foundations and concrete pillars of a residential building under construction in az-Za'ayyem village, east of occupied Jerusalem. The IOA Demolished the foundations and concrete pillars of a residential building under construction and razed a 700-square-meter of land belonging to local resident Dawood 'Adwan in Sheikh Anbar area in az Za'ayyem neighborhood. (WAFA, 9 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a Palestinian home in Khirbat Bayruq village, north of Yatta town, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron. The IOA invaded Khirbat Bayruq after surrounding it, and demolished a home owned by Rashid Ismael Abu Hadid. The army claimed that the demolished home was built without a permit from the “Civil Administration Office,” the executive branch of the illegal Israel occupation in the West Bank. The demolished home was a one-story building, providing shelter for eight family members. (IMEMC, 9 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) confiscated a bulldozer working on the rehabilitation of an agricultural land in Kufr Qaddoum village, east of Qalqilia, in the occupied West Bank. The IOA have confiscated a bulldozer belonging to Suhaib Jamal, while he was working on rehabilitating an agricultural land belonging to one of the village residents in the north-eastern part of the village. (IMEMC 10 July 2019)
- A Palestinian family who has been battling against a shadowy Israeli settler group for 25 years was forced to evict their house in the Jerusalem neighborhood of Silwan. Dozens of heavily-armed Israeli police stormed the house of the Siyam family in Silwan and removed all furniture and electrical appliances to make room for settlers. The police officers used ladders to storm the Siyam house and scuffled with family members to force them out of the house. Siyam family refused to comply with the eviction order and at least a family member was detained. This came

twenty days after an Israeli court dismissed the Siyam family's appeal to remain in their house and ruled in favor of the Elad shadowy settler group. This also came few days after the Elad group confiscated money raised to help Siyam family fight their evacuation order. Parts of the Siyam's building were seized by the Israeli state under Israel's Absentee Property Law, which declares properties belonging to Palestinians who were displaced, often by war or poverty, as "absentee" and therefore state property. These parts of the family home were then sold to Elad. (Haaretz, IMEMC, Wafa, PEACENOW 10 July 2019)

- Israeli bulldozers demolished a cement wall in the town Hizma, to the east of the occupied city of Jerusalem. The IOA escorted bulldozers to the southern part of Hizma, where the heavy machinery demolished a cement wall purportedly for being built without a license. Israeli troops broke into and ransacked several civilian houses in the town. (Wafa 10 July 2019)
- In Jerusalem, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished the foundations and concrete pillars of a residential building under construction in az-Za'ayem village. The IOA demolished the foundations and concrete pillars of a residential building under construction, and razed a 700-square-meter of land belonging to local resident Dawood 'Adwan, in the Sheikh Anbar area, in az Za'ayem neighborhood. (IMEMC 10 July 2019)
- Israeli bulldozers demolished a caravan in the village of Idhna, located to the west of Hebron city in the southern West Bank. Israeli bulldozers, along with staff from the so-called Israeli Civil Administration, demolished a caravan in Khirbet al-Ras area, close to Israel's apartheid wall. The caravan, which belongs to Theeb al-Butran, was demolished under security pretenses. (Wafa 10 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities from the Jerusalem municipality and heavily armed police stormed the neighborhood of Wadi al-Hummus, in Sur Baher town, to the south of Jerusalem, taking measurements of homes threatened with demolition. The planned demolition campaign will include 237 apartments that are homes for about 500 people. The Jerusalem municipality asked the residents to demolish their own homes, or it would do the demolition and force them to pay steep fines. An Israeli court has given the families until 18 July to evacuate and demolish their homes. The demolition campaign comes under the pretext that the targeted homes are too close to the separation wall and pose a security

threat. Israeli laws stipulate that Palestinian homes must be at least 250 meters away from the wall. Wadi al-Hummus is inhabited by over 6,000 Palestinians, 500 of whom will be forced to leave after the demolition. (IMEMC 10 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) destroyed a monument Palestinian residents of the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiyeh had built in memory of a young man shot dead two weeks ago by the IOA. The IOA raided the neighborhood and destroyed the monument built at the location where Mohammad Samir Obeid, 21, was shot dead on June 27. (IMEMC 10 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) issued a demolition notice and a halt on construction order against structures in the area of Khirbet Shabraqa, to the east of the town of Idna, west of the city of Hebron in the south of the West Bank. The IOA handed a demolition notice against a house that belongs to Issam Tumaizy, and a halt on construction against a farm owned by Amjad Islaimiya, under pretext that both structures were built without a permit. (WAFSA 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and bulldozers, along with staff from the so-called Israeli Civil Administration, demolished a caravan in Khirbet al-Ras area, in the village of Idna, close to Israel's apartheid wall. (WAFSA 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked the solidarity tent in Wad al-Hummus area, in Sur Baher town, south of occupied Jerusalem, and forcibly demolished and removed it, in addition to firing many gas bombs and concussion grenades, causing dozens of Palestinians to suffer the effects of teargas inhalation, and burning farmlands. The IOA fired a barrage of gas bombs and concussion grenades at the Palestinians, nonviolently protesting in the tent, demanding Israel to void its plans to demolish more than 230 apartments and displace the families. Dozens of Palestinians suffered the effects of teargas inhalation, in addition to cuts and bruises, after being assaulted by the IOA. Fire also broke out in Palestinian lands, burning many trees and plants due to the intensity of the Israeli gas bombs and concussion grenades. (IMEMC 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) ordered today a halt on the construction of six houses and an agricultural structure in the village of Rummaneh, near Jenin city in the occupied West Bank. A large Israeli

- military force raided the village and ordered the owners of the six homes to stop their construction, under the pretext that work is being done without Israeli permission. The area where the building is ordered to stop is located in Area C of the West Bank, under full Israeli administrative and military control, where Israel rarely issues construction permits to Palestinians, forcing many to build without permits. (Wafa 11 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) attacked activists who set up a tent on the West Bank side of Sur Baher neighborhood southeast of Jerusalem to protest Israeli plans to demolish hundreds of apartments in the area for being built too close to the separation wall. The IOA fired teargas at the activists and residents causing suffocation cases among them and fire in nearby fields. They also removed the tent and attacked journalists who were covering the events. The tent was set up by the activists in an area of Sur Baher called Wadi al-Hummos as a show of solidarity with the homeowners who may see their homes demolished in one week after an Israeli court gave the green light to the army to demolish 16 buildings housing 100 apartments for being built too close to the wall. (Wafa (Wafa 11 July 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Beit Ummar town, north of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and delivered a demolition order, targeting a Palestinian home in Wad ash-Sheikh area, near the main entrance of the town. The IOA delivered the order to Mohammad Ali al-Allami, informing him of the army's decision to demolish his property of 150 square/meters, consisting of one floor and a basement. (Wafa, IMEMC, 13 July, 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a building under construction in al-Sawahreh al-Sharqiyeh, to the east of the occupied city of Jerusalem. The IOA raided the area and demolished foundations of a building that belonged to Muhannad Shuqairat, a local resident. (Wafa 15 July 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation army (IOA) demolished and destroyed lands in the east of Hebron. They demolished a large agricultural pond in Wad al-Gros area, between the settlements of Kharsina and Kiryat Arba. (MAANNEWS 16 July 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) demolished a barracks for raising livestock in Khirbat "Ghwain" village south of al-Samou town in Hebron Governorate, owned by Ahmed Mohammed Mousa Aqel al-Hawamdeh. (Wafa 16 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished a pool used for irrigation in Wad al-Ghroos, an area close to the settlement of Kiryat Arba, to the east of the occupied southern West Bank city of Hebron. A large unit of IOA accompanied by bulldozers and other heavy machinery, raided the area and demolished a 4,500 cubic meter pool owned by local resident Ziad Jaabari, and used for the irrigation of fields and crops in the area, under the pretext that it was built in Area C of the occupied West Bank, which is under full Israeli military rule. The IOA verbally insulted and physically attacked residents, journalists and activists while they were at the scene. The pool was used to collect rain water in order to use it during the summer season, to irrigate their farms, expressing fear that without the pool and the water, many crops, particularly, tomatoes and cucumber, may be ruined. Several houses in the same area have been given notices of demolition by IOA, and for the same reason, which is construction without a the impossible-to-get permit in Area C. (Maannews, IMEMC 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) demolished a car wash shop at the entrance of Sur Baher town, southeast of Jerusalem, under the pretext of building without a permit. The structure belongs to Murad Sa'ad. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) demolished a commercial building in Beit Hanina town, north of Jerusalem, under the pretext of unlicensed construction. The building belongs to a member of Al Natsheh family. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) informed the Jerusalem Electricity Company of their intention to demolish Palestinian homes in Wadi al-Homs neighborhood in Sur Baher area, southeast of occupied Jerusalem. The IOA informed the company that it must disconnect the electricity when they are officially notified of the date of the demolition. In addition, the Wadi Hummus neighborhood committee announced that some Knesset members will tour the neighborhood to stand on the situation in the neighborhood and the IOA's decision to demolish 16 buildings in the neighborhood (100 residential units). The deadline for the IOA to demolish the homes in the neighborhood will end on Thursday 18 July 2019. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- Israeli construction vehicles demolished 5 shops built 4 years ago on an area of 250 square meters in Abu Tayieh neighborhood in Silwan village,

south of occupied East Jerusalem's Old City, under the pretext of non-licensing. A large force of Israeli police officers and Special Forces accompanied with bulldozers moved into Abu Tayieh neighborhood, where they surrounded 5 shops belonging to Mohamed Hamdan al-'Abasi. The shops were demolished after the Israeli Supreme Court refused a petition submitted by Mohamed's lawyer. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) forcibly disperse the neighborhood's residents from the area and beat them up. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained Mahdi Hamdan al-'Abasi after beating him. al-'Abasi family headed to the Israeli Supreme Court in order to freeze the demolition order and license the shops, but it refused. (PCHRGAZA 17 July 2019)

- Israeli bulldozers demolished part of a Palestinian-owned home as well as structures in the village of al-Jeeb, northwest of the occupied city of Jerusalem, under the pretext they were built without a permit. The bulldozers demolished part of a house owned by Yousef Abu Dayyeh, as well as a 60-square meter carwash and a 20-square meter shack owned by Waddah Abu Dayyeh. The bulldozers demolished Abu Dayyeh's structures without prior notice. The Israeli army sealed off the area to prevent people from reaching it before proceeding with the demolitions.(WAFa 17 July 2019)
- Israeli municipality staff demolished two Palestinian structures in Jerusalem Governorate under the pretext of unlicensed building. Israeli municipality staff and police escorted a bulldozer to the entrance of Sur Baher, southeast of Jerusalem, where the heavy machinery demolished a car wash. The owner of the demolished car wash was identified as Murad Saad. Police also escorted bulldozer into the Jerusalem neighborhood of Beit Hanina, where they demolished a commercial structure. The demolished structure belonged to a member of the Nathsheh family. Both structures were demolished under the pretext that they were built without a permit. (WAFa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) took measurements of 16 Palestinian residential buildings slated for demolition in Wadi al-Hummus neighborhood, located on the edge of Sur Baher, southeast of the occupied city of Jerusalem. The IOA along with staff from the so-called Israeli municipality took measurements of the 16 buildings, which comprise of 100 apartments, in preparation to demolish them. This step came after the period given by Israeli authorities to the owners to demolish their apartments on their own came to an end today, thus the demolition will

be carried out at any moment. The owners are expected to pay exorbitant demolition fees as the Israeli authorities will carry out the demolition. The Israeli high court has recently approved the demolition of the buildings, thus upholding military allegations that the buildings are “close to the Annexation Wall” and “pose a security threat” due to their proximity to the illegal wall. Palestinian appeals to demolition orders are frequently dismissed by Israeli courts, which are in fact complicit in perpetuating the Israeli policies of forcible transfer and ethnic cleansing of Palestinians. The buildings are located in Area A, supposedly under the full jurisdiction of the Palestinian Authority as per the Oslo Accords. The demolition is expected to have a disastrous effect on all other areas of the West Bank adjacent to Israel’s wall, putting these areas at a high risk of mass demolitions under security pretenses and putting the lives of Palestinians living in such areas at the risk of imminent forcible transfer. (Wafa 18 July 2019)

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- Israeli occupation army (IOA) demolished shacks belonging to local resident Najeh Kaabneh, and seized tents belonging to other two families in the area. (Wafa 21 July 2019)
- Several Palestinian civilians were displaced this morning as Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) began to demolish around 70 apartments in Wadi al-Hummos area of East Jerusalem's Sur Baher neighborhood under the pretext they were built too close to Israel's separation wall. Several hundred IOA accompanied bulldozers as they raided the neighborhood early in the morning, woke people up and forced them to leave their homes in preparation to demolish them about 24 hours after the Israeli High Court gave the army the green light to proceed with the demolition of 10 buildings on both sides of the fence that separates Jerusalem from Bethlehem but more so on its Jerusalem side. The demolition is expected to displace three Palestinian families totaling 17 people, including nine children. The army began tearing down four buildings and a house owned by Amira, Atrash, Abu Hamed and Kiswani families. The army declared the area a closed military zone and prevented people and journalists from reaching it before proceeding with the demolition. (Wafa 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the village of Wadi al-Hummos, southeast of Jerusalem, and demolished five single-family homes and an apartment building nine stories high that was under construction. The village is located in the township of Sur Baher, located southeast of Jerusalem in an area that Israel has slated for colonization in its E1 Jerusalem expansion plan. Israeli officials have issued demolition orders for sixteen Palestinian homes and apartment buildings in the neighborhood, claiming that they are too close to the Israeli-constructed Wall, and must be destroyed "for security reasons". More than 1,000 Israeli soldiers participated in the invasion of the neighborhood, mainly to push out the hundreds of Palestinians, Israelis and international solidarity activists who had arrived in the area to try to protect the homes from demolition. The IOA attacked women, children, the elderly and the foreign solidarity activists. The IOA also destroyed Palestinian furniture that was in the homes, in addition to the homes themselves. Palestinian families who live in the homes, and those who had been planning to live in the apartment building under construction, have been working through legal and diplomatic channels to try to protect their homes. But the Israeli authorities, in an attempt to establish "facts on the ground", went ahead with the demolitions despite the legal case that is in progress. 16 buildings



threatened by demolition in the neighborhood make up more than 100 family homes, some of which are inhabited and others under construction. The buildings are located in the area classified as “A” under the Palestinian Authority, which means that under the 1993 Oslo Accords, they are supposed to be under full Palestinian control. But the Israeli occupying authorities say that these buildings must be demolished due to their proximity to the Israeli Wall constructed in the past several years by Israeli forces in the Palestinian neighborhood. The IOA demolished the homes of the Al-Kiswani and Abu Haddwan families, and homes under construction belonging to Ja’far Abu Hamed, ‘Ala’ Amira, Ali Hamid, ‘Shuqair’ and Tariq Mahamid. As to the nine-story apartment building, belonging to Mohammad Abu Tair, hundreds of IOA accompanied by military explosives experts, surrounded the building and planted explosives in preparation for detonation. The demolitions come after the recent Israeli Supreme Court rejection of the appeal by the residents of the Wadi al-Hummus neighborhood to preserve their homes. But residents cited legal gaps in the decision, and hoped to appeal to diplomatic channels and international bodies to stop the mass demolition. In recent weeks, Israeli forces stormed the neighborhood a number of times in preparation for the mass demolition that began this morning. (Haaretz , IMEMC 22 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) launched a large-scale destruction operation against civilian property in Wadi al-Humus neighborhood, in Sour Baher in the southern part of occupied East Jerusalem. Hundreds of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and machinery carried out the destructions that resulted in hundreds of civilians losing their shelter. The IOA stationed in Wadi al-Humus neighborhood, closed its entrances and cut all power supplies. The IOA then forcefully vacated buildings in the neighborhood, used physical violence against them and banned them from taking any of their belongings with them. At approximately 06:00, destruction machinery took to work and preliminary numbers assert that at least 8 houses and buildings were destroyed, and explosives were planted in a 10-story building in order to destroy it. The destroyed houses include: Isma’il ‘Ebeidiyah: a 2-story house built on 250 square meters and sheltering a 7-member family, including 5 children; Ghaleb Hawan and his son Monther: a 2-story house built on 210 square meters and sheltering a 10-member family, including 6 children; Belal al-Kiswani: a 1-story house sheltering a 5-member family, including 3 children; ‘Alaa’ ‘Amirah: a 2-story house built on 400 square meters (uninhabited).

Mohammed Idris Abu Teir: a 7-story building comprised of 40 residential apartments (under-construction). Ja'afar Abu Hamed: a 1-story house (under-construction); Mohammed Salem al-Atrash: a 4-story building (under-construction); and 'Ali Khalil Hamadah: a 4-story building (under-construction). It should be mentioned that on 13 June 2019, the Israeli High Court approved the Israeli military's decision to demolish 16 residential buildings comprised of 100 apartments in Wadi al-Humus neighborhood under the pretext of being near the annexation wall which was established on the village's lands. On 20 June 2019, the Israeli forces handed tens of residents notices to self-demolish their property by 18 July or the Israeli forces will later do so. On 21 July 2019, the Israeli High Court rejected the appeal filed by the residents to freeze the demolition orders, and within hours the Israeli forces stormed the neighborhood and started the demolitions. Wadi al-Humus neighborhood (area: 3,000 dunums; population: 6000) is located on the edge of Sour Baher, south of occupied East Jerusalem. The neighborhood is not within Jerusalem's municipal boundaries and most of its lands are classified in Area A that is under full control of the Palestinian Authority according to the Oslo Accords; thus, the buildings' owners obtained construction licenses from the Palestinian Ministry of Local Governance. Following the construction of the annexation wall in 2003, the neighborhood was split as some houses ended up in the Israeli side but not under jurisdiction of the Israeli Municipality of Jerusalem. (IMEMC, [Haaretz](#) 22 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) escorting Israeli bulldozers raided Sur Baher town, south of occupied East Jerusalem and demolished 11 Palestinian buildings, comprising of 77 apartments, citing unlicensed construction and proximity to the Segregation wall as pretexts for the demolition. (Wafa 22 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) destroyed land and water wells in Khirbet Umm al-Khair in Masafer Yatta in the south of the West Bank. For the second time on two weeks, Israeli army bulldozers destroyed four water wells and razed land planted with trees. Two weeks ago the army destroyed a children park, nine water wells and uprooted forest trees in Umm al-Khair's nature reserve area under the pretext the area is a military training zone. (Wafa 24 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA), accompanied by military bulldozers, invaded Hares village, west of Salfit, in central West Bank, and demolished a car wash facility and a carpentry workshop, in addition to

destroying a 200 square/meter recently constructed concrete foundation, owned by Nadi Hasan Suleiman under the pretext of being built without proper license documents issued by the Civil Administration office due to their location in Area C of the West Bank, which is under full Israeli control. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) invaded Khirbet Umm al-Khair in Masafer Yatta, near Hebron in the southern West Bank and destroyed dozens of olive trees, water irrigation systems and four water wells used by Palestinian Bedouin farmers. This comes two weeks after the IOA invaded the same village and destroyed a children's park, nine water wells and uprooted a forest of trees in Umm al-Khair's nature reserve area under the pretext that the area is now an Israeli military training zone. The residents of Umm al-Khair and area villages, who are mainly herders, depend on the water for irrigating their land and for their cattle. The village of Umm al-Khair is located on land that Israeli authorities are attempting to annex into the settlement of Carmel, which was constructed on stolen village land. (IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) destroyed part of a tourist project near the archaeological site in Sebastia, north of Nablus. The IOA invaded the town for the third time in 24 hours and destroyed part of a tourist project aimed at rehabilitating Al-Baydar Square near the archaeological site, which is located in the areas classified as "B". The IOA also swept away what was accomplished through the project which was financed by the Belgian cooperation, and implemented by the Municipal Development Fund and the competent ministerial committees. (Wafa 28 July 2019)
- Movement of thousands of Palestinian residents living in villages west of Ramallah was interrupted when the Israeli occupation army (IOA) closed a metal gates placed on a main road connecting these villages with the city of Ramallah. The Palestinians were surprised to see that the metal gate the Israeli army had set up in March near the villages of Deir Ibzi and Kufr Nimeh was closed when they reached it and therefore were forced to turn around and look for alternate and very long routes to reach area villages, towns and the city of Ramallah. No reason was given for closing the gate, said the residents. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) set up road blocks at the entrance to the village of Hizma, southeast of Ramallah, and interrupted movement of residents in and out of the village. The IOA inspected identity papers of commuters, some of whom had to take dirt roads to get in and out of the village. (Wafa 29 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) removed fences and demolished retaining stone walls belonging to citizen Iyad Al Jubeh' in An Nabi Samuel village northwest of Jerusalem city. The IOA Confiscated the fences after removing them. Citizen Al Jubeh wasn't notified of the demolition by the IOA. (Wafa 30 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) bulldozed several Palestinian tents and shacks in the Ras al-Ahmar area in the northern Jordan Valley. An Israeli military force escorted a bulldozer to Ras al-Ahmar in the early morning hours, where the bulldozer tore down three residential tents and several shacks. Owners of the demolished structures have been identified as Jamil Suleiman Bani-Odeh, his son, Suleiman, besides to Ayman Izzat Bani-Odeh. (Wafa 30 July 2019)
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## **House Demolition & Demolition threats during the month of August 2019**

