



ARIJ DAILY REPORT

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Israeli Violations' Activities in the occupied State of Palestine

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The daily report highlights the violations behind Israeli home demolitions and demolition threats in the occupied Palestinian territory, the confiscation and razing of lands, the uprooting and destruction of fruit trees, the expansion of settlements and erection of outposts, the brutality of the Israeli Occupation Army, the Israeli settlers violence against Palestinian civilians and properties, the erection of checkpoints, the construction of the Israeli segregation wall and the issuance of military orders for the various Israeli purposes.

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Violations of the Israeli Occupation Army

- The Israeli navy ships attacked several Palestinian fishing boats near the Rafah shore, in the southern part of the besieged Gaza Strip. The navy fired many live rounds and gas bombs at the boats, forcing the fishermen to leave. The navy also chased several fishing boats and used water cannons. The attacks caused damage but did not lead to casualties. (IMEMC 16 May 2022)
- Israeli soldiers injured at least 45 Palestinians at the northern entrance of the al-Biereh city, north of Ramallah in the central West Bank. The soldiers attacked Palestinian protesters with live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets, gas bombs, and concussion grenades. The soldiers shot seven Palestinians with live rounds before the medics rushed them to Ramallah hospital, in addition to thirteen who were shot with rubber-coated steel bullets, one who suffered burns, and one who fell while the soldiers chased him. Twenty Palestinians suffered the effects of tear gas inhalation. The injuries took place when the army attacked hundreds of Palestinians, who nonviolent marched to commemorate the 74th anniversary of the Palestinian Nakba. (IMEMC 16 May 2022)
- The Israeli occupation army (IOA) attacked Palestinian fishermen and their boats off the northern coast of the besieged Gaza Strip. Israeli gunboats fired machine guns and tear gas canisters at fishing boats during their presence within a few nautical miles off the shore of as-Sudaniya area in the north of Gaza City. No one was reportedly hurt in the attack, which forced the fishing boats to return ashore. (PALINFO 16 May 2022)

Israeli Settler Violence

- Dozens of Jewish settlers stormed al-Aqsa Mosque in Occupied Jerusalem under Israeli police protection. The settlers entered the Mosque through its Maghariba Gate and toured its courtyards. During their tours at the Islamic holy site, the settlers received lectures from rabbis about the alleged temple mount and a number of them provocatively performed Talmudic prayers.

Along the same line, Israeli police forces deliberately cut off the water pipelines to refrigerators in the Bab al-Rahma prayer hall. The incident came as part of the Israeli attempts to take control over the eastern area of Al-Aqsa Mosque, specifically Bab al-Rahma. (PALINFO 16 May 2022)

Home Demolition & Demolition threats

- Several Israeli army jeeps and bulldozers invaded the Dyouk at-Tahta village, west of Jericho in the northeastern West Bank, and demolished a wall surrounding the home of a Jerusalemite Palestinian, Khalil Affana. The soldiers also demolished a small shed owned by Affana; the demolitions came only three days after the army issued the demolition orders allegedly for being built without permits. (IMEMC 16 May 2022)
- The Israeli soldiers demolished a shed owned by Ayman Gharib in Tammoun town, south of Tubas. The shed, used for selling melons, was approximately 30 square/meters. (IMEMC 16 May 2022)