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) demolished a house under construction, that was 79 square meters, in the village of Wad Rahal, south of Bethlehem. The building belonged to Jihad Hussein al-Fagouri. The Israeli authorities gave as their reason that the house was built "without authorization" – but Israeli authorities have refused to give authorization for Palestinian landowners to construct buildings on their own properties since 1967. (MAAN 5 August, 2019)
- Israeli police raided the Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiyeh, paving the way to a bulldozer to demolish a retaining wall and an outdoor ground. The police blocked the entrance to a Palestinian house, whose owner is not identified, as the demolition was carried out. The structure were demolished under the pretext that they were built without a permit. (Wafa 6 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished four structures and a house under construction in Bir Oneh village, Beit Jala city, west of Bethlehem. The IOA stormed and cordoned off the village, before a bulldozer demolished four barns and the foundations of a house under construction purportedly for being without a license. The owners of the barns and the house under construction were identified as Mohammad Zreineh and Daoud Ghneim, respectively. Zreineh’s barns were demolished twice although he has a title deed which proves he is the owner of the plot of land on which the barns are built. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Israeli bulldozers demolished a Palestinian house and a retaining wall, in the occupied city of Jerusalem. Israeli police cordoned off an area in the Jerusalem neighborhood of Beit Hanina, as a bulldozer proceeded to demolish a house belonging to Eyad Khalil Kiswani. the demolition took place even though he had not received any prior notice. Kiswani himself, along with wife and three children, aged 13 to 16, were forced out of their 140-square-meter house by police at gun point before the demolition was carried out. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Israeli police raided the Jerusalem neighborhood of al-Isawiyya, paving the way for a bulldozer to demolish a retaining wall and an outdoor ground. The police blocked the entrance to a Palestinian house, whose owner is not identified, as the demolition was carried out. The structure was demolished under the pretext that they were built without a permit. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized a number of vehicles in Ras al-Ahmar, in the northern Jordan Valley. An Israeli military force raided Ras al-Ahmar community, where they seized a tractor and a private vehicle belonging to the local Palestinian farmers in addition to an Israeli truck. The truck, which belongs to a Palestinian citizen of Israel, was unloading a shipment of fodder to a local family. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Several Israeli army vehicles, accompanied by personnel of the “Civil Administration Office,” the executive branch of Israel’s illegal military occupation, invaded Beit Awwa town, west of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, and delivered orders for the demolition of four Palestinian homes and an industrial structure. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Khamat al-Fool area in the town, and delivered the demolition orders to Ali Ahmad Sweity, Tha’er Abdul-Hadi Abu Ghaliya,

Hasan Abdul-Fattah Sweity and Mohammad Aref Mousa Sweity. The IOA also handed Wisam Abdul-Aziz Sweity a demolition order targeting his industrial structure. The Israeli army is claiming that the buildings were constructed without a permit from the Civil Administration Office. The buildings are within the structural plan of the town, and therefore, are under Local Council's jurisdiction and were licensed by it. (IMEMC 8 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded the ar-Ras al-Ahmar area in the West Bank's Northern Plains, and confiscated a tractor, owned by Ahmad Thiab Abu Kheizaran. The confiscation comes days after the army took several cars, trucks and agricultural tractors of the locals in the same area. (IMEMC 8 August 2019)
- The Israeli military destroyed a water line and irrigation network serving Palestinian residents of Ein al-Bida village in the northern Jordan Valley. The Israeli forces destroyed 150 meters of pipes and seized an irrigation network owned by two siblings from the Fuqaha family. (Wafa 7 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) notified the families of two Palestinians suspected of killing an Israeli soldier about their intention to demolish their houses in Beit Kahel town, northwest of Hebron. Security sources confirmed that an Israeli military force surrounded the family houses of Nasir Asafra and Kassem Asafra in Beit Kahel, and dragged the occupants outside before taking measurements and photos for the two houses in preparation for the planned punitive demolition. The raid came three days after the cousins 24-year-old Nasir and 30-year-old Kassem were detained by the IOA for being suspected for the killing of an off-duty Israeli soldier outside the settlement of Ofra. Kassem's wife, Enas, and another man, identified as Akarma Asafra, were detained on suspicion they had assisted the suspected attackers. (Wafa 2 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) stormed the village of al-Wallaja, near Bethlehem, to issue demolition orders to two homeowners who were in the midst of building on their family land. Demolition crews from the Israeli municipality in the occupied city of Jerusalem, accompanied by the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA), stormed the village and went to the Ein Al Juwezah area to the north. There, they delivered a notice to Palestinian homeowner Halima Ismail, ordering her to stop construction in her house, amounting to an area of 70 square meters; under the pretext of a lack of license. Ismail was given the notice, along with another Palestinian

homeowner, Khaled Abu Gherkin, who had built a home on his land, along with his brother, after their previous home had been demolished by the IOA . Abu Gherkin received a demolition notice under the pretext of lack of license. (WAFA 13 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) handed two local residents notices ordering them to stop the external works on their two inhabited homes to the east of the town of Nahalin, citing unpermitted construction as a pretext. (WAFA 13 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) handed a notice ordering local resident Khaled Salah to stop the construction work on his 300-square-meters house in the town of al-Khader to the south of Bethlehem. (WAFA 13 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) invaded the homes of the families of two Palestinian prisoners in Tulkarem and measured them in preparation for demolition. Though the vast majority (around 90% according to the Israeli Committee Against House Demolitions) of demolitions of Palestinian homes are administrative – with the claim that Palestinians ‘constructed the homes without permits’, around 10% are punitive demolitions, in which Israeli troops demolish the homes of the family members of Palestinians accused of crimes against Israelis. In this case, the two Palestinians in question stand accused of murdering an Israeli soldier and settler, Dvir Sorek. Their family members have not been accused of any crime, but will nevertheless be forced into homelessness by the Israeli policy of punitive home demolitions. The two accused men, cousins Nseir Asafra, 24, and Kassem Asafra, 30, were detained after a widescale manhunt by IOA after an Israeli soldier was found dead. They were taken from their village of Beit Khalil, north of Hebron in the southern part of the West Bank. In addition to the two cousins, the IOA also abducted Kassem’s wife Enas, and another relative, Akrama Asafra, who was suspected of aiding the two suspects. The four were taken to an Israeli interrogation center and subjected to ‘harsh interrogation’ techniques. According to the Israeli Committee Against House Demolitions, “Between 2001-2005, according to B’tselem figures, 664 Palestinian homes were demolished in the Occupied Territory as forms of punishment. Some 4,182 innocent people were displaced, many of them neighbors of the suspect’s family, and this often on the basis of *suspicion* alone.” (IMEMC 13 August 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) destroyed a large water tank used for irrigating farmlands near the village of Bardala, in the northern Jordan Valley region of the occupied West Bank. The IOA destroyed a 1000-cube water tank which was used by Palestinian villagers, in the area, for the irrigation of farmlands. The Israeli army claimed that the tank was built without Israeli permission, a pretext that Israel has used for years to prevent Palestinian development in the occupied Palestinian territories, including the Jordan Valley. (IMEMC 18 August 2019)
- Staff of the Israeli municipality of West Jerusalem delivered today demolition orders for several Palestinian structures in Issawiyeh neighborhood of occupied East Jerusalem. the municipality staff handed several Palestinian residents of Issawiyeh demolition orders under the pretext of building without permits. (WAFa 19 August 2019)
- Israeli police escorted a bulldozer to the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Beit Hanina, where they heavy machinery demolished a house. The demolished structure belonged to the Rajabi family. (WAFa 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) and staff of the so-called Israeli Municipality of West Jerusalem ordered the demolition of over 20 Palestinian structures in al-Matar neighborhood, north of Jerusalem. The IOA and municipality staff stormed Al-Matar neighborhood, opposite to Qalandiya refugee camp, where they handed demolition orders for over 20 Palestinian structures purportedly for being built without licenses. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- Israeli police escorted a bulldozer to the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Beit Hanina, where they heavy machinery demolished a house. The demolished structure belonged to the Rajabi family. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) removed by force, Palestinian vegetable stands and vendors at Wadi al-Khalil military crossing, south of Dhahriyeh in the southern occupied West Bank. The removal of the stands, will result in the vendors and their families losing their sole source of income, estimated in the thousands of dollars. The stands used to serve hundreds of Palestinian workers who daily cross the military checkpoint to work in Israel and return home in the afternoon, buying their home needs from the vendors. The occupation army instructed the vendors not to return to that area. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)



- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished two Palestinian homes in Beit Hanina town, north of occupied East Jerusalem. Dozens of IOA, police officers and undercover troops invaded al-Aqaba neighborhood in Beit Hanina and surrounded two homes owned by members of Rajabi family, after closing all roads leading to them. The IOA forced the families out of their homes, and demolished the properties, rendering twelve Palestinians, including three children, homeless. Ibrahim Rajabi, said he lived in his demolished home along with his wife, child, brother and sisters, and added that his other brother, and his family, lived in the second demolished property. Rajabi stated that his demolished home was 200 square/meters, and was built fifteen years ago, and added that he and his brother have been trying to obtain all needed permits and pay the fines, and even had a hearing at an Israeli court nearly three months ago. Although no final ruling was made, the family was surprised by the soldiers who invaded their property, forced them out and started demolishing the buildings. The Rajabi family said that it managed to delay the demolition for two hours, after the soldiers already destroyed parts of the property, and added that the District Court in occupied Jerusalem halted the destruction. However, the City Council in occupied Jerusalem demanded the family to pay a fine of 50.000 Shekels to postpone the demolition, and to leave the property, but the family was unable to do so, and the demolitions proceeded. (IMEMC 22 August 2019)
- A Palestinian was forced to demolish his own home in Silwan town, in occupied East Jerusalem, to avoid the excessively high fines and fees imposed by the City Council. The Palestinian, Mohammad al-Abbassi, had to demolish his home after the City Council decided to destroy the property “for being built without a permit.” The City Council informed al-Abbassi that he either demolish his home, or the city would demolish his property, impose very high fines and fees, in addition to billing him for the costs of using its workers and machines in the destruction of his property. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) and Bulldozers demolished a house and a restaurant in Beit Jala city, located to the west of the West Bank city of Bethlehem. A bulldozer arrived in Wadi al-Makhrour, a valley that stretches between Battir village and Beit Jala city, protected by Israeli Army. The IOA sealed off the area and surrounded the house and restaurant before the heavy machinery demolished them purportedly for lacking rarely-granted Israeli building permits. The property was owned

by Ramzi Qaisyeh, whose restaurant had been demolished twice, including once in May 2012. (Wafa 26 August 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) notified the families of three Palestinians of their apparent intention to demolish their houses in Beit Kahel town, northwest of Hebron. An Israeli military force surrounded the houses of the families of Ahmad Aref Asafra and Mu'men Said Zuhur, currently held in Israeli detention, besides to the house of Mu'men's grandfather, Attieh, dragged the occupants outside before taking measurements of the three houses. Ahmad and Mu'men were both detailed along with other 14 Palestinians by the IOA from the West Bank a week ago. They also ransacked a number of houses and summoned a youth to appear before the Israeli intelligence. This came 18 days after the cousins 24-year-old Nasir and 30-year-old Kassem were detained by the IOA for being suspected for the killing of an off-duty IOA outside the settlement of Ofra. Kassem's wife, Enas, and another man, identified as Akarma Asafra, were detained on suspicion they had assisted the suspected attackers. (Wafa 27 August 2019)
- Dozens of Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) aboard about 30 military vehicles stormed at dawn Beit Kahil town in the northwest of al-Khalil and took measurements and photos of three Palestinian homes as a prelude to demolishing them. The IOA stormed the homes of prisoners Ahmed Asafra and Mumen al-Zuhour and the home of Atiya al-Zuhour, the grandfather of Mumen, and evacuated the residents before embarking on mapping the houses and photographing them. The IOA also broke into and ransacked many homes in the town and handed a young man called Abdul-Mahdi al-Zuhour a summons from the Shin Bet. (PALINFO 27 August 2019)

## **House Demolition & Demolition threats during the month of September 2019**

- 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)
- Israeli authorities in Jerusalem forced a Palestinian homeowner to demolish his own home, using only hand tools, on Wednesday. Jamil Masalmeh told reporters that he was in mourning for his home, which he was forced to demolish on Wednesday or else pay a 48,000 NIS fine. His home is located in Silwan, an area targeted by Israeli authorities for annexation into Israel by the use of force. The municipality gave the resident a 24-hour period to demolish the entire house (walls and ceilings), or be fined 48,000 shekels. Masalmeh was forced to move in with his son, since he had no other place to go once he lost his home due to the Israeli order. The Israeli authorities claim it was “built without a permit” despite the fact that Israel has not issued any permits to Palestinian landowners since it took over the city of Jerusalem by military force in 1967. Israeli Jewish landowners, however, are issued permits nearly 100% of the time they apply. This double standard is one of the reasons that Palestinians in Jerusalem say they are being ‘ethnically cleansed’ from their homeland in Jerusalem. More than 110 “residential, agricultural and commercial” buildings have been demolished this year in various neighborhoods of Jerusalem, more than 30 of which were demolished by their owners, who faced steep fines if they refused to carry out the demolition. Given the high cost of bulldozers, many, like Masalmeh, had to demolish their homes by hand, using sledgehammers and other hand tools. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)
  - Israeli authorities, on Tuesday, demolished a Palestinian house in al-Tur town, east of Jerusalem, under the pretext of unlicensed construction. Homeowner Mohamed Abul Hawa said that Israeli police forces and municipal employees demolished his 90-square-meter house in the town because it was built with no permit. Abul Hawa added that he had been served with a demolition notice from the municipality 15 days ago, Days of Palestine further reports. The Israeli municipality systematically demolishes Palestinian homes and structures in occupied Jerusalem under the pretext of unlicensed construction, while it prevents the local residents

from obtaining permits or make it difficult for them to meet construction conditions. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Maser Yatta area, south of Hebron city in the southern part of the occupied West Bank, before demolishing several residential sheds and tents, and detained two Palestinians. The IOA demolished a tent and a shed, owned by Maher al-Hamamda, in the al-Maqfara area. The IOA also demolished one residential shed, owned by Mahmoud Hussein Hamamda, in the same area. In addition, the IOA confiscated a car, owned by Masafer Yatta Village Council, in addition to destroying a water network extending from the Tiwani village to Masafer Yatta. The IOA also destroyed solar panels in the Zakeer area, and two residential room in Khallet ad-Dabe' area. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) detained the head of the Tiwani Village Council, Mohammad Rib'ey, in addition to Bakr Fadel Rib'ey. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- Israeli municipal bulldozers demolished two Palestinian-owned residential buildings under construction in al-Eizariya town, east of Occupied Jerusalem. The buildings belonged to a local resident called Samer Abu Ziyad and were located in Ras al-Bustan area of the town. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- Dozens of Israeli soldiers, accompanied by bulldozers, invaded large areas of Palestinian agricultural lands, on Thursday morning, and started uprooting them, in addition to destroying water wells. Abdullah Bisharat, the head of Atouf Village Council, said the soldiers invaded lands in Um Kbeish area, in the western part of the village, and started bulldozing and uprooting hundreds of dunams of Palestinian farmlands. He added that the bulldozers are cutting and uprooting dozens of trees and other plants in the farmlands, without a prior notice or any justification. Bisharat also stated that the soldiers also demolished four wells, used by the farmers for irrigation for their lands. The targeted Palestinian agricultural lands are thousands of Dunams, planted with various sorts of trees and plants, and are owned by Palestinians living in that area. Bisharat also stated that the Israeli government, headed by Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, seems to have already started the annexation of the Jordan Valley and the Northern Plains, following statements in this regard as part of his election

- campaign to win the votes of illegal colonialist settlers, living in the occupied West Bank. (IMEMC 12 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) stormed an agricultural structure at the main entrance to Zeita town in Tulkarem and wreaked havoc on its contents. Several IOA stormed a prefabricated storehouse used for agricultural purposes and embarked on smashing its contents. The IOA also threatened to remove the structure next Tuesday. (PALINFO 14 September 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) demolished one Palestinian house and two agricultural rooms as well as fences and a road in al-Walaja village, northwest of Bethlehem. The bulldozers escorted by the IOA stormed the area of Ein Juwaiza and Khilat al-Hour and demolished a house belonging to a local resident called Mustafa Abd Rabo. The IOA also knocked down two structures used for agricultural purposes belonging to a woman from the village as well as concrete fences of two homes belonging to other villagers. A road was also bulldozed in the village by the IOF during the demolition campaign. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded 'Atouf village, east of Tammoun, southeast of the northeastern West Bank city of Tubas, and demolished an agricultural room owned by a Palestinian, identified as Eyad Faisal Qalalwa. (IMEMC 18 September 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) delivered stop-construction orders for a number of Palestinian houses and shacks in Barta'a, a village isolated behind Israel's separation wall, southwest of Jenin. an Israeli military Army raided Barta'a and handed eight residents notices ordering them to halt the construction on their houses and shacks purportedly for being built without licenses. (WAFSA 18 September 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished two agricultural structures in the village of Atouf in the Jordan Valley. The structures are a caravan and a shack. The IOA also seized a tractor owned by a Palestinian resident of the village of al-Ras al-Ahmar, southeast of Tubas. (WAFSA 18 September 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (OIA) invaded the Ramadin area, southwest of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, and delivered orders halting the construction of the al-Badia Basic School. The IOA ordered halting the construction of the school, located in the western part of the town. The school is close to the illegal Annexation Wall, which was built on Palestinian lands in the area. There are thirty students in this school, and

construction was underway to expand it to be able to provide the needed education to more children. It is one of many Somoud and Tahadi Schools which were recently built by the Palestinian Education Ministry, and a few them have been demolished. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) ordered a halt on the construction of several residential and agricultural structures in the village of Ras al-Ahmar, near the town of Tubas in the Jordan Valley region. The IOA accompanied by staff from the Israeli Civil Administration broke into the village and handed a notice ordering a halt on the construction of five residential structures and animal barns, under the pretext that they are being built without a permit. The village is located in Area C of the West Bank, under full Israeli administrative and military control, where Israel rarely issues construction permits to Palestinians, forcing many to build without permits. (WAFSA 19 September 2019)
- Teams from the Israeli municipality of West Jerusalem accompanied by Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) informed a number of Palestinians in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Issawiyeh that their homes are going to be demolished because they were built without permit. The municipality staff handed over demolition orders to several homes in the neighborhood and summoned others to appear before municipality officials for building without a license. The staff also took pictures and measurements of several homes, which is usually a prelude to their demolition. Most of the building are inhabited. (WAFSA 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) cut off water supply to the Palestinian village of Bardala in the northern Jordan Valley. The IOA stormed the village and sealed up water holes that feed the local residents of the village with water, without stating the reason for such action. The Israeli army had cut off water supply to the village many times before in an attempt to force the local residents to leave the area. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli Magistrate Court ruled to evict a Palestinian Jerusalemite family from its home in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Wadi Hilweh in Silwan for the benefit of settlers. The court ruling came in favor of the settler organizations of Ateret Cohanim and Elad, which filed a lawsuit demanding that the house be evicted under the pretext that it was absentee property. Ateret Cohanim and Elad organizations are settler groups that aim to create a Jewish majority in East Jerusalem at the expense of Palestinians. (WAFSA 23 September 2019)

- Many Israeli army jeeps and bulldozers invaded Ras al-'Ein neighborhood, in Silwan town, south of occupied East Jerusalem, and demolished for stables for horses. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA), accompanied by personnel of the Engineering Department of the City Council in occupied Jerusalem, surrounded Ras al-'Ein neighborhood, before invading it. The IOA then isolated the area around four stables, owned by Na'im Roweidi, and demolished them. The Palestinian installed the stables several years ago and was using them to provide shelter for his horses, and to store their fodder. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- Staff of the so-called Israeli Municipality of West Jerusalem demolished a Palestinian house under construction in Mount of Olives neighborhood in occupied Jerusalem. The municipality staff, backed by Israeli police, cut the iron columns and destroyed the roof of the house owned by Issa Khalil. Israeli police detained the owner and his brother after physically assaulting members of the family who were present at the house. (Wafa 24 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Bulldozers demolished a barn for horses in Silwan in occupied East Jerusalem and seized a vehicle in the Jordan Valley town of Toubas. The IOA used a bulldozer to demolish the 100-square meter barn under unclear reasons. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized a vehicle in the area of Ras al-Ahmar near Tubas in the northern Jordan Valley. No reason was given for the seizure. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished, a shed and an agricultural structure in Deir Ballout town, west of the central West Bank city of Salfit. The IOA surrounded the entire area before invading it and demolished the two structures without prior notice. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an agricultural room, and a water tank, east of Hebron. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an under-construction home in the al-Hijra village, at the southern entrance of Doura city, south of Hebron, in the southern part of the occupied West Bank. Several army jeeps and bulldozers, invaded the village and demolished the two-story property of 250 square/meter each floor. The owner of the demolished property, Samir Nimir Doudin, said the army first issued orders stopping

the construction for not receiving a permit from the “Civil Administration Office,” the executive branch of Israel’s illegal military occupation of the West Bank. Doudin filed an appeal with an Israeli court to halt the demolition and give him enough time to obtain all needed permits, however, the court never made a ruling in the case and the army didn’t wait and went ahead with the demolition. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded, the Sawahra town, east of occupied East Jerusalem, and removed a protest tent, which was installed by locals and international peace activists, to protest the establishment of a new illegal colonialist outpost in the al-Mintar Mountain, east of the town. The IOA invaded the area, and forcibly removed the nonviolent activists from the tent, and removed it. The army invaded the area a week ago and informed the nonviolent protesters of its decision to demolish and remove the tent. It is worth mentioning that, on September 15<sup>th</sup>, a group of Israeli settlers installed several mobile homes and water tanks on the mountain, in preparation for establishing a new outpost on the Palestinian lands. The army did not attempt to remove it. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- Workers of the City Council of occupied East Jerusalem and Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished an under-construction Palestinian home belonging to Abu Issa Khalil in the at-Tour town, allegedly for being constructed without a permit, and assaulted the family before detaining two of them. The IOA, and personnel of the City Council stormed the home after surrounding and isolating it, and assaulted the family, before detaining Abu Issa Khalil sons, Qussai and Issa. The two detained sons were interrogated for several hours at a detention facility, and were released under the condition of being forced out of Jerusalem for 48 hours. The IOA alleged that Abu Issa Khalil sons “assaulted them”, while they were forcing the family out, and attacked his other son, Odai, causing various cuts and bruises, before he was rushed to a hospital in Jerusalem. The IOA demolished his residence using handheld tools because it is on the top third floor. Khalil also said that the City Council recently informed him that he has until Monday evening to demolish the residence, and he demolished its rooftop, however, the IOA invaded the area, Tuesday, and demolished the remaining walls. (IMEMC 25 October 2019)
- Caught in the middle of an enclave of Israeli settlers, the Sumrin family in the East Jerusalem neighborhood of Silwan is living the constant



nightmare of eviction from the home it has lived in all its life. For 28 years, the family has spared no legal effort to prevent its eviction from its home in order to turn it over to the settlers. But the family today is facing imminent eviction after the Israeli Magistrate Court in Jerusalem ruled on September 23 that it has 90 days to evacuate the house on the pretext that the house is considered "absentee property". The house (owned by Ahmad Sumrin, 36) is built on a plot of land 800 square meters in area and is located in the middle of the so-called "City of David" enclave in Wadi Hilweh area of Silwan where the settlers are concentrated. The Sumrin house is surrounded by settlers, separated only by barbed wire and surveillance cameras. The Sumrin family home has a total area of 350 square meters and consists of four apartments housing 15 people, all of whom are now under the threat of eviction and displacement. The court ordered the family to pay 50,000 Israeli shekels (app. \$14,000) in rent for the last three years to be paid for the custodian of absentee property under the pretext the house was owned by the custodian. The family was originally told to pay two million shekels (\$600,000). (Wafa 28 October 2019)

## Israeli Military Orders

### **Israeli Military Orders during the month of July 2019**

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Sur Baher Palestinian town, south of occupied East Jerusalem, and confiscated privately-owned Palestinian lands to use for what the City Council called "public facilities." Dozens of IOA and police officers, accompanied by personnel of the Jerusalem City Council, invaded the area, and confiscated five Dunams (1.23 Acres) and 200 square/meters (2152.78 Feet), owned by Omar Ahmad Dabash, in addition to four Dunams (0.98 Acres) owned by Yasser Ali Dweiyat. The lands are close to East Talpiot settlement area. The Palestinians filed appeals with Israeli courts but were unable to get them to reverse the confiscation orders of their lands. Israel claims it intends to build various projects, including a police station, and a public center in addition to a kindergarten for Israeli settlers. The Palestinians who owned the lands were denied the right to use them for construction or agriculture. It is worth mentioning that the confiscation orders were first issued in the year 1999, when some residents went to the City Council to obtain construction permits to build on their own lands. (IMEMC 30 July 2019)

## Israeli Military Orders during the month of September 2019

- Israeli soldiers confiscated, Sunday, approximately 100 Dunams (24.7 Acres) of privately-owned Palestinian lands from villages south of Nablus, in northern West Bank, and northeast of Ramallah, in central West Bank. Ghassan Daghlas, a Palestinian official who monitors Israel's illegal colonialist activities in northern West Bank, said the soldiers handed the confiscation orders to residents of Qaryout and Jaloud villages, near the northern West Bank city of Nablus. He added that similar orders were handed to residents of Turmus Ayya village, north of the central West Bank city of Ramallah. The confiscation of the lands is part of Israeli plans to expand Shilu illegal colony, which was built on private Palestinian lands. The confiscated lands are in the following areas: Ras al-'Ein and Ras Moweis, Basin #1 of the southern area of Qaryout village, southeast of Nablus. Basin #12 of Jaloud village, south of Nablus. Basin #10 and Basin #3 of Turmus Ayya village, northeast of Ramallah. Daghlas stated that Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu is escalating the confiscation of Palestinian lands and the attempts to build and expand the illegal colonies as part of his efforts to appease the colonists ahead of the upcoming general election on September 17<sup>th</sup>. (IMEMC 8 September 2019)
- Israeli occupation authorities, ordered the confiscation of Palestinian-owned lands in Nablus district, to expand the Yitzhar settlement. The village councils of Burin, Huwara, Asira al-Qibliya, Madama, Urif and Einabus all received copies of an Israeli order to seize Palestinian-owned lands in the vicinity of Yitzhar. Anyone wishing to file a complaint against the Israeli move has a 21-day time limit, according to the written order. (IMEMC 14 September 2019)
- The Israeli army confiscated at least 1500 Dunams (370.65 Acres) of Palestinian lands, owned by the residents of Doura town, south of the southern West Bank city of Hebron, by reinstating a military order, issued in 1987, regarding the illegal annexation of the lands that were designated as "state-owned lands." The lands in question are not only owned by the Palestinians, but are also inhabited by them, and include many homes, agricultural structures and are planted with olive and almond trees. The lands are under the jurisdiction of Doura City Council. The first order, which was issued in 1987 designated Basin #8 of Doura as "state lands", and in July of this year, Israel reexamined the order, and altered it to confiscate more lands. The order, although an old one, was modified

recently in order to illegally annex more Palestinian lands, on both sides of Be'er as-Sabe' Road, which connects the eastern countryside of Doura with the al-Thaheriyya town, south of Hebron, after claiming the lands are "state-owned." The lands are owned by the families of Amro, Abu Sharar, al-Khatib, Shahin, Doudin, al-Harbiyyat, in addition to other families that recently bought lands in the same area. The largest segment of the lands is in Abu Hilal area, Ein Omran and the al-Majoor agricultural area, in addition to lands where Israel built a military base and tower in al-Majnoona area, extending from the al-Jabal al-Abiad to the east of Doura, until the village of Deir Razeh. (IMEMC 26 September 2019)

## Confiscation & Razing of lands

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- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded al-Jiftlik village, in the West Bank's Central Plains, and confiscated an irrigation network from lands owned by a Palestinian from the village. The IOA invaded the lands, owned by a local farmer, identified as Na'el Bani Odah, and confiscated the irrigation network providing his farmlands with the needed water. The confiscated network and pipes were used to provide water for nearly 30 dunams, which for the past eight seasons have been planted with grapevines. (IMEMC 3 July 2019)
- At around 8:00 A.M., the Israeli Civil Administration personnel arrived with Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) Border Police officers, four bulldozers and an excavator at the nature reserve between the villages of Um al-Kheir and Humeida in the South Hebron Hills. The IOA uprooted some 300 acacia trees planted about 12 years ago and destroyed a fence that had been put up around the area." (BTSELEM 3 July 2019)
- At around 9:00 A.M., the Israeli Civil Administration personnel arrived with the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA), Border Police officers and four bulldozers at Khirbet a-Duqaiqah in the South Hebron Hills. The IOA uprooted 500 forest trees planted in a nature reserve in 2014 for the benefit of local residents and destroyed four water cisterns used to irrigate them." (BTSELEM 4 July 2019)
- Dozens of Israeli occupation Army (IOA), accompanied by bulldozers, invaded Palestinian lands in the al-Marmala area, in the West Bank's Northern Plains, and started bulldozing them to pave a new segregated road for Israeli settlers. The IOA brought several bulldozers and heavy

machinery since morning hours, and started bulldozing the lands to prepare for the new colonialist road. Many Israeli settlers accompanied the IOA in the invasion and the bulldozing of the Palestinian lands. (IMEMC 7 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) razed Palestinian lands and set up caravans in Huwwara town, located to the south of Nablus city, in the northern West Bank. Israeli bulldozers razed a large tract of lands in al-Naqqar area in Huwwara town before setting up several mobile homes at the site. (Wafa 17 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) seized tents and solar panels from the town of Nahalin, west of the occupied West Bank city of Bethlehem. The IOA stormed the area of Ein Fares and seized solar panels and five tents used for livestock breeding. (Wafa 18 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) moved into KHALLET al-Lahham, south of 'Asira al-Shamaliya village, west of Nablus and seized a caravan, and closed agricultural roads. (Wafa 18 July 2019)

## **Confiscation & Razing of lands during the month of September 2019**

- 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 Breijyya, 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. Breijyya 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)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) served a Military order for the confiscation of 100 dunums of land on plots (10) and (3) located in Sha'eb Al-Masri area located in Turmus'aya town and land on plot (1) located between Tin Al-Ein and Ras Mwies in Qaryout village and land on plot (12) in Jalloud village in Nablus district for the purpose of expanding "Shilo" settlement located in Turmus'aya town. (NAD 7 November 2019)
- Several Israeli army vehicles invaded, on Monday at dawn, Palestinian lands in northern and central Gaza, and bulldozed them while military drones flew overhead. Media sources said four armored military vehicles advanced dozens of meters into Palestinian agricultural lands, east of Jabalia, in the northern part of the coastal region, and bulldozed them. They added that four other bulldozers invaded lands, east of Juhr Ed-Deek town, northeast of the al-Boreij refugee camp in central Gaza Strip, and bulldozed them also while military drones hovered overhead. The invasions are part of ongoing Israeli violations against the Palestinians in the besieged Gaza Strip; such assaults include attacking farmers, workers and fishermen, in addition to bulldozing lands. (MEMC 09 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) uprooted dozens of olive trees and demolished water wells in Umm al-Kobaish area, east of Tammun town, south of Tubas. Local official Mutaaz Bisharat said that Israeli troops uprooted 300 olive trees and destroyed five wells used to gather water. Bisharat added that the olive trees and wells belonged to Palestinian farmers living in the area. The area has been exposed recently to frequent demolitions by the IOF. On June 11, dozens of olive trees and two wells were destroyed by Israeli army bulldozers. (PALINFO 12 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) bulldozed and uprooted, large areas of Palestinian agricultural lands in Hijja village, east of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia, and near Salfit in central West Bank. Several army bulldozers started uprooted approximately 145 Dunams of farmlands. The Israeli violation comes as part of the efforts to expand the Industrial Zone of the illegal Karnei Shomron settlement, which was built on privately-owned Palestinian lands. Most of the bulldozed lands were planted with olive trees, and are owned by approximately five families. (MEMC 18 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded Palestinian lands in Broqin village, west of the central West Bank city of Salfit and uprooted around

150 olive trees in Khirbat Qarqash area, northeast of the village. (IMEMC, WAFA 18 September 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) chopped down scores of Palestinian-owned olive trees in Burqin village, to the west of the occupied West Bank Governorate of Salfit, . The IOA destroyed more than 100 olive trees in the Khirbet Qarqash area, located in the northeastern part of the village. No reason was given for the destruction of the trees. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) demolished two agricultural structures in the village of Atouf, Jordan Valley, a caravan and a shack. The IOA seized a tractor owned by a Palestinian resident of the village of al-Ras al-Ahmar, southeast of Toubas. (IMEMC 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) bulldozed a vast tract of agricultural land in the West Bank village of Hajjah village, east of Qalqilya. The IOA bulldozers razed 145 dunums of agricultural land in order to expand the industrial zone of Karnei Shomron settlement. Large areas of this land, which belong to five families, are planted with olive trees. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) razed a greenhouse in Atuf village to the east of Tamun, in southeastern Tuba governorate. The IOA drove a bulldozer into the land of Iyad Qalalwa and destroyed his greenhouse. (PALINFO 19 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) prevented a Palestinian farmer from plowing and working on his own land, and confiscated a bulldozer working on the land, in the al-Mintar area, in Kafr Thulth town, south of the northern West Bank city of Qalqilia. The IOA confiscated a bulldozer, owned by Ayman Ahmad Mara'ba, who was working on lands owned by Abdul-Latif Hasan Arar, who hired him to do the job. The IOA forced the Palestinians out of the land, and closed with sand hills the agricultural road linking between Azzoun and Kafr Thulth and leading to al-'Oyoun area in Wadi Qana. It is worth mentioning that the road was recently opened to provide the Palestinian farmers an easier access route to their farmlands and orchards. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- Israeli settlers razed a Palestinian-owned land near the village of Turmus Ayya, to the north of Ramallah in the occupied West Bank. Israeli settlers from the settlement outpost of Adi-Ad, nearby, and who were escorted by

the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) Proceeded to raze about six dunums of land near the village. The land razed belongs to a local Palestinian farmers from the village. (WAFSA 22 September 2019)

- Israel is preparing a plan for the illegal annexation of Palestinian lands in the Naqoura village, north of the northern West Bank city of Nablus, to expand a settlement. The plan aims at expanding the illegal Shave Shomron settlement, which was built on Palestinian lands, by confiscating Palestinian lands, in Basin #12, adjacent to the settlement. The Israeli plan would lead to the annexation of more lands, not only for the new illegal constructions, but also infrastructure and “security zones”, off-limits to the Palestinians. (IMEMC 24 October 2019)

### Expansion of settlements

#### **Expansion of settlements during the month of July 2019**

- The Israeli district court of occupied Jerusalem has approved a plan to legalize 2.000 unauthorized settlement units in West Bank. The Israeli occupation authorities seek to legalize about 40 unauthorized settlement units in the Eli Zahav settlement, near the West Bank town of Kafr al-Dik, west of Salfit. The Israeli authorities have started implementing a new policy to organize illegal settlement units built on Palestinian lands retroactively, and allocating these lands for building settlements after being deemed “state land”. The new mechanism is based on article No. 5 of the military orders of 1967, relating to government property in the West Bank. The judge of the court stated that the article No.5 will be applied to lands located in the Eli Zahaf settlement. The paper reported that the blue line (state land) must be amended accordingly, and that the settlers may exercise their full rights in the lands they have purchased in accordance with the legal status and blue line that existed when the land was purchased. (Haaretz, IMEMC 2 July 2019)
- Quietly, far from public attention, facts on the ground are being created that are changing Israel’s political position in the West Bank, without official decisions and in defiance of the law. Settlement organizations are establishing new outposts, or unauthorized settlements, with the direct assistance of the authorities and often financed by public funds. The government, for its part, encourages such construction by promising support and working to legalize these outposts, while refraining from enforcing the law against them. **Since 2012, 32 new outposts have been**

**established, the majority of which after President Trump was elected.** All of the new outposts (except one) are located deep inside the West Bank, in areas that Israel will likely have to evacuate within the framework of a permanent agreement. **21 of the outposts are agricultural farms**, which take over large areas for pasturing and cultivation, while their settlers work to remove Palestinian shepherds and farmers from the vicinity. Around some of the new outposts there is **an increase in violence and attacks against Palestinians.** The outposts are established in an organized fashion **with the involvement of the local settlement authorities, Amana and the Settlement Division.** At the same time, the government is working to retroactively legalize existing outposts. To date, **15 outposts have been legalized** (“regularized”) as independent settlements or “neighborhoods” in existing settlements. At least **35 additional outposts are undergoing the legalization process.** One of the outposts established in 2012, Kerem Re’im, has already been legalized, thus becoming an official settlement with nearly 70 families living in dozens of permanent homes. For further details, [click here](#). ([PEACENOW, Haaretz 22 July 2019](#))

- A plan introduced by Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu for building permits in the Israeli-controlled Area C of the West Bank involves the approval of 6,000 settlement homes alongside 700 housing units for Palestinians, a government official confirmed on Tuesday. After two lengthy meetings of the high-level security cabinet on Sunday and Monday, the ministerial body has yet to reach an agreement on the politically sensitive matter, a spokesman for one of the minister’s present said, confirming a Kan public broadcaster report. Palestinians are rarely granted building permits in Area C and recent years have seen the total number of approvals remain in the single digits, compared to the thousands green-lighted for Israeli settlers. It wasn’t clear whether the permits are for new construction or buildings currently slated for demolition. The developments came days before a US delegation led by senior White House adviser Jared Kushner is slated to arrive in Israel and other countries in the region in order to promote US President Donald Trump’s administration’s peace plan. Kan quoted ministers on Monday saying the matter was “extremely sensitive,” but didn’t say whether it was linked to the US peace plan. On Tuesday, Haaretz quoted political sources as estimating that Netanyahu was promoting the plan under pressure from Washington. Some right-wing public officials criticized the plan,



although a hawkish minister and a local settlement leader expressed support for it. ([YNETNEWS](#) 30 July 2019)

- Israel's security cabinet unanimously approved Tuesday construction permits for 715 housing units in Palestinians towns in Area C of the West Bank, the first such decision since 2016. However, it remains unclear whether the plans are for the construction of new units or the legalization of existing structures built without permits. However, no official decisions on the plans have been made. Area C covers parts of the West Bank under full Israeli control, based on the Oslo Accords. Sources familiar with the matter told Haaretz 6,000 housing units in Jewish settlement in the West Bank have also been approved. Political sources believe the relatively unusual discussion, first reported Monday by Kan public broadcaster, could be due to American pressure. In the coming days, U.S. President Donald Trump's son-in-law and senior adviser, Jared Kushner, is expected to arrive in Israel to discuss the economic chapter of his Middle East peace plan. Settler leaders bashed news of the plan. Mateh Binyamin Regional Council chief Israel Gantz and Samaria Regional Council head Yossi Dagan issued a joint statement on Monday, calling the proposal "particularly worrying." "The Palestinian Authority, with the assistance and funding of foreign elements, is carrying out massive illegal construction in these areas with the clear goal of establishing a terrorist state in the heart of the country," the two wrote. "We hope that this does not, heaven forbid, constitute a gesture toward the government that will be established after the election," the statement added. The head of the South Hebron Hills regional council, Yochai Damari, said that he was "stunned" by the news, adding "we are waging a struggle against the Palestinian chokehold on our settlement, and only that is a fitting topic to convene a cabinet meeting for." Shlomo Ne'eman, head of the Gush Etzion Regional Council also slammed the plans, referring to "the suffering of the homeland, known as Area C, since the Oslo disaster." "We discovered that the Arab approach of stealing a dunam and another dunam ... pays off for them," Ne'eman added. ([Haaretz](#) 31 July 2019)

## Expansion of settlements during the month of August 2019

- **2,304 Settlement Units Promoted, 3 Outposts Regularized:** The HPC of the Civil Administration approved most of the plans that were on the agenda except for two that were postponed. In the end, **2,304 housing units were approved** – 88% of which are in the West Bank in settlements that Israel will probably be forced to evacuate under a two-state

agreement. 838 housing units were approved for validation (second and final approval); 1,466 housing units were approved for deposit (first stage). **Plans for regularizing three outposts were approved** – discussion of the Brosh outpost was postponed because no resolutions had been made on the objections submitted (including an objection from Peace Now). Some of the plans are designed to legalize illegally constructed buildings in the settlements (see below). **Plans not discussed (and postponed):** Plan for 207 housing units in the Har Bracha settlement near Nablus – the plan requires an extension of the jurisdiction of the settlement. Because the jurisdiction is not changed the discussion on the plan was postponed. Program for regularizing the Brosh outpost as an educational institution – a decision has not yet been made on objections submitted regarding the plan and the discussion on it was likewise postponed. [For an updated list of programs, as approved – click here.](#) **88% would be deep in the West Bank:** Following the Cabinet’s decision last week to [promote the construction of 6,000 housing units in the settlements alongside 715 housing units for Palestinians](#), the Higher Planning Committee of the Civil Administration convened on Monday and Tuesday (August 5 and 6) to advance a series of settlement plans. **Peace Now:** *The approval of settlement plans is part of a disastrous government policy designed to prevent the possibility of peace and a two-state solution, and to annex part or all of the West Bank. The linkage of thousands of housing permits for settlers and a negligible number of housing units for Palestinians cannot hide the government’s discrimination policy. As a result, we see for example an approval of the illegal outpost (Haroeh Haiori) built for Israelis adjacent to the Palestinian bedouin village of Khan Al-Ahmar, for which the government refuses to approve any construction permits and instead seeks to transfer. Or we see, the approval of the construction of a new settlement neighborhood adjacent to the separation barrier after demolishing 72 housing units built adjacent to the separation barrier in Wadi Hummus, despite offering to fund security measures.* **The four outposts originally slated to be legalized:** The plans being advanced also include plans to retroactively legalize (“regulate”) four illegal outposts. Two weeks ago, [Peace Now released a report](#) revealing that under Netanyahu’s rule more than 30 new settlements (“outposts”) have been established, along with continuing retroactive legalization of existing outposts. The legalization of outposts, including those that have been established in recent years, sends a clear message from the government that it is worthwhile to build settlements illegally, because the government will approve them retroactively. The four outposts to be

legalized are as follows: [Givat Salit](#) – in the north of the Jordan Valley (established in 2002) – a plan for 94 new housing units; [Ibei Hanahal](#) – southeast of Bethlehem (established in 1999) – a program for the establishment of 98 new housing units; [Brosh \(Bitronot\)](#) (*discussion on plan postponed, see above*) – in the north of the Jordan Valley (established in 2013) – legalizing the outpost as an educational institution that includes hundreds of students and families of staff members. [Haroeh Haivri](#) – near Khan al-Ahmar east of Jerusalem (established in 2015) – legalizing the outpost as an educational institution that includes student housing and staff. **Other notable plans:** Two plans in [Beit El](#), adjacent to Ramallah. One plan (No. 218/18/1) is for the construction of 346 housing units, and another (No. 218/4/1) with 36 existing units legalized by the plan's approval. It should be noted that three years ago, a plan was approved for 296 other units in Beit El as part of the government's "deal" with Beit El settlers following the evacuation of 30 apartments built on private land in the [Ulpana neighborhood](#) that the court ordered to demolish. Two plans in the settlement of Har [Bracha near Nablus](#) – Plan No. 114/2/4/1 for 207 housing units (*discussion postponed, see above*) and Plan 114/1/3 with 48 existing units to be retroactively legalized. In recent years, hundreds of housing units have been approved in the Bracha settlement and hundreds of housing units have been built there. Plan No. 114/2/4/1 requires an extension of the jurisdiction of the settlement, a fact that led to the postponement of the discussion on it. **After the demolitions in Wadi Hummus – a building permit adjacent to the separation barrier:** One of the plans that was approved is Plan No. 208/3/1 in the settlement of [Ganei Modiin](#) for 194 housing units. In the late 1990s, Israeli entrepreneurs who purchased the area prepared a building plan for 250 housing units that were promoted and approved for deposit. However, due to the intention to build the separation barrier in the plan area, it was decided not to approve it (See in this regard, the judgment of [HCJ 2577/04](#) of the residents of Na'alim against the route of the fence). The new plan permits the construction for 194 units up to the completed portion of the separation barrier there. Recall that just two weeks ago, Israeli authorities demolished 72 housing units in Wadi Hummus (in Area A and B) east of Jerusalem, claiming that they were built adjacent to the separation barrier and posed a security threat. Residents offered to fund a high wall that would meet Israel's security needs but their application was rejected and the houses were demolished. Despite this inconsistency, the authorities decided to approve the construction of this plan in Ganei Modiin. The

developers agreed to fund the building of a high wall for security purposes, thus resolving the matter. For the list of plans to be advanced, [click here](#). ([PEACENOW](#) 4 August 2019)

- The Israeli government and the Civil Administration Office, the executive and administrative branch of the illegal Israeli occupation of the West Bank, including Jerusalem, approved the construction of hundreds of units in Gush Etzion bloc, south of Bethlehem. The approval was for 300 new units in Etzion. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- The West Bank's Civil Administration High Planning Subcommittee authorized the promotion of 2,304 homes in settlements and outposts, of which 838 received a final approval for construction. Some of the planned construction will take place in illegal outposts, thus formally granting them the state's approval; 98 homes in the Ibei HaNahal outpost and 98 in the Givat Sal'it outpost were approved for early planning. A plan to promote an educational facility in the Haroe Ha'ivri outpost, near Ma'ale Edumim and the Palestinian village of Khan al-Ahmar, set to be evicted for lack of permits, was also approved for early planning. The Gush Etzion Regional Council Head, Shlomo Neeman, said in response that, "this is huge news for the south-east of Gush Etzion, to Jewish settlements in the Judean Desert and to the entire settlement movement." The Peace Now leftist movement said that approving the building of new homes in West Bank settlements is "a part of the destructive policy set to prevent a peaceful solution and the two-state solution and bring about the annexation of the West bank." "Hypocrisy is sky rocketing when the government grants its approval to an illegal outpost built by Israelis right next to the Palestinian village of Khan al-Ahmar, where construction isn't allowed. "The wrong is unforgivable when after destroying 72 homes because they built by the separation barrier in Wadi al-Hummus, the government approves a whole neighborhood for settlers by the barrier fence," concluded the organization statement. ([Ynetnews](#) 6 August 2019)
- The so-called "Civil Administration Office" the executive branch of Israel's illegal occupation, has approved the construction of 300 additional units in Gush Etzion settlement bloc, south of Bethlehem, in the occupied West Bank. Israeli Channel 7 has reported that the Civil Administration Office has made the official approval of the units in Etzion. (IMEMC 8 August 2019)

- The Israeli government has approved the plans for the construction of 2.430 units for Jewish settlers in Israeli settlements in the occupied West bank. The approval was made by the so-called High Planning Committee of the Israeli “Civil Administration,” the executive and administrative branch of the Israeli occupation in the West Bank, including occupied Jerusalem. The new plans do not only include expanding settlements, but also news constructions in outposts that were built without Israel’s approval, and therefore, they will be granted official approval before more units are added to them. %88 of the newly approved units are deep in the occupied West bank, and are located in settlements that Israel “is likely to be forced to evacuate as part of a future two-state agreement with the Palestinians.” (PEACENOW, IMEMC 8 August 2019)
- The Israeli “Planning and Construction Committee” in occupied Jerusalem has approved two plans for the construction of 641 units for settlers, west of Hebron Road, in the city. The first plan aims at building new units around Talpiot area, west of Hebron road, along the blue light-railroad line and east of Bethlehem, while the second plan will add units in Shaare Zion settlement. They aim at building two apartment buildings, in addition to a Synagogue, an industrial structure and various health facilities for the colonists. (IMEMC 2 August 2019)
- The Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu pledged to more than double the size of the West Bank settlement of Dolev. “We will deepen our roots and strike at our enemies,” Netanyahu said. “We will continue to strengthen and develop settlement” in Judea and Samaria. ([IPOST](#) 27 August 2019)
- The Israeli Prime Minister, Benjamin Netanyahu, ordered the construction of 300 new housing units in the West Bank settlement of Dolev, to the west of Ramallah. Netanyahu has directed the Defense Ministry to advance a plan for a new neighborhood in the illegal Dolev settlement. Netanyahu was quoted as saying that “We will deepen our roots and strike at our enemies. We will continue to strengthen and develop the settlements.” (IMEMC 27 August 2019)

## Expansion of settlements during the month of September 2019

- Israeli occupation authorities have issued a military order to confiscate nearly 25 acres of private Palestinian land, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank, as Israel moves ahead with land expropriation and



settlement construction policies, in violation of international law and UN Security Council resolutions. GIIsraeli officials have served orders to people in the villages of Qaryout and Jalud, located approximately 30 kilometers (19 miles) south of Nablus, notifying them of the decision to seize almost 100 dunams (24.7 acres), in order to expand the nearby Shilo settlement. Daghlas added that similar notices had been distributed among the residents of Turmus Ayya town. (IMEMC 09 September 2019)

## Erection of Israeli checkpoints

### **Erection of Israeli checkpoints during the month of July 2019**

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed military roadblocks in Jouret Bahlas area, at the northern entrance of Hebron city, in addition to the main entrances of Sa'ir and Halhoul towns, and the al-Fawwar refugee camp, before stopping and searching several cars, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 09 July 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) installed roadblocks in many neighborhoods in Hebron city, in addition to the towns of as-Sammoa', Sa'ir and Halhoul, before stopping and searching many cars. (IMEMC 15 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) installed military roadblocks at several roads leading to ath-Thaheriyya town, south of Hebron, and Halhoul, north of the city, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 28 July 2019)
- It's just after 6 a.m. and a Palestinian man's face is momentarily bathed in crimson light, not by the sun rising over the mountains of Jordan, but by a facial recognition scanner at an Israeli checkpoint near Jerusalem. The Israeli military has installed the face scanners as part a multimillion dollar upgrade of the Qalandia crossing that now allows Palestinians from the West Bank with work permits to zip through with relative ease. But while the high-tech upgrades may have eased entry for Palestinians going to Israel for work, critics say they are a sign of the ossification of Israel's 52-year occupation of the West Bank and slam the military's use of facial recognition technology as problematic. Qalandia is one of the main crossings for the thousands of Palestinians who enter Israel each day for a

variety of reasons, including work, medical appointments or family visits. Among Palestinians, the heavily fortified crossing is seen as a symbol of Israeli occupation and has long been notorious as a human logjam, where workers would wait for as much as two hours in order to pass into Israeli-controlled Jerusalem. Palestinian laborers from around the West Bank who had permits to work in Israel would wake up in the middle of the night to arrive at the crossing before daybreak. Metal fenced entryways were often packed with people before dawn, waiting for the gates to open. Human rights groups deplored the conditions at Qalandia. Israel's Defense Ministry poured over \$85 million into upgrading Qalandia and several other major checkpoints between Israel and the West Bank in recent years -- part of a strategy it says is meant to maintain calm by improving conditions for Palestinians. Thanks to the upgrades, crossing through Qalandia takes roughly 10 minutes, even during the early morning rush hour, and has the feel of an airport terminal. While much of the rest of Jerusalem is still asleep, hundreds of Palestinian laborers stream through each morning on foot or riding bikes, buses and cars into Israel for work. Jamal Osta, a 60-year-old from the northern West Bank city of Nablus, works as a blacksmith in an industrial park in east Jerusalem not far from Qalandia. The new system is substantially better but is another indication that Israel's occupation has no end in sight, he said. The Palestinians seek the West Bank as the heartland of a future state, with east Jerusalem as their capital. "Qalandia today looks like an international crossing. You feel like you are entering a new country," Osta said. "This is not an interim thing, apparently it's final." COGAT, the Israeli military body responsible for civilian affairs in the West Bank, granted over 83,000 permits to West Bank Palestinians to work in Israel in June. Many Palestinians seek employment in Israel, where there are more jobs and much higher wages than in the West Bank. On a given day, an estimated 8,000 cross at the Qalandia crossing alone. In exchange for this benefit, however, Palestinians seeking work in Israel must receive biometric identification cards, the only way to pass through Qalandia, according to Israel's Civil Administration, which manages the crossing. After passing through a security check -- a metal detector and baggage scanner -- the workers place their magnetic ID cards on a scanner and face a camera. A glow of red light emanates from a display as facial recognition software confirms the permit holder's identity and opens a turnstile. A recent report by Israeli business paper TheMarker stated that the Israeli military uses technology provided by AnyVision, an Israeli

facial recognition start-up, at West Bank checkpoints, and in cameras dotting the Palestinian territories. The cameras and database are being used to identify and track potential Palestinian assailants, the report said. AnyVision did not respond to requests for comment. COGAT confirmed the use of facial recognition technology at the crossing, but declined to discuss the details of the biometric database or say whether the data is used beyond the crossings. The Defense Ministry, the army and the Shin Bet internal security agency also declined comment. B'Tselem, an Israeli human rights group, said it was unacceptable that the Palestinian laborers have no ability to object to the use of facial recognition technology. Roy Yellin, a spokesman for the group, called the company's development of its product through "unwilling subjects" immoral. For Najah al-Mahseri, 62, from a town near Ramallah, giving the Israeli military his biometric data was a fair trade for a steady job in Israel. "I have no problem at all. This is my life and if I want to work here, I have to follow the rules and I have no problem doing that," Mahseri said. "This is the life Palestinian workers in Israel live." ([YNETNEWS](#) 29 July 2019)

### **Erection of Israeli checkpoints during the month of August 2019**

- The Israeli Occupation army (IOA) set up roadblocks in the north of the West Bank mainly on the road between Nablus and Jenin. The Israeli army claimed that shots were fired by a man on a motorcycle at an army patrol near the village of Beit Sharaf, north of Nablus, and that he was able to get away. No one was injured in the alleged attack, said the army. Immediately after, the IOA began a manhunt for the alleged attacker and set up roadblocks from Beit Sharaf further north to the village of Burqa. (Wafa 1 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) invaded many neighborhoods in Hebron city, and installed roadblocks in Joret Bahlas area, in its northern areas, in addition to the roads leading to Sa'ir and Halhoul towns, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 17 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) raided several neighborhoods in Hebron, set up military checkpoints at the entrances to Sa'ir and Halhoul towns, and at the northern entrance of Hebron, Jouret Helles. (IMEMC 17 August 2019)



- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) erected a checkpoint at the entrance of Wadi al-Shajneh, west of Dura. They stopped vehicles and checked their cards. (IMEMC, 24 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed the Container checkpoint, northeast of Bethlehem, from both sides. The IOA manning the Container checkpoint, that controls the only major road connecting the southern West Bank Governorates of Hebron and Bethlehem to the central and northern West Bank, closed the checkpoint from both sides for no apparent reason, causing heavy traffic congestion. (WAFA 25 August 2019)

### **Erection of Israeli checkpoints during the month of September 2019**

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed roadblocks on roads leading to many towns in Hebron governorate, before stopping and searching many cars and interrogated the residents while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) invaded many neighborhoods in Hebron city, in addition to Yatta and Beit Awwa towns, and installed roadblocks on main roads leading to the northern and southern parts of Hebron city, in addition to Sa'ir and Halhoul towns, before stopping and searching dozens of cars while examining the ID cards of the passengers. (IMEMC 23 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed roadblocks in Hebron's northern roads, and the entrances of Sa'ir Yatta and as-Sammoa' towns, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated many Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

### **Israeli Closures**

#### **Israeli Closures during the month of July 2019**

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) sealed off a road that connected Khirbet Shaab al-Butum to Ma'in village, to the south of Hebron city. The IOA provided protection to a military bulldozer as it proceeded to sealed off the road connecting Shaab al-Butum to Ma'in village, located to the south of Yatta city, with earth mounds. The same road was rehabilitated time and again by the Anti-Wall and Anti-Settlement Committee after being destroyed by Israeli military bulldozers. Khirbet Shaab al-Butum is

among dozens of small communities located in the Masafer Yatta area which rely heavily on animal husbandry as the main source of livelihood. (Wafa 29 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) set up a roadblock at the entrance of al-Lubban al-Sharqiya village, south of Nablus, stopping villagers' vehicles and inspecting passengers ID cards for over three hours. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed the iron gate erected on Wadi Ad Delb road (near Izbet al-Faraj and Kafr Nimah) linking west Ramallah villages with the city itself. Palestinians had to use long and time consuming alternative roads to be able to reach their destinations. (Wafa 29 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) shut down the Jaba checkpoint, northeast of occupied Jerusalem, to the Palestinian traffic, allegedly after a Palestinian driver rammed his car into IOA manning the checkpoint and injured four of them. Israeli media sources claimed that four IOA were injured – three of them lightly and one moderately – in a hit-and-run attack, prompting Israeli army and police to close the checkpoint to the Palestinian traffic and close the entrance to the nearby village of Hizma, under the pretext of tracking the attacking driver. Israeli army banned the entry and exit of Palestinian vehicles to and out of the village following the incident, causing a huge traffic jam as a result. (MEMC 7 July 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) closed two main entrances leading to 'Azzun village east of Qalqilya in the northern West Bank with iron gates, causing severe traffic in the area. The IOA closed the northern entrance of the village which is the main entrance leading to it in addition to closing the western entrance, Izbet al Tabib-Azzun road. (Wafa 16 July 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed, with iron gates, the main northern entrance and the western entrance of Izbet At Tabib village east of Qalqilya city causing traffic crisis in the area. (Wafa 30 July 2019)

### **Israeli Closures during the month of August 2019**

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) installed a metal gate at the entrance connecting between the town of Jabaa' to the southwest of Bethlehem and the town of Surif to the north of Bethlehem, in the southern occupied West

- Bank. The IOA removed the earth mounds that had been closing the entrance for years and installed a metal gate there. (Wafa 5 August 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) installed military roadblocks at the entrances of Sa'ir and Halhoul towns, in addition to Hebron's northern road, before stopping and searching dozens of cars, and interrogated the Palestinians while inspecting their ID cards. (IMEMC 5 August 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation army stormed the town of Sebastia, north of Nablus, and closed the archaeological site to citizens. (MAAN, 5 August 2019)
  - The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) ordered the closure of an agricultural road in Umm Safa village, located to the northwest of Ramallah. Head of Umm Safa Village Council Marwan Sabbah received a notification from Israeli military informing him that an agricultural road that was opened with support from the Palestinian Ministry of Agriculture will be closed. The road, which extends for 2.5 kilometers, is used by local farmers to access their olive orchards which cover an estimated area of 2,000 dunums. (Wafa 12 August 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) closed the main roads to all Palestinian villages west of Ramallah, and reinforced their military presence at the entrances to Ramallah and Al-Bireh. The IOA closed the road to Ein Ayoub, and the entrance to the village of Ras Karkar. The troops invaded Ras Karkar and raided a number of homes and businesses, and detained journalist Hisham Abu Shakra. The IOA stationed themselves at the northern entrance to the city of Ramallah, in the road leading to the village of Sarda, and stopped all vehicles and searched them. In addition, the IOA are stationed at the Ein Sinaia junction north of Ramallah, where they are searching all vehicles entering and leaving the governorate. The IOA also invaded Beitunia village, west of Ramallah. They positioned themselves at the main roundabout in the center of the town and prevented vehicles from going back and forth. (IMEMC 24 August 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) blocked the western entrance to Ramallah city in the West Bank and deployed road barriers, causing a heavy build-up of traffic. The IOA closed the road leading to Palestinian villages in the west of Ramallah and searched passing Palestinian vehicles without allowing them to use the road. The IOF also raided several commercial stores in Palestinian villages in the west of Ramallah and confiscated security camera recordings from them. The IOF intensified its security measures in the West Bank, especially in Ramallah, after one

- female settler was killed and two others were injured last Friday in an attack with an explosive device near the illegal settlement of Dolev. (PALINFO 26 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) closed the Ibrahimi Mosque in al-Khalil city for 24 hours in order to allow Jewish settlers to celebrate a religious event. The IOA closed the Ibrahimi Mosque entirely before Muslim worshippers and allowed scores of Jewish settlers to defile it. The settlers pitched tents in the Mosque's courtyards. (PALINFO 29 August 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) sealed the main entrance to the town of Beit Ummar, to the north of Hebron. The army shut , with a metal gate, the entrance to the town, forcing Palestinians to use longer routes to enter or exit the village. (IMEMC 31 August 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation army (IOA) continues to close the main road near Deir Ibzi village (al-Enab area), which is used daily by some 60,000 Palestinian citizens from areas in western Ramallah. The Israeli closure of this road has forced local residents to travel on rough long routes to reach their destinations. The IOA have been besieging Palestinian villages and towns in western Ramallah and blocking the Ein Bubin-Deir Ibzi road for eight days. (PALINFO 31 August 2019)

### **Israeli Closures during the month of September 2019**

- The Israeli occupation police closed the Burj Alluqluq Social Center Society in the Old City of Jerusalem and detained its manager. The IOA stormed the society, closed its doors and rounded up its manager Muntaser Edkidek. The police also circulated an order banning Jerusalemite families from holding a soccer tournament on the society's playing field. The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) also detained head of the society Naser Ghaith and coordinator of tournaments Alaa Gamjoum in Jerusalem. The decision to close the society and ban its activities was taken by Israeli security minister Gilad Erdan. (PALINFO 1 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) welded shut the door of a Palestinian home in the Old City of al-Khalil. The Israeli Civil Administration, accompanied by IOA, stormed al-Shuhadaa Street and welded shut the main entrance to Sami Zahdeh's house. The house was set on fire about two weeks ago and the IOA prevented the fire crews from entering the

area. The Palestinian residents were forced to make a hole in the wall of one of the neighboring houses to extinguish the fire. The Civil Administration later ordered the family to enter the house from that hole, and told them not to reopen the closed door. (PALINFO 13 September 2019)

- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) will impose a complete closure on the West Bank and Gaza Strip crossings during the Knesset elections. "Based on the security situation evaluation and directives of the political authority, a complete closure will be imposed on the West Bank areas and Gaza Strip crossings," a spokesman for the Israeli army said in a statement. The army explained that the closure would begin at 12:00 a.m. Tuesday and last for 24 hours, pending a situational assessment. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) blocked the entrances to the village of Kifl Hares, near the West Bank town of Salft. The IOA closed the village's main south entrance with a metal gate and banned local Palestinian passengers and drivers from using it. In the meantime, the IOA set up a checkpoint on the west entrance of the village, causing a huge traffic jam for those attempting to enter or leave the village. No reason was given to these acts. (Wafa 22 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation police closed all the gates and entrances of the Aqsa Mosque and barred Muslim worshipers from entering it following an alleged stabbing incident in the Old City of Jerusalem. However, the Mosque was reopened a few hours later. (PLAINFO 27 September 2019)
- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) closed the Ibrahimi Mosque to all Muslim worshipers, to allow groups of Israeli settlers to visit it during the Jewish New Year. The closure is for 24 hours, starting at ten on Sunday night. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities have imposed a strict siege on the occupied West Bank and the Gaza Strip, starting on Saturday night at midnight and ending on Tuesday night at midnight, during the celebration of the Jewish New Year (Rosh Hashana). All of the border crossings leading to the West Bank and the besieged Gaza Strip have been closed, while the Israeli army has also imposed many roadblocks across the occupied West Bank. In addition, the Israeli police deployed more units in occupied Jerusalem, especially on roads and alleys leading to the Al-Aqsa Mosque, preventing dozens of Palestinians, especially young men, from entering the holy site. The restrictions on entry into Al-Aqsa include Palestinian men with Israeli citizenship, while a few women were

allowed into the holy site after the soldiers and the police held their ID cards as a precondition of entry, to collect them once they leave. The severe restrictions on the entry into the Al-Aqsa Mosque and its surrounding are taking place as Israeli settler leaders and Israeli officials are calling for massive provocative tours into the holy site, to celebrate the Jewish new year. (IMEMC 30 September 2019)

## The Israeli Segregation Wall

### The Israeli Segregation Wall during the month of August 2019

- The Israeli occupation authority (IOA) has decided to build a new concrete wall around all areas in the northeast of the Gaza Strip. According to Israel's Channel 12, the wall is intended to prevent any infiltration attempt by Palestinians on Israel's southern border with Gaza. The wall will be built along Road 34, which is located near Sderot settlement and agricultural settlements. (IMEMC 13 August 2019)

## Related News

### Related News during the month of July 2019

- There is a bitter irony to the White House's newly released economic development plan for the Occupied Palestinian Territory. Titled "Peace to Prosperity," the plan was devised by Jared Kushner, Donald Trump's son-in-law and senior adviser, along with David Freedman, the U.S. ambassador to Israel, and Jason D. Greenblatt, a special envoy for international negotiations. It seeks to raise \$50 billion, mostly from Arab countries, around half of which would be used to develop the Palestinian economy, while the rest would go to Palestinians living in Egypt, Jordan, and Lebanon. But the plan avoids addressing key obstacles to economic development: the closure of Gaza and, in the West Bank, Israeli settlements, which are illegal under international humanitarian law, and a two-tiered discriminatory system that treats Palestinians and the settlers separately and unequally. The lack of economic growth is not just a byproduct of these abuses, but the result of deliberate Israeli policies. When Israel occupied the West Bank and Gaza in 1967, it cut the territories off from their previous trading partners. In 1968, Moshe Dayan, then the Israeli defense minister, said "[W]e can create economic

integration... We should connect the two [Palestinian and Israeli] entities, if we, on our part and for ourselves, do not want to sever connections with these areas." But integration did not connote equality. On the contrary, Israel has continued to expand settlements and further entrench its discriminatory system against Palestinians, even when Israel partly reversed integration after 1994, following the Oslo Accords. Over the past five decades, Israel has used its control over Palestine's borders, land, and water to build lush residential communities for more than 600,000 Israeli settlers and 19 industrial zones, in violation of the laws of occupation, while severely limiting Palestinians' access to their own natural resources and the permits needed to develop them. In 1987, Ariel Sharon, who was then the industry and trade minister, told the Knesset that his policy is to "strictly examine" requests by Palestinians to build factories, and "comprehensively take into account Israeli industries, the needs of the Israeli market, and the potential for export." He added that the threat of Palestinian competition "mandates the establishment of [Israeli settlement] industry." As a practical matter, this has meant, for example, that the Israeli government grants its citizens and foreigners permits to build factories in the West Bank on land it has unlawfully seized – often awarding generous subsidies to encourage investment – while systematically denying such permits to Palestinians, even for land they own. This inverts Israel's international law obligations, discriminating against the people for whose benefit the occupying country is required to administer the territories and privileging those whom the laws of occupation prohibit from living there in the first place. The case of West Bank stone quarries illustrates how Israel's discriminatory restrictions cost the Palestinian economy \$241 million annually, according to the World Bank. Israel licenses 11 settlement-operated quarries in the West Bank, which supply around one quarter of its gravel market, despite this exploitation of resources in occupied territory violating international humanitarian law. One of these quarries is owned by Hanson, a subsidiary of Germany-based Heidelberg Cement. Israel's Civil Administration granted the Heidelberg subsidiary a permit to quarry on land that it seized from the Palestinian village of Zawiyeh. The ease with which these settlement quarries operate contrasts with Israel's virtual ban on issuing Palestinian permits for quarries for the last three decades. Israeli authorities, for example, stopped renewing permits for quarries around Beit Fajar, a town of about 13,500 10 kilometers south of Bethlehem. In 2010, 80 percent of the town's jobs were in the stone

industry spread among 150 stone workshops and 40 quarries. But in recent years, the authorities stopped renewing permits for the few quarries they had allowed to continue operating. Quarry owners who continue to operate often face hefty fines and the confiscation of expensive equipment, in addition to difficulties transporting their product due to delays at the hundreds of checkpoints and road obstacles scattered across the West Bank. Many Palestinian industries have a similar story. Israeli policies stunt their development, while helping unlawful settlement industries to thrive. According to the World Bank, Israeli restrictions in Area C of the West Bank, the area under exclusive Israeli security control, cost the Palestinian economy \$3.4 billion per year. If the White House wants to bring peace through prosperity, it should press Israel to end its unlawful and discriminatory policies that are helping to strangle the Palestinian economy. ([HRW](#) 3 July 2019)

- Four years ago, historian Tamar Novick was jolted by a document she found in the file of Yosef Vashitz, from the Arab Department of the left-wing Mapam Party, in the Yad Yaari archive at Givat Haviva. The document, which seemed to describe events that took place during the 1948 war, began: “Safsaf [former Palestinian village near Safed] – 52 men were caught, tied them to one another, dug a pit and shot them. 10 were still twitching. Women came, begged for mercy. Found bodies of 6 elderly men. There were 61 bodies. 3 cases of rape, one east of from Safed, girl of 14, 4 men shot and killed. From one they cut off his fingers with a knife to take the ring.” The writer goes on to describe additional massacres, looting and abuse perpetrated by Israeli forces in Israel’s War of Independence. “There’s no name on the document and it’s not clear who’s behind it,” Dr. Novick tells Haaretz. “It also breaks off in the middle. I found it very disturbing. I knew that finding a document like this made me responsible for clarifying what happened. For more information, click here ([Haaretz](#) 5 July 2019)
- The number of detainees, held under arbitrary Administrative Detention orders without charges of trial, and are holding hunger strikes in Israeli prisons is now seven, after six other detainees suspended their strike upon reaching agreements with the Israeli Prison Service. Ja’far Ibrahim Ezzeddin, 48, from the northern West Bank city of Jenin, is ongoing with the hunger strike since June 16<sup>th</sup>. Ezzeddin spent a total of 5 years in Israeli prisons, mainly under Administrative Detention orders, and his most recent abduction was on January 30<sup>th</sup>, 2019. Detainee Ihsan Mahmoud Othman, 21, from Ramallah in central West Bank, was detained on



September 13<sup>th</sup>, 2018, before being slapped with an Administrative Detention order for six months, and the order was renewed for additional six months. The third detainee in Ahmad Omar Zahran, 25, from Deir Abu Mashal village, near Ramallah, started the hunger strike on June 26<sup>th</sup> after his Administrative Detention orders were renewed twice. In addition, three detainees, held in the Negev Detention Camp, have started the hunger strike on July 3<sup>rd</sup>, also protesting their arbitrary Administrative Detention orders. The first detainee is Mohammad Nidal Abu 'Aker, 22, from Bethlehem; he was abducted on November 11<sup>th</sup>, 2018, and was slapped with an Administrative Detention order which was renewed twice. The second detainee is Mustafa al-Hasanat from Bethlehem; he is a former political prisoner who was abducted on June 5<sup>th</sup>, 2018 and was slapped with an Administrative Detention order for six months, and the order was renewed three times. The third detainee is Hotheifa Bader Khalifa, 33, from Abu Dis town, east of occupied Jerusalem; he is a former political prisoner who was detained on May 18, 2018 and placed under Administrative Detention orders, which were renewed twice. Furthermore, detainee Fadi Yousef al-Hroub, from Hebron, started his strike a week ago after he received an Administrative Detention order instantly after his 14-month prison sentence was concluded. (IMEMC 6 July 2019)

- Far-right Israeli faction Otzma Yehudit (Jewish Power) has launched its election campaign by calling for the expulsion of Palestinians to what he described as their “countries of origin”. Otzma Yehudit launched its campaign in Jerusalem yesterday, ahead of Israel’s general election, which will be held on September 17 after Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu failed to form a ruling coalition, following his re-election on April 9. Party head Michael Ben Ari told the audience that, “we want to resettle our enemies in their countries [...] we’ll give them a bottle of mineral water and even a sandwich. We’ll find them countries of origin they can go to.” Otzma Yehudit has a history of anti-Palestinian incitement, and had previously called for the expulsion of Palestinians from both Israel and the West Bank. Its members are followers of extremist rabbi Meir Kahane, whose Kach party was banned from the Knesset in the 1980s. Kahane’s ideology also inspired Baruch Goldstein’s 1994 massacre at Hebron’s Ibrahimi Mosque, which left 29 Muslim worshippers dead and scores wounded. In March, Wafa further reports, Israel’s Central Elections Committee mulled barring Otzma Yehudit from contesting April’s election due to its anti-Palestinian rhetoric, with the

Supreme Court eventually deciding only to ban Ben Ari from the list of candidates. The party head slammed this decision at yesterday's campaign launch, saying "they told us this [rhetoric] is racist [...] they said they disqualified me for this". (IMEMC 6 July 2019)

- The Israeli occupation Army (IOA) continue to impose a stifling maritime siege on the Gaza Strip that is hampering Palestinian maritime activities, particularly for Palestinian fishermen whose fishing activities are limited to an area between three to six nautical miles off the coast of the Gaza Strip, depending on Israeli authorities' alternating decisions. Palestinian fishermen have been struggling due to the constantly diminishing fishing zone since October of 2000, when they were prohibited from reaching the 20 nautical miles limit – agreed upon under the Oslo Accords between Israel and the Palestine Liberation Organization, in 1993. Israeli authorities imposed a new limit of 12 nautical miles, then lowered it to six and even three nautical miles, at times. (IMEMC, WAFA 10 July 2019) ([HAATETZ](#), WAFA, 10 July, 2019)
- At West Bank Event, Netanyahu Promises No More Settlers, Arabs Will Be Evicted. ([Haaretz](#) 10 July 2019)
- TripAdvisor has stood firm in its refusal to delist Jewish properties or businesses in the Judea and Samaria, even though it lists settlements like Efrat and Ariel in the Palestinian Territories. But in a statement TripAdvisor it didn't believe in withholding travel information from users. "We aim to provide travelers with an apolitical, accurate and useful picture of all accommodations, restaurants and attractions that are currently open for business around the world," said Brian Hoyt who is senior director, of TripAdvisor's corporate communications . Property or business listings on TripAdvisor "does not represent our endorsement of that establishment," he added. "We provide the listing as a platform for guests to share their genuine experiences with other travelers. As such, we do not remove listings of properties or businesses that remain active and open for business," Hoyt said. ([IPOST](#) 10 July 2019)
- On the occasion of the International Population Day 11/7/2019 Based on estimates prepared by PCBS There are about 13 million Palestinians in the world, of whom about 5 million in the State of Palestine in mid-2019; 2.53 million males and 2.45 million females. The estimated population of the West Bank was 2.99 million of which 1.53 million males and 1.46 million females. While the estimated population of Gaza Strip was 1.99 million of

which 1.01 million males and 980 thousand females. For more information, click here ([PCBS](#) 11 July 2019)

- Lack of Space in East Jerusalem Cemeteries Leads to Morbid New Habit. ([Haaretz](#) 11 July 2019)
- Palestinians Report Hundreds of Olive Trees Destroyed in West Bank Overnight. ([Haaretz](#) 11 July 2019)
- Israel has no intention of evacuating any of the West Bank settlements in any peace plan, Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said Wednesday night during a celebratory event marking the 40th anniversary of the Samaria Regional Council. ([IPOST](#) 11 July 2019)
- Why is the Jordan Valley so important to Israel? ([Al Monitor](#) 11 July 2019)
- Israel is preventing international academics from working at Palestinian universities in the West Bank and Gaza. Half of the international lectures in Palestinian universities – 32 out of 64 – had been impacted by visa restrictions. This included rejections and extensions of visa applications. Many of those targeted were Palestinians with foreign passports from countries such as the Netherlands, France, Germany, India, Jordan, the United States and European Union members states. ([IPOST](#) 12 July 2019)
- As long as some American and Israeli leaders continue to support the “two-state solution” (TSS) and oppose annexation or incorporation of Area C, the Palestinians (and their supporters) will continue to believe that they will win. This is because the Palestinians present themselves not only as a geographic and demographic entity but, more important, as an ideology: Palestinianism. This is what the late Robert Wistrich explained in one of his last lectures to the World Jewish Congress. Arab Palestinians cannot and will not abandon their *raison d’etre*, which is the “liberation of Palestine.” This explains why they “never miss an opportunity to miss an opportunity” to resolve the struggle. It is, for them, existential. It’s in the PLO and Hamas charters. It is a fundamental value, and it is the basis of their policy and strategy to defeat and destroy Israel. FOR MORE INFORMATION ([Haaretz](#), [IPOST](#), 13 July, 2019)
- Anyvision Interactive Technologies is one of Israel’s most curious startups. It has shown extraordinary growth, and its technology is being used by the army to monitor West Bank Palestinians at checkpoints on the way into Israel – while using a network of cameras deep inside the West Bank. ([HAARETZ](#), 15 July, 2019)
- Due to what is being termed a “disagreement” between the Finance Ministry and the Defense Ministry, some NIS 65 million in security

- funding has not yet been transferred to communities in Judea and Samaria, according to Binyamin Regional Council chairman Yisrael Ganz. The missing funds, first revealed by Israel Hayom, is a portion of the NIS 85 million committed to the settlements, which would go to cover such protective devices as security cameras, improved fencing, lights, security trucks and other items. ([IPOST](#), 15 July, 2019)
- The Israel Occupation Army (IOA) detained 2759 Palestinians during the first six months of this year, including 446 minors and 76 women. The number of Palestinian political prisoners incarcerated in Israeli jails until June 30 was 5500, including 43 women and 220 minors, while the number of Palestinians held in administrative detention without charge or trial was around 500. (Wafa 15 July 2019)
  - The Israeli occupation army (IOA) has suspended a plan to seize 29 dunams (about 7 acres) of land owned by individual Palestinians near the Gilboa crossing point on the northern border of the West Bank after the owners of the land challenged the move in the High Court of Justice. The army announced on Thursday that it is looking at other alternatives, and while it examines the options, it will not carry out a seizure order issue on the land in question in October. One of the landowners of the risked lands, Alaa Mahagna, said that the case teaches how casually the military commander wields his authority to expropriate land for “security purposes.” ([HAARETZ](#), 15 July, 2019)
  - A legislation passed by the US Congress in 1997 limits the quality and availability of aerial photography of Palestine-Israel. The Kyl-Bingaman Amendment (KBA) to the US National Defense Authorization Act was passed under the pretext of protecting Israel’s national security. It prevents US satellite operators and retailers from selling or disseminating images of Palestine-Israel at a resolution higher than that available on the non-US market. The amendment’s interpretation has been confusing and contradictory in terms of meaning, geographical scope, and legal implications. Its result has been over two decades of limited access to clear aerial photography of Palestine-Israel. (IMEMC 22 July 2019)
  - After failing to deport him to Jordan, Israeli authorities returned an Anadolu Agency photojournalist to a detention center, where he has been detained for six months. Israel had tried since Sunday evening to deport Mustafa Kharouf, 32, to Jordan, but Jordan’s firm opposition prevented this. Kharouf will face an Israeli court on Aug. 8. (IMEMC 23 July 2019)
  - Settlers leaders are constantly demanding that Israeli law be applied to West Bank settlements, a move that would effectively establish Israeli

sovereignty. However, when the application of Israeli law threatens to cost them millions of shekels, their tune suddenly changes. This is exactly what happened in a suit that was brought before the High Court of Justice over the issue of collecting “banned fees” from those homes in one of the new neighborhoods under the jurisdiction of the Hebron Hills Regional Council. The suit, which was filed by 26 people from the Eshkolot settlement, revealed that the practice of community associations requiring fees as a condition for new residents applying to the admissions committee is still alive and well in West Bank settlements. It was widespread inside the Green Line, too, but the government put a stop to it years ago. The plaintiffs asked the court to order the World Zionist Organization, the Custodian for Government and Abandoned Property in the West Bank and the attorney general to impose the same rules in Judea and Samaria as it does inside the Green Line. The Israel Lands Authority spent years cracking down on the practice of collecting the fees from people seeking permission to build homes in existing communities. Today, the ILA, the government body that owns nearly all the land in Israel, bars charges above and beyond the cost of providing infrastructure to new neighborhoods. To prevent local officials from inflating those costs, they are required to post on the ILA website to the public their estimate of maximum infrastructure costs related to the new construction after discounting for any government subsidies they will be getting. The ILA has access to all the relevant documentation to verify it, and it will take legal action against local authorities and community councils that abuse the system. Violators can lose control of the land being sold for housing to the ILA, which then conducts its own sales of the land. In the case of Eshkolot, the settlement was founded in 1982 by a Nahal group and until two years ago numbered about 70 families. Since then 64 new families have joined the settlement in a newly constructed neighborhood. When it came to construction, Eshkolot has operated by its own rules. The Construction and Housing Ministry gave it permission in 2014 to collect infrastructure-development costs not exceeding 230,400 shekels (\$65,200 at current exchange rates) per lot. But the Eshkolot community association, through Azorim, the company developing the site, collected more than 400,000 shekels each from more than 60 families and denied them the option of getting government subsidies. Many of those families asked the High Court to order officials to pay back a combined 6 million shekels they assert was collected from them illegally. More than that, they want the ILA to enforce the same policies on fees that apply inside Israel’s pre-

1967 border. In other words, the same law should be applied to Israeli citizens no matter which side of the Green Line they live on. So far, so good, as far as settler logic goes. But the surprise is that the WZO, the Hebron Hills Regional Council as well as the Eshkolot community association are arguing before the court that the rule on fees should not apply to Judea and Samaria. The Hebron Hills Regional Council's stand is particularly surprising because like other settler regional councils, it has been insistently calling for Israeli law to be applied in the settlements. Against this, the government is arguing that the rule applies to the settlements because it is a policy of the government's Custodian for Government and Abandoned Property. What applies inside the Green Line, applies outside it and to Eshkolot. There are legal nuances involved here. The state says Israeli law doesn't apply directly to the West Bank but does apply to the Custodian for Government and Abandoned Property because it is an arm of the government. Justices Isaac Amit, Ofer Grosskopf and David Mintz accepted the state's position in a ruling made in the last several days and said the WZO may no longer transfer land rights without getting explicit declarations from all those involved that no fees in excess of development costs will be collected from home buyers. If any of the authorities are found in violation, the WZO can take over the land sales and sell lots directly to home buyers without any say by the local association. This is just the tip of the iceberg. The practice of collecting the banned fees is widespread throughout West Bank settlements. It seems likely now that a flurry of new lawsuits will be filed. The result might not end the practice of community associations enriching themselves from the sale of state lands, but bring a sharp reduction in the price of land in the settlements. ([Haaretz](#) 23 July 2019)

- The Israeli High Court of Justice, is set to defend its decision to deport Human Rights Watch Director for Israel and Palestine, Omar Shakir, for supporting the Boycott, Divestment, and Sanctions (BDS) movement, reported. On May 7, 2018, the Israeli interior minister revoked Shakir's work visa and ordered him to leave the country, citing a dossier compiled by Israel's Strategic Affairs and Public Diplomacy Ministry, on the activities of the Human Rights Watch's Israel and Palestine Director. The interior minister based his decision on the government-compiled dossier on Shakir's activism dating more than a decade before he began covering Israel and Palestine for Human Rights Watch. HRW and Shakir, filed a lawsuit in May 2018, challenging the government's decision to revoke Shakir's work permit and the

constitutionality of a 2017 law barring entry to Israel for people who advocate so-called boycotts of Israel or Israeli settlements. ([Haaretz](#), IMEMC 24 July 2019)

- The Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) intercepted A European delegation, whose members come from several European countries, at al-Ras al-Ahmar area in the northern Jordan Valley and attempted to block its advancement to the area communities. The delegation was invited by the Israeli rights organization, B'Tselem, to get a firsthand look at the situation of the Palestinian communities in the Jordan Valley who are constantly harassed by the Israeli army. (Wafa 24 July 2019)
- The US blocked an attempt to get the United Nations Security Council to issue a formal statement condemning Israel's demolitions of Palestinian homes Sur Baher neighborhood, southeast of Jerusalem, earlier this week. The draft statement, circulated by Kuwait, Indonesia and South Africa to the 15-member council, expressed "grave concern" and warned that the demolition "undermines the viability of the two-state solution and the prospect for just and lasting peace," as quoted in a Reuters [report](#). According to Reuters, diplomats said that the US told its counterparts in the UNSC that it could not support the draft text. A revised three paragraph draft statement was circulated, but rejected again by the US. Israel recently commenced the demolition of 16 buildings, which comprise of 100 apartments, in Wadi al-Hummus. The Israeli high court has approved the demolition of the buildings, thus upholding military allegations that the buildings are "close to the Annexation Wall" and "pose a security threat" due to their proximity to the illegal wall. Palestinian appeals to demolition orders are frequently dismissed by Israeli courts, which are in fact complicit in perpetuating the Israeli policies of forcible transfer and ethnic cleansing of Palestinians. The buildings are located in Area A, supposedly under the full jurisdiction of the Palestinian Authority as per the Oslo Accords. The demolition is expected to have a disastrous effect on all other areas of the West Bank adjacent to Israel's wall, putting these areas at a high risk of mass demolitions under security pretenses and putting the lives of Palestinians living in such areas at the risk of imminent forcible transfer. (Israelhayom, Reuters, IMEMC 25 July 2019)
- The President of the Palestinian Authority, Mahmoud Abbas, announced the suspension of all agreements and accords signed with Israel, citing the demolition this week of 70 Palestinian homes in Sur Baher, an area that is



supposed to be under full Palestinian control according to the signed agreements. Abbas also cited the pressure put on him to accede to the Kushner Plan, called by Kushner and Trump a so-called 'deal of the century', which would force the Palestinians to give up their right to self-determination on their own land. In his statement, Abbas also called for reconciliation between the Palestinian political factions to form a united front against the Israeli military occupation. He said the suspension will take effect by Friday. ([ISRAELHAYOM](https://www.israelhayom.com), IMEMC 26 July 2019)

- For the first time ever, the Israeli government is preparing an official initiative to relocate and open foreign embassies in Jerusalem. Foreign Minister Yisrael Katz will soon present his proposal to the cabinet to designate the transfer of embassies to Jerusalem as a "national, diplomatic and strategic objective of the highest order." To realize the goal, Katz has formulated an incentives package aimed at encouraging countries to move their official embassies to the Israeli capital. When Katz began his tenure as foreign minister in February 2019, he learned there were countries that agree in principle to open their embassies in Jerusalem but seek reciprocal measures from Israel in exchange. For example, Honduras and El Salvador have agreed to open embassies in Jerusalem but want Israel to open full diplomatic missions in their respective capitals in return – a move which hasn't been forthcoming on Israel's part. Other countries have requested developmental and economic aid from Israel, while also hoping such a move would open doors in the United States and have even asked Israel to help pay for the relocation to Jerusalem. In these cases, too, there has been little to no Israeli follow-up, which has stalled progress on the matter. In his upcoming presentation to the government, Katz will propose giving countries willing to move their embassies to Jerusalem an aid package worth NIS 50 million (around \$14.2 million). Because Israel is preparing for another general election, scheduled for September 17, Katz's proposal pertains to the 2020 national budget. However, according to his proposal, he would have the authority to divert resources from the current budget to facilitate such an embassy move. The funds would be earmarked to help finance the relocation or launch of a new embassy, or transfer the ambassador's residence to Jerusalem; locate and designate suitable real estate; help the Jerusalem Municipality, local authorities and relevant bodies make the proper accommodations; and provide cooperation and other aid to the relevant country in accordance with the



circumstances. A steering committee headed by Foreign Ministry Director-General Yuval Rotem will decide how the aid packages are allocated among the countries. 'The most important objective': Ever since US President Donald Trump's recognition of Jerusalem as the capital of Israel in May 2018, only Guatemala has joined the Americans in relocating their embassy to the city. Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu has raised the embassy issue in various diplomatic gatherings with foreign leaders, as has Deputy Foreign Minister Tzipi Hotovely on visits to numerous European countries. Speaking to Israel Hayom Katz said, "There is nothing more expressive of our return to Zion and the success of Zionism than strengthening the sovereignty of Israel and the Jewish people in Jerusalem. Bolstering Jerusalem's status in the world is the most important objective I've set for myself as foreign minister. Jerusalem was and always will be the beating heart of the Jewish nation." ([ISRAELYAHOM](#) 28 July 2019)

- Over three decades, in tandem with the Madrid and Oslo negotiation processes, the occupied Gaza Strip has been slowly isolated from the rest of Palestine and the outside world, and subjected to repeated Israeli military incursions. These incursions intensified from September 2003 to the fall of 2014, during which Israel launched at least 24 separate military operations targeting Gaza, giving shape to its surrounding borders today. The borders around Gaza—one of the most densely-populated areas on Earth—continue to be hardened and heightened into a sophisticated system of under- and over ground fences, forts, and surveillance technologies. Part of this system has been the production of an enforced and expanding military no-go area—or 'buffer zone'—on the Palestinian side of the border. Since 2014, the clearing and bulldozing of agricultural and residential lands by the Israel military along the eastern border of Gaza has been complemented by the unannounced aerial spraying of crop-killing herbicides. This ongoing practice has not only destroyed entire swaths of formerly arable land along the border fence, but also crops and farmlands hundreds of metres deep into Palestinian territory, resulting in the loss of livelihoods for Gazan farmers. For more information, [click here](#). (IMEMC 29 July 2019)
- It's just after 6 a.m. and a Palestinian man's face is momentarily bathed in crimson light, not by the sun rising over the mountains of Jordan, but by a facial recognition scanner at an Israeli checkpoint near Jerusalem. The Israeli military has installed the face scanners as part a multimillion dollar

upgrade of the Qalandia crossing that now allows Palestinians from the West Bank with work permits to zip through with relative ease. But while the high-tech upgrades may have eased entry for Palestinians going to Israel for work, critics say they are a sign of the ossification of Israel's 52-year occupation of the West Bank and slam the military's use of facial recognition technology as problematic. Qalandia is one of the main crossings for the thousands of Palestinians who enter Israel each day for a variety of reasons, including work, medical appointments or family visits. Among Palestinians, the heavily fortified crossing is seen as a symbol of Israeli occupation and has long been notorious as a human logjam, where workers would wait for as much as two hours in order to pass into Israeli-controlled Jerusalem. Palestinian laborers from around the West Bank who had permits to work in Israel would wake up in the middle of the night to arrive at the crossing before daybreak. Metal fenced entryways were often packed with people before dawn, waiting for the gates to open. Human rights groups deplored the conditions at Qalandia. Israel's Defense Ministry poured over \$85 million into upgrading Qalandia and several other major checkpoints between Israel and the West Bank in recent years -- part of a strategy it says is meant to maintain calm by improving conditions for Palestinians. Thanks to the upgrades, crossing through Qalandia takes roughly 10 minutes, even during the early morning rush hour, and has the feel of an airport terminal. While much of the rest of Jerusalem is still asleep, hundreds of Palestinian laborers stream through each morning on foot or riding bikes, buses and cars into Israel for work. Jamal Osta, a 60-year-old from the northern West Bank city of Nablus, works as a blacksmith in an industrial park in east Jerusalem not far from Qalandia. The new system is substantially better but is another indication that Israel's occupation has no end in sight, he said. The Palestinians seek the West Bank as the heartland of a future state, with east Jerusalem as their capital. "Qalandia today looks like an international crossing. You feel like you are entering a new country," Osta said. "This is not an interim thing, apparently it's final." COGAT, the Israeli military body responsible for civilian affairs in the West Bank, granted over 83,000 permits to West Bank Palestinians to work in Israel in June. Many Palestinians seek employment in Israel, where there are more jobs and much higher wages than in the West Bank. On a given day, an estimated 8,000 cross at the Qalandia crossing alone. In exchange for this benefit, however, Palestinians seeking work in Israel must receive biometric identification cards, the only way to pass through Qalandia,

according to Israel's Civil Administration, which manages the crossing. After passing through a security check -- a metal detector and baggage scanner -- the workers place their magnetic ID cards on a scanner and face a camera. A glow of red light emanates from a display as facial recognition software confirms the permit holder's identity and opens a turnstile. A recent report by Israeli business paper TheMarker stated that the Israeli military uses technology provided by AnyVision, an Israeli facial recognition start-up, at West Bank checkpoints, and in cameras dotting the Palestinian territories. The cameras and database are being used to identify and track potential Palestinian assailants, the report said. AnyVision did not respond to requests for comment. COGAT confirmed the use of facial recognition technology at the crossing, but declined to discuss the details of the biometric database or say whether the data is used beyond the crossings. The Defense Ministry, the army and the Shin Bet internal security agency also declined comment. B'Tselem, an Israeli human rights group, said it was unacceptable that the Palestinian laborers have no ability to object to the use of facial recognition technology. Roy Yellin, a spokesman for the group, called the company's development of its product through "unwilling subjects" immoral. For Najah al-Mahseri, 62, from a town near Ramallah, giving the Israeli military his biometric data was a fair trade for a steady job in Israel. "I have no problem at all. This is my life and if I want to work here, I have to follow the rules and I have no problem doing that," Mahseri said. "This is the life Palestinian workers in Israel live." ([YNETNEWS](#) 29 July 2019)

- Happy are the Filipinas whose risk of deportation from Israel has awakened Israelis with consciences, who understand that dry regulations and laws are not the only guide to a worthy life. Happy are the small Filipinos born in Israel, whose Israeli friends are immune from the brainwashing of a "state for Jews only," and are demonstrating and interviewed against the deportation. Israel has created ten methods of deportation. One of them it has reserved for labor migrants and African refugees fleeing war and famine, while the rest have been assigned to the native Palestinians – children, grandchildren and great-grandchildren of people who were born here. Most of the Israeli public views these methods as justified and supports – even if only by remaining silent – their continued implementation. We, the minority, scream against it inside a bell jar. There is the expulsion of people and chasing them out of the country, there is the forced displacement from homes and villages to enclaves of Area A, there is expulsion to the **Error! Hyperlink reference**

**not valid.** and turning it into a penal colony, expulsion from Jerusalem to the West Bank and from agricultural land that provided a living for the family for hundreds of years. Official Israel is careful not to declare that its intention is to empty the land of its Palestinian natives. It has always relied on laws, regulations and military orders – seemingly respectable and proper – with a stamp of approval from the High Court of Justice. It has revealed great talent to ignore the principle of equality and the political, social and geographic contexts of its forced rule over another people. (For example: Why do they not grant building permits to Palestinians in the places they have lived for decades and centuries? Because the law states that only a detailed master plan allows the granting of building permits. So why don't they prepare a master plan for the Palestinian community? The clerks of the IDF's Civil Administration in the West Bank, or those of Jerusalem city hall or the Galilee and Triangle areas shrug and remain silent, and the honorable justices of the High Court of Justice do not ask difficult questions. They only know that the house does not have a permit – so its fate is to be demolished. There is expulsion by virtue of the Israeli control over the Palestinian Population Registry, which turns Palestinians into permanent residents by the grace of Israel's bad intentions. Until 1994, Israel revoked the residency status of hundreds of thousands of Palestinians in the West Bank (including East Jerusalem) and in the Gaza Strip if they resided overseas for a long period, or were not here during the 1967 census. The Oslo Accords, in one of its rare positive sections, annulled this liberty of the occupier to revoke Palestinian residency, but not that of the Jerusalemites. But the liberty of Israel to determine who and how many of the 1967 and 1948 deportees could return to the West Bank enclaves was not annulled. The mechanism of "family reunification" – which has been recognized as one the ways of restoring residency status – was always too slow, and since 2000 it has in practice been frozen in the West Bank and the Gaza Strip. In Jerusalem it is subject to the whims, foot-dragging and cold-heartedness of the Interior Ministry. And at any moment the Shin Bet and the Interior Ministry can revoke the residency status of a Jerusalem resident for "security reasons" and deport them to the moon. There is expulsion by drying people out. Israel controls the water sources. It sets low water quotas for the natives. Agriculture for Jews is expanding in the West Bank, while the water for the Palestinians – for drinking and agriculture – is shrinking. In the summer months hundreds of thousands are dependent on water supplied in water tankers (because there is no water in the taps) and pay 10 times as

much for it. The Gaza Strip is cut off from the water in the rest of the country, as if it were an isolated island. Ninety-five percent of its water is unfit for drinking. Not everyone can bear this for a long time. There is expulsion by the banning of construction and connecting to infrastructure and by constant demolitions, blocking access to springs and grazing land, in what is called Area C, which covers most of the West Bank. Not everyone can bear it for a long time. People move to live in the Palestinian enclaves. Israel's control in Area C (while embedding and perpetuating the situation that was supposed to be temporary, according to the Oslo Accords) is one of the main reasons for the deterioration of the Palestinian economy (de-development is the excellent term coined by economist Sara Roy): The absence of an economic horizon is a means for causing masses of young people to leave the country. Evil is also the work of vicious people: Wherever the state and the Civil Administration do not succeed, the settlers intervene. The army punishes the Palestinians for the settlers' violence, and prevents the former from accessing their land to "prevent friction." This is how our observant, frum youth take over more and more Palestinian land. The ban on movement of the residents of the Gaza Strip is not just the imprisonment of two million people. It is their expulsion from our minds and the slaughter of creativity, ability to make a living, to study and heal the sick. In contravention of the Oslo Accords, Israel defines Gaza-born residents who managed to reach the West Bank and stay there as illegal. To avoid deportation, they imprison themselves in their hometown in the West Bank. It's no surprise that young Palestinians are trying to leave the country: expulsion in the guise of leaving of one's own free will. And there is mass expulsion during wartime, whose peak was brought on by the 1948 war. Therefore, our messianic right – mildly religious, Orthodox nationalist and secular – dissatisfied with the creeping expulsion of Palestinians that the government is carrying out all the time – loves wars, looks forward to them and instigates them. ([Haaretz](#) 30 July 2019)

- The Israeli cabinet's decision to approve construction permits for Palestinians in the West Bank is part of a policy shift intended to push out the Palestinian Authority's involvement in planning and construction in the territories, sources familiar with the details told Haaretz. The cabinet's decision is concurrent with mounting legal and international criticism of Israel's policy, according to which Israel demolishes Palestinian buildings and neighborhoods in Area C while preventing any natural growth for its residents. Transportation Minister and Union of Right-Wing Parties

MK Bezael Smotrich confirmed that the move is part of a plan to extend Israeli sovereignty in the West Bank. In a Facebook post, he wrote that the central goal of his political career is "to prevent the establishment of an Arab terror state in the heart of Israel, to protect all of our Land of Israel and develop settlement and sovereignty in all its spaces." After criticizing 10 years of Israeli "abandonment and lawlessness" and Palestinian building in Area C, Smotrich wrote, "Now, finally, thank God, comes the twist in the Israeli government's approach to the spread of the terrorist cancer within us ... Israel is forming a strategic plan to stop the creation of a Palestinian state inside the country." According to Smotrich, Israel's strategic plan includes forbidding Palestinians who have moved to towns and villages designated Area C after the 1994 Oslo Accords to build in the area, and "original residents" may only build in places "that do not harm settlements and Israel's security and would not create [Palestinian] continuity or create a situation of a de facto Palestinian state." He added that these locations would serve the "strategic interests of the state of Israel" and not the "national interests of Arabs." He said that Israel is creating a "toolbox" for "enforcement and forceful neutralization of the Palestinian takeover plan." ([Haaretz](#) 31 July 2019)

## Related News during the month of August 2019

- The Palestinian Authority has for the first time announced its intent to grant building permits in parts of the West Bank known as Area C, which is under full Israeli civilian and security control. The Oslo Accords divided the West Bank into three distinct regions: Area A, which is fully controlled by the PA; Area B, which is under PA civil administration and Israeli military control; and Area C, comprising approximately 60 percent of the entire territory. Last month, Palestinian President Mahmoud Abbas announced the suspension of all agreements previously signed with Israel, just a few days after IDF forces demolished several Palestinian buildings in an East Jerusalem neighborhood that spilled over into Area A. Ahmed Ghoneim, the PA's deputy minister of local government – which is tasked with urban planning, including the issuance of construction permits – said that the latest move effectively extends the PA's jurisdiction in the West Bank. "We are implementing the decision (to cut ties with Israel)," Ghoneim said. "On the order of President Abbas, a committee has been formed to develop mechanisms to follow through." He added that the Ramallah-based PA was merely acting in accordance with the 1993 Oslo Accords, which called for the transfer to the Palestinians of the vast

- majority of the West Bank 18 months after elections for the Palestinian Legislative Council, or parliament. The elections were held in 1996. "From a political point of view, the terms 'A,' 'B' and 'C' no longer exist to us," Ghoneim stressed, adding that "from a professional and technical perspective, we will apply planning policies in Palestine at three levels: national, regional and local." ([YNETNEWS](#) 5 August 2019)
- Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu pledged to secure US support to place West Bank settlements within Israel's sovereign borders in any US-led peace deal with the Palestinians. He spoke in advance of the arrival in Israel of Trump administration envoy Jared Kushner, who is spearheading that plan. "No settlement or settler will ever be uprooted from here," Netanyahu said, as he made a campaign stop in the Efrat settlement located in the Gush Etzion region just outside of Jerusalem. His chief rival in the upcoming September 17 election, Blue and White Party head Benny Gantz, also did some old-fashioned shoe-leather politicking. Gantz took to the West Bank hilltops, driving up the long winding road to an overlook called Sartaba, which was the site of an ancient biblical fortress. The former IDF chief of staff promised that the Jordan Valley would remain in Israeli hands and that he would not uproot any settlements there, explaining that it is vital to Israel's security to hold on to the area. "We know the Jordan Valley from our many years of service in the IDF – we know this region's strategic importance," Gantz said. "In every final arrangement, the Jordan Valley must and will be an inseparable part of the State of Israel. The valley is the eastern protective wall of the State of Israel. It will forever remain under our control. This is of immense strategic importance." "This is a crucial strategic area, which Israel needs, always needed, and will always need in the future," he said. "If there were times that [only] an [IDF] division was able to maneuver in this area, now there are times that other jihadists or other elements or enemies might infiltrate this area." From where he stood, there was a commanding view of the region. Date orchards and a water reservoir dotted the valley below. He traveled with another leading member of his party, former IDF chief of staff Moshe Ya'alon, as well as with MKs Yoaz Hendel, Maj.-Gen. (res.) Orna Barbivai, Alon Shuster and Zvi Hauser. Netanyahu has often accused the Blue and White Party of wanting to form a left-wing coalition that would make dangerous territorial concessions. The Likud Party wasted no time in attacking Gantz. "Benny Gantz is making widespread promises regarding the future of the Jordan Valley, but when he was the IDF chief of staff, he promoted plans for a full withdrawal from Judea and



Samaria, and he wanted to turn over the Jordan Valley to international forces,” the party said. “These elections are between Prime Minister Netanyahu – who has demonstrated his capabilities to withstand pressure and maintain the Land of Israel – and Gantz-Lapid-Barak, who will give up our homeland, withdraw from settlements and endanger the country,” the Likud added. But Gantz’s position on the Jordan Valley mirrors that of Netanyahu, who has also spoken of it as a vital security asset for Israel. Netanyahu has touted his record as a builder, and on the sandy Jordan Valley hilltop under a bright sun, Gantz pledged to develop the region for both the Israelis and the Palestinians living there. “We will develop a national plan and allocate billions of shekels in the coming years for settlement, agriculture and commerce,” he said. “We will develop a comprehensive plan, which includes the establishment of an urban center in Ma’aleh Ephraim as well as the expansion of Route 90. Blue and White is committed to the residents of the Jordan Valley.” A development plan for Palestinians in the area would be based on Israel’s security needs. “Israeli and Palestinians will be able to enjoy this area,” Gantz said. SHOULD HE beat Netanyahu in the elections, Gantz would bring formidable military experience to the position at a time when Iran is increasing its military efforts against Israel. But in Efrat, Netanyahu said that what is needed at this critical juncture in Israeli history is an experienced prime minister who could withstand international pressure, particularly when it comes to the issue of leaving Judea and Samaria in Israeli hands. “We have stood against extreme pressures and against an international front that is not easy,” Netanyahu said. “We succeeded because we worked and act wisely.” To continue to achieve this kind of success, he said, two things are needed: “Experience, along with a real ability to influence public opinion in the United States.” “That is why we have been able to successfully act... even when the [US] government was against us,” Netanyahu said. “One cannot lead the State of Israel, one cannot be prime minister, without the real power of American public opinion.” Without the ability to influence public opinion and overcome any US opposition, “there will be concessions and there will be submissions,” the prime minister said. The Israeli Left holds that it’s necessary to make such concessions to secure international acceptance, he added. Netanyahu warned that Yesh Atid Party head Yair Lapid wants to evacuate 80,000-90,000 settlers. He said he saw this as a sign of weakness, and added, “I don’t believe in weakness, I believe in power.” It is for this reason, he said, that he transformed Israel into a superpower. In the next



election, Netanyahu said, voters will have a choice between the Left's road and "our road." The only way to ensure a right-wing government is to vote for the Likud, the largest right-wing party, he said. As the head of the Likud, he said that if he receives the public's trust, he would continue to secure a great future for the State of Israel. In Efrat, Netanyahu helped inaugurate a promenade and unveiled a plaque with his name on it. "Efrat and Gush Etzion are the southern gateway of Jerusalem," he said. "I had the great privilege to build up Judea and Samaria and [help] connect Gush Etzion to Jerusalem. I'm committed to this." Efrat Council head Oded Revivi showed the prime minister two new neighborhoods in Efrat that had been built during Netanyahu's tenure in office, thanks to his approval. In total, Netanyahu is responsible for the construction of 1,057 units in Efrat. Families are already living in 600 of those homes. Plans have been advanced for 8,250 homes in Efrat. Once completed, those homes would transform Efrat into a city. Revivi thanked Netanyahu for his contribution to the city and urged the public to give him another term in office. "Vote for the largest right-wing party that supports settlements – the Likud," Revivi said. (YNENTNEWS 4 August 2019)

- Israeli occupation authorities are holding the bodies of 253 Palestinians in the "numbers" cemetery and 45 bodies in refrigerators. The Israeli Authorities have been holding Palestinian bodies for many years, using them as a means of returning their captures soldiers from Gaza. The Knesset approved, in February of 2018, a law which attempts to justify this act, with the primary reading; 57 members in favor, 11 against, 11 abstentions. The law gave Israeli occupation police the right to hold the bodies and impose conditions on funeral ceremonies, as well as the location and manner of any burial. Under the draft law, Israeli police are not required to return any bodies unless they are given some form of assurance that the funeral will not present a chance to support "terrorism and incitement". The numbers cemetery is a closed military site. The tombstones are marked with numbered plates instead of names. Access to them is prohibited, for relatives and human rights institutions. (IMEMC 6 August 2019)
- Israel reversed its decision to bar Jews from the Temple Mount in Jerusalem on Tisha B'Av, the Jewish day of mourning for the destruction of the biblical temples that once stood at the site. The initial decision to prevent Jews from ascending to the Mount was made in light of the fact that the fast day coincided with the Muslim festival of Eid al Adha and

tens of thousands of Muslim worshippers were due at the site, which is also holy to Islam. (Ynetnews 11 August 2019)

- The Israeli Prison Authority has moved an ailing Palestinian detainee to Assaf Harofeh Medical Center after a sharp deterioration in his health condition, due to lack of adequate medical treatment. The detainee, Sami Abu Diak, was diagnosed with cancer three years ago, and in September of 2015, he was moved to Soroka Israel Medical Center for surgery in his bowels; however, due to a medical error after the surgeons removed some of his intestines, he started facing further complications. As a result of this, Abu Diak suffered kidney, renal and pulmonary failures, before he underwent three additional surgeries, and remained hooked to respiratory machines for six months. The detainee was taken prisoner in the year 2002, and was sentenced to three life-terms and an additional 30 years in prison. He is one of 15 detainees who are constantly housed at the clinic of the Ramla prison, which lack basic essential equipment and specialized physicians, in addition to being one of nearly 7000 detainees in various prisons, who suffer with several serious conditions, including cancer. His brother, Samer Abu Diak, is also a political prisoner serving a life term, and is facing various health complications, in the Ramla prison clinic. (IMEMC 12 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation government has decided to bar US lawmakers Rachida Tlaib and Ilhan Omar from entering Israel under the pretext of "supporting the Palestinians and reoccupying". (MAAN, 15 August 2019)
- The Israeli government officially decided to bar two newly-elected Muslim US congresswomen; Rashida Tlaib, of Palestinian origin, and Ilhan Omar, of Somali origin, from entering Israel ahead of an expected visit that was planned to start, according to a statement by Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu. The decision to bar the two Democratic congresswomen, who are the first Muslim women to win seats in the US Congress, was proposed by Israeli officials of the right-wing government headed by Netanyahu and was referred to the government for ratification before it was officially announced. US President Donald Trump has also incited Israel to ban entry of the two US congresswomen. The newly-elected Muslim Democratic members of Congress are outspoken critics of Israel's treatment of the Palestinians and support the global boycott movement against Israel, Boycott, Divestment and Sanctions (BDS). Tlaib was born in Detroit after her parents, former residents of the Israeli-occupied West Bank, immigrated to the US. Omar was born in Somalia

- and immigrated to the US at a young age and became a naturalized American citizen. (Wafa 15 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) opened fire on Friday morning towards agricultural lands east of Khan Younis in the southern Gaza Strip. (MAAN, 16 August 2019)
  - Israeli warplanes and military aircraft carried out two raids on two Hamas ground structures in the north and central Gaza Strip. The Israeli army claimed that the raids came in response to the rocket fire from the Gaza Strip towards the settlements of the Gaza envelope earlier yesterday. (MAAN 17 August 2019)
  - A large force of the Israeli army stormed the houses of Beit Ta'mar east of Bethlehem, and launched a large-scale raid on a number of houses belonging to: Jamal Abu Muhaimid, Adnan Ali Mubarak, Hashim Abu Muhaimid, Amir Hassan Abu Muhaimid, and ransacked their property, without abducting any of the residents of the homes. (IMEMC, Wafa 19 August 2019)
  - Eight Palestinian prisoners in Israeli jails continue to go on an open hunger strike to protest Israel's policy of administrative detention. Huthaifa Halabiyyeh (28), from Abu Deis in occupied Jerusalem has been on hunger strike for 55 days. Halabiyyeh, father of a baby girl, has been arrested three times before, despite having serious previous health problems such as leukemia, in addition to suffering from serious burns. In the same vein, Ahmad Ghannam (42) from occupied Hebron, father of two children, was arrested in June 2019 and has been on hunger strike for 42 days despite of being former leukemia patient. Ghannam is also a former prisoner, who has spent nine years in Israeli jails. Sultan Makhlof (38), has been also on hunger strike for 38 days. He declared going on hunger strike as soon as the Israeli authorities said that he will be arrested under administrative detention. Makhlof has already spent over four years in Israeli jails despite of having breathing problems. Ismail Ali (30), from Abu Deis in occupied Jerusalem has been on hunger strike for 32 days so far despite of already spending a total of seven years in Israel's jails. Wajdi Awawdeh (20), from occupied Hebron has been on hunger strike for 27 days so far. He was arrested in April 2018 despite of having health problems. The Israeli Prison Service has been refusing to provide the needed medical care for Awawdeh, which pushed him to go on hunger strike. Tareq Qaadani (46), from Jenin, a father of six, has been on hunger strike for 25 days. Qaadani has already spent a total of 11 years in Israel's jails. He was supposed to be released in February 2019 after

completing his jail sentence, but few days before his release, the Israeli authorities ordered to rearrest him under administrative detention. Naser Jada'a (30), from Burqin in Jenin has been on hunger strike for 18 days so far. He is a former prisoner, who was arrested previously three times. 13 days ago, Thaer Hamdan (21), declared that he will start going on a hunger strike to protest his administrative detention. (IMEMC 25 August 2019)

- Israel announced its intent to reduce the amount of fuel it supplies to Gaza's only power plant. Israel's Coordinator of Government Activities in the Territories said on Facebook that the amount of fuel allowed entry into the Gaza Strip will be cut by half in response to rocket attacks from the enclave. The measure will be in effect until further notice. (PALINFO 26 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities prevented 18 West Bank Palestinians from travelling abroad through al-Karama crossing. 11,644 passengers managed to pass through al-Karama crossing, the only outlet connecting the West Bank with the outside world through Jordan, in both directions. Meanwhile, 18 Palestinians were ordered to return and not travel for "security reasons". (PALINFO 26 August 2019)
- A state of tension has been prevailing in the Israeli Megiddo jail after its administration took punitive measures against Palestinian prisoners. The Megiddo jail administration closed sections 3, 4 and 5, including the juvenile section, confiscated all electric equipment from prisoners' cells and took other punitive measures against them. (PALINFO 28 August 2019)
- Israel continued to impose severe restrictions on the movement of people in Gaza Strip during July, impeding 661 patients and reducing exports by 42.2 per cent. The Israeli occupation authorities refuse to allow most of the residents of the Gaza Strip to leave or return to it through Beit Hanoun (Erez) crossing. However, it allows patients with serious health issues, subject to a lengthy and complicated process to obtain a pass and strict security measures, to pass through the crossing. The Israeli authorities prevented 661 patients referred to Israeli or to West Bank hospitals, including occupied Jerusalem. Israeli authorities justified denying patients the right to travel through various pretexts, including security reasons and request to change facilities, responses' delay and request for new appointments and the patient's request for a security interview. Israel also continued to ban the export of products from the Gaza Strip, except for minimal quantities, mostly agricultural products. July's exports marked a

decline of 42.2 per cent compared to last June. July exports are equal to 3.8 per cent of the sector's monthly exports before imposing the blockade. The occupying authorities have also kept imposing restrictions on the supply of goods classified as "dual-use items". It is noted that the Israeli authorities formally list 118 dual-use items containing different essential products and materials. (PCHR, IMEMC 30 August 2019)

- Palestinian children held in Israeli prisons are subjected to physical and verbal abuse by Israeli forces referring to Testimonies given by 45 children under 18, from Jerusalem al-Quds, who are held in the Israeli prison of Damon. The children were severely beaten by the so-called "Nahshon" forces who accompanied them during transfer to and from courts and during transfer from other prisons to Damon. The Israeli troops punched and kicked them in all parts of their bodies. The children were subjected to insults in the deportation vehicles, or in the courts' waiting rooms. More than 7,000 Palestinian prisoners are currently held in some 17 Israeli jails. Dozens of them are serving multiple life sentences. It is estimated that between 500 and 700 Palestinian children, some as young as 12 years old, have been detained and brought to trial in Israeli courts. The most common charge against them is stone-throwing. (IMEMC 30 August 2019)
- The Israeli occupation authorities (IOA) last week prevented 26 Palestinians from travelling abroad through al-Karama crossing between the West Bank and Jordan. The Palestinian police said that about 57,000 passengers managed to pass through al-Karama crossing last week in both directions. It added that 26 Palestinians from the West Bank were banned from passing through al-Karama crossing, the only outlet connecting the West Bank with the outside world through Jordan, during the same reported period. (PALINFO 31 August 2019)

### **Related News during the month of September 2019**

- Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu said, on Sunday morning, that he will declare Israeli sovereignty over all settlements, in the near future. "Remember that this is the land of Israel, our land," Netanyahu said at the opening of the school year, in the settlement of Alkana. "We will impose Jewish sovereignty on all settlements as part of the State of Israel. We are building new houses here," he said. Netanyahu reiterated statements, from last July, that he would not allow the evacuation of any settlements. "We are working hard to fortify settlement projects, which require money, determination and overcoming pressure, which all governments under

my leadership, with the help of God, and with your help, have done. We will continue to do this together. ” In response to a question about international pressures that may be formed in response to the maintenance of settlements, Netanyahu explained that “such things have existed for many years and can always be maintained.” “We face (pressures) firmly, deliberations, patience, Above all, with perseverance, our reality continues to resonate openly, and I say to all world leaders, that we are not rooted in a foreign land. On the contrary, the people of Israel in Samaria (the occupied West Bank) are at home. ” Netanyahu said: “This is a pledge, it is not limited within the space of time, but limited because I offer in my name: can not uproot any settlement from the land of Israel, and will not be” uprooted “any political plan. We’ve finished this nonsense, you all know what we got when we moved out of the settlements, peace? We got terrorism and missiles. ” Israeli settlements, which are housing units built on Palestinian land in the occupied West Bank and Jerusalem, and illegal under international law. (IMEMC 2 September 2019)

- Prime Minister Netanyahu visited Hebron on 4 September 2019 to mark the 90th anniversary of the 1929 Hebron Massacre. Hebron settlers campaigned unsuccessfully to have the Prime Minister commit to establishing a new settlement in the old wholesale market in Hebron...but there will be further rounds. For any future attempts to establish another settlement in Hebron, it is worth bearing in mind the following reasons for why this should not happen: 1. It is ethically inadmissible to settle beyond the sovereign borders of one’s state, in an area where one’s own military exercises effective control over a local population and prevents it from acquiring full rights. Moreover, it is the very settlements themselves that stand in the way of a political agreement that would end this military control (i.e. the Occupation) and grant Palestinians freedom from foreign rule (or, theoretically, equal rights within Israel). The common settler refrain is that they are merely “coming back to live in their ancient homeland,” yet this explanation entirely ignores the context of how their living in the West Bank perpetuates Israel’s military rule over the Palestinians at the cost of the latter’s freedom. 2. It imposes a security burden – Establishing a new settlement in the heart of a Palestinian city, where 800 settlers live among a population of 200,000 Palestinians, will necessarily demand that the IDF invest more forces to guard them. 3. It’s not just “another hill” – A settlement in the heart of a dense Palestinian urban area is unlike any settlement. In order to protect the settlers in the

Palestinian-populated area, the IDF imposes extreme measures on the population, including by closing shops and businesses, closing streets for vehicular traffic, and in some streets forbidding Palestinians from walking on them entirely. In this sense, the settlement in Hebron is the ugly face of Israeli control over the Palestinian Territories. It is both immoral and a public relations disaster for Israel. 4. The Wholesale Market is a symbol – The wholesale market complex was the vibrant heart of the Old City of Hebron. It was tragically closed by the IDF's order in 1994 following the Baruch Goldstein Massacre of Muslim worshipers at the Tomb of the Patriarchs. At the Hebron Protocol, signed by then Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu and Palestinian Authority President Arafat in 1997, Israel committed to re-open the wholesale market in Hebron as part of the "Normalization of Life in the Old City." However this commitment was never implemented and the shops are still closed to this day. 5. Legally, the land belongs to the Hebron municipality (in protected tenancy) – The protected tenants cannot be "thrown out" without justifiable grounds and judicial decision. The political will of the Israeli government to establish a settlement cannot be grounds for this, and it means adopting the apartheid-like system whereby the Israeli population is superior to the Palestinian population (see explanation below). 6. The allocation of land to the settlement will constitute acceptance of the principle of Right of Return – The basis of the settlers' demand for the establishment of a settlement in the wholesale market is that the land was owned by Jews before 1948. Israel has hundreds of thousands of dunams and properties owned by Palestinians before 1948. If the Israeli government accepts the claim of the landowners to right to return to their land taken in 1948, it will undermine the Israeli claim that the Palestinians' right of return inside Israel need not be implemented. 7. Political Damage – Apart from the moral, security, legal and breach of Israeli commitments, the expansion of the settlement in Hebron precludes us Israelis from the prospect of a two-state agreement. In so doing, we are weakening our own ability to preserve Israel's democratic character by making our military rule over a non-enfranchised Palestinian population permanent. The protected tenancy of the Hebron Municipality – the legal opinion of the Ministry of Defense: Until recently, the legal advice in Israel was that according to existing law, the rights of the protected tenants of the Hebron municipality should not be withdrawn without proper legal process, in accordance with the terms of the Jordanian law on tenant protection. Last November, Defense Minister Avigdor Lieberman announced his intention

to build a new settlement in the wholesale market, based on a legal opinion prepared by the Defense Ministry. The Movement for the Freedom of Information filed for the Ministry of Defense to send over the legal opinion, but the Ministry of Defense refused on the grounds that it was an internal document. Following a petition filed by the movement to the district court of Tel Aviv, the Defense Ministry agreed to “paraphrase” the opinion and give the movement a summary of the main points of the full opinion. The opinion argues that it is permissible to build over the structure of the wholesale market because, it claims, the protected tenancy of the municipality is only in the shops themselves and not on the roof or the ground. It also states that because in the foreseeable future, the wholesale market is unlikely to reopen to the Palestinians due to the “political-security” situation, Israel is also allowed to demolish the stores to dig new foundations for construction, and then build the stores and above them the settlers’ houses. (PEACENOW 2 September 2019)

- The US embassy in Jerusalem began constructing a wall surrounding the building of its new quarter, with a height of 6 meters, according to Al Ray. It was agreed upon, previously, to build a wall with a height of 3.2 meters, but it was recently decided to build the wall with a height of 5.8 meters. Israelis living in the same neighborhood reportedly complained that the height of the wall covers the scenery, depriving them from enjoying the sight. It was noted that Israelis living near the embassy sent a letter to Israeli Prime Minister Benjamin Netanyahu, as well as to US Ambassador David Friedman, demanding them to retreat from this step. Finance Minister Moshe Kahlon has already signed an order to raise the wall, citing security reasons, as part of the implementation of pre-approved emergency instructions, including the construction of a private street. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)
- Israeli prime minister Benjamin Netanyahu, on Wednesday evening, carried out a provocative “visit” to al-Ibrahimi mosque, in the southern occupied West Bank city of Hebron, amidst tight security measures that affected the city’s Palestinian population and which came following another such “visit” by Israeli President Reuven Rivlin. Netanyahu said, at an election campaign to win settlers’ vote in al-Ibrahimi mosque, that “we are not strangers to Hebron and we will stay here forever.” “I am proud that my government was the first to develop the ghetto program in the city [of Hebron] to build dozens of new housing units,” he said, according to WAFA. Israeli forces clamped a curfew on the Palestinian



neighborhoods of the old section of Hebron, as hundreds of soldiers and police were deployed in preparation for Netanyahu's arrival. (IMEMC 5 September 2019)

- In Gaza alone, the Israeli Occupation Army (IOA) have injured 30 journalists since March 22. "30 journalists covering the protests were injured" by the Israeli army, during the protests held along the Israel-Gaza fence. Since the start of protests in March 2018, known as Great March of Return, a total of four Anadolu Agency journalists were also wounded, two in Gaza and two in occupied West Bank. In the same period, two other journalists working in other media organizations in Gaza were killed. Israel used tear gas, rubber-coated bullets, water cannon and sound devices, as well as regularly fired live ammunition, against the demonstrators. As a direct result, since 22 March 2019, 13 Palestinians, including five children, have been killed. Hundreds of others, including health workers and journalists, have been injured. Many have been left with permanent disabilities, including 20 who have undergone amputations, two who have been paralyzed, and six who have permanently lost their vision in one eye. These 13 deaths since March 22, 2019 follow the killings of 189 Palestinians in the previous 12 months – including 38 children. Since the Gaza rallies began in March 2018, nearly 270 protesters have been martyred, and thousands more wounded by Israeli troops deployed near the buffer zone. Demonstrators demand an end to Israel's 12-year blockade of the Gaza Strip, which has shattered the coastal enclave's economy and deprived its two million inhabitants of many basic amenities. (IMEMC 11 September 2019)
- The health NGOs in the Gaza Strip work under a crippling blockade imposed by Israel on the enclave since 2006 and suffer from a severe lack of medical supplies. The crisis has worsened following the launch of the Great March of Return. The high number of martyrs and wounded marches and the lack of supply have caused a serious deterioration in the situation. 40% of the medicines are not found in stores while 45% will run out after three months. As for the medical consumables, the total deficit is 55%. (PNGO, PALINFO 11 September 2019)
- **Jerusalem Municipal Data Reveals Stark Israeli-Palestinian Discrepancy in Construction Permits in Jerusalem:** Only 16.5% of Jerusalem's building permits are for Palestinians, whom constitute 38% of the city's residents. **Nearly half of the construction for Israelis is in neighborhoods beyond**

**the Green Line.** According to data the Jerusalem Municipality sent to the Movement for the Freedom of Information after two years of delays on building permits approved by the Local Planning and Construction Committee from 1991 to 2018, while 38% of the city's residents are Palestinians, only 16.5% of the building permits were given for construction in Palestinian neighborhoods. The figures also indicate that 45% of all Israeli building permits in Jerusalem were in Israeli neighborhoods beyond the Green Line in areas unilaterally annexed by Israel in 1967. **Of 57,737 housing units approved in construction permits in Jerusalem from 1991 – 2018:** Permits for 9,536 housing units (16.5%) were approved for construction in Palestinian neighborhoods. Permits for 21,834 housing units (37.8%) were approved for construction in Israeli neighborhoods in areas annexed to Jerusalem in 1967 across the Green Line. Permits for 26,367 housing units (45.7%) were approved for construction in West Jerusalem. **What is a construction permit?** After the planning process and approval of the construction plans (and in the case of government-initiated construction, after the tender process), when there are developers who wish to implement the planned construction, they must obtain a building permit from the local authority. The Local Planning and Construction Committee reviews the permit applications and their compliance with the applicable plans, as well as safety and environmental standards, etc. After the committee approve the permit, there is some bureaucratic procedures, the municipality issues a building permit and the developers can begin construction. Typically, between the permit approval and the start of construction, it takes several weeks to months. Most of the approved construction permits are also actually built, thus they are a good indicator of the number of units actually built. A. Lack of planning and construction for the Palestinians: **The data reveals** the known truth about the plight of construction in East Jerusalem. Since 1967, Israeli authorities have refrained from actively encouraging construction for Palestinians in Jerusalem. While the government has initiated planning, appropriation of land for construction, tenders for the construction of more than 55,000 housing units for Israelis in East Jerusalem since 1967, the Palestinians have seen government-initiated construction of only 600 housing units (in the 1970s). This means that almost all Palestinian construction in East Jerusalem is the result of a private initiative by families who have to bear planning costs and encounter many difficulties in obtaining a building permit. Another notable figure is the average number of units approved in each permit.

While in Israeli neighborhoods both in East and West Jerusalem the average is 10.5 units per permit, the average in Palestinian neighborhoods is 3.5 units per permit. This means that the construction in Israeli Jerusalem is for much larger projects, including bigger buildings and compounds, while construction in Palestinian Jerusalem consists of much smaller projects, less organized and in a more sporadic manner. For more on construction planning neglect in the Palestinian neighborhoods of Jerusalem, see – Deliberately Planned – a report of Bimkom and Ir Amim. In the absence of planning and with virtually no chance of obtaining building permits, East Jerusalem Palestinian residents are forced to build without permits and live under the constant threat of demolition. Over the past three years, nearly 200 structures have been demolished in East Jerusalem per year (a sharp increase since the Obama administration years).

**B. Construction in Israeli neighborhoods beyond the Green Line:** Since 1967, Israel has built 12 settlement neighborhoods beyond the Green Line on land expropriated for public purposes in East Jerusalem. The number of housing units in these neighborhoods is estimated at over 55,000. Most of the construction was done relatively soon after 1967, in the 1970s and 1980s. Municipal data shows that since 1991, 21,834 housing units have been approved in Israeli neighborhoods across the Green Line. **An increase of about 33% since Netanyahu’s 2009 election** – From 2000 to 2008, the average number of housing units approved in neighborhoods beyond the Green Line was about 500 housing units per year. Since Netanyahu was elected prime minister in 2009, the average has risen by about 33% and stands at 665 housing units approved per year. **A dramatic increase after Trump’s election** – Between 2017-2018, 1,861 housing units were approved in those neighborhoods, up from 1,162 in the previous two years (rise of 58%). The graph of construction permits in Israeli neighborhoods in East Jerusalem tells the story of the settlements there. For instance, in 1991, 2,096 housing units were approved, almost all of them were in the Pisgat Ze’ev neighborhood, which was then in the advanced stages of construction. 2000 was the year in which the Har Homa settlement began to be built (1,707 housing units), after the approval by Prime Minister Netanyahu in 1997 to establish Har Homa as the first new settlement since the Oslo Accords.

**C. Data quality and accuracy:**

**1. Difficulty in obtaining data** – The information requested and received from the municipality of Jerusalem is a list of all construction permits approved over the years since the system was computerized. On 13 November 2017, the Movement for Freedom of Information applied to

the Jerusalem Municipality to request the information. This is after a request that the Peace Now motion in December 2014 was only partially complied with, without the data being complete. About four months later, on 7 March 2018, the Jerusalem Municipality's response was finally received, with the list of building permits without detailing the number of units approved in each of the permit. The municipality reported that the information does not exist in the computerized system. But since Peace Now had an old file from the computerized system from a few years ago with information on the number of units, a new round of correspondence and conversations began and the Jerusalem Municipality moved to acquire the full information. The Movement for Freedom of Information file a new application on 15 January 2019. It was only on 30 May 2019 that the municipality sent a reply, but the requested information was given in a PDF file and the attempts to convert it to Excel to be analyzed and examined amounted to nothing. Only after the threat of filing a petition in court was the information in Excel format finally received, on 9 July 2019.

**2. Quality of data** – The list received from the Jerusalem Municipality included information on tens of thousands of permits, including the permit number, date of approval, number of housing units added, address, neighborhood, and the plan number according to which the permit was granted. Peace Now still had to screen the data: erasing duplicates, correcting some typos (in some cases the wrong number of housing units was typed, or an incorrect neighborhood name was entered). It is important to emphasize that despite efforts to improve and correct the data, there are still data inaccuracies. But since these are large numbers of thousands of housing units, the order of magnitude is likely to be negligible. The information was also checked against CBS data on construction starts, and similar trends were discovered. (PEACENOW 12 September 2019)

- On 15 September, 2019, the Israeli government cabinet approved the official establishment of a new settlement, Mevo'ot Yericho, currently an outpost in the Jordan Valley. The units of the outpost will still need to be retroactively authorized through the settlement plan approvals process, for which the cabinet decision has given the political green light to be promoted. This announcement marks the christening of a sixth official settlement since the Oslo Accords, following declarations for the Havat Gilad outpost (2018), Amichai settlement (2017), Bruchin (2012), Sansana (2012) and Rechelim (2012). Over a dozen other outposts have been retroactively authorized as “neighborhoods” of existing settlements so

that the government could deny officially creating new settlements. For more on the revival of building outposts under the Netanyahu government and efforts to legalize them, [click here](#). Mevo'ot Yericho lies strategically just 650 meters from the Area A of the northern edge of Jericho, thus blocking potential Palestinian develop. The move comes just days after Prime Minister Netanyahu presented a detailed [plan to annex the Jordan Valley](#), while encircling Palestinian Areas A and B. ([PEACENOW](#) 15 September 2019)

- The Israeli government approved its proposal to legalize an outpost in the Jordan Valley two days before the Knesset election after its attorney general agreed to retract his opposition. However, the final approval for legalizing the outpost will be made by the next government. "The government will decide on kick-starting the process of establishing the settlement of Mevo'ot Yeriho in the Jordan Valley," said Israeli premier Benjamin Netanyahu at the cabinet meeting, which was held in the outpost. "The final approval will of course be given upon the formation of the new government," he said. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)
- The health condition of the Palestinian prisoner Sultan Khalaf, who has been on hunger strike for 62 days in Israeli jails, has seriously deteriorated. Khalaf, a resident of Jenin in the West Bank, started an open-ended hunger strike 62 days ago protesting his administrative detention without charge or trial. Israeli occupation authorities detained Khalaf on 8 July 2019 and 10 days later he started a hunger strike after he was sentenced to extendable six months without indictment or trial. (PALINFO 16 September 2019)
- The Israeli government is deliberately targeting Palestinian journalists in both the Gaza Strip and the West Bank. The Ministry of Information, on the International Day of Solidarity with Palestinian journalists, reported that the number of human rights violations, from the beginning of year 2019 to the end of August 2019, totaled 415; this included 82 journalists who were injured while covering the [Great Return March](#), in Gaza. (IMEMC 27 September 2019)
- Israel's security agency, Shin Bet, has recommended a ban on travel, holding back a competition over the Palestine Football Cup, between Rafah Services Club and Balata Youth Center. The final match between the two teams was to be held today, in Nablus, but was canceled, as the court approved the recommendation of Shin Bet and the army coordinator, to prevent the travel of some players. Israeli occupation authorities refused

to give travel permission to the players of Rafah Services Club, but allowed it for five administrators and seven players, The Israeli Central Court in Jerusalem approved the decision on Monday, putting the second leg of the Palestine Cup to a halt, under the pretext of security risk. (IMEMC 27 September 2019)

- Out of 219 patient applications (133 male; 86 female), or 13% of the total, who were denied in August Israeli permits to leave Gaza through Erez/Beit Hanoun crossing for healthcare in West Bank or East Jerusalem hospitals, 40 were children under 18 years of age and 35 aged 60 years or older. A quarter (24%) of denied applications were for appointments in oncology, 19% for orthopedics, 7% for ophthalmology, 6% for hematology, 6% for cardiology, and 5% for general surgery. In addition, 356 patient applications (195 male; 161 female), or 21% of the total, were delayed access to care, receiving no definitive response to their application by the date of their hospital appointment. Of these, 100 applications were for children under the age of 18 and 48 applications were for patients aged 60 years or older. A third (31%) of those delayed had appointments for oncology, 10% for hematology, 8% for cardiology, 8% for pediatrics, 7% for ophthalmology, 6% for orthopedics, and 6% for internal medicine. The remaining 24% were for 18 other specialties. The majority of delayed applications (259 or 73%) were 'under study' at the time of appointment. There were 1,734 patient applications to cross Erez for healthcare in August. Almost a third (31%) were for children under 18 and 18% were for patients aged 60 years or older, said WHO, adding that 46% of applications were for female patients and 92% were for medical care funded by the Palestinian Ministry of Health. Of the total applications, 1,159 (602 male; 557 female), or 69%, were approved – similar to the average approval rate so far in 2019, said the health organization. Regarding patients companions, there were 1,897 companion permit applications to Israeli authorities in August to cross Erez to accompany patients, including parents or other companions applying to accompany children. Only one companion is allowed to accompany each Gaza patient. A total of 975 patient companion applications (51% of the total) were approved, 317 applications (17%) were denied and the remaining 605 (32%) were delayed, receiving no definitive response by the time of the patient's appointment. (WHO, Wafa 30 September 2019)