



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

- Israeli soldiers injured a Palestinian woman and caused many residents to suffer the effects of tear gas inhalation during a nonviolent procession protesting a quarry of an illegal Israeli colonizer in Kisan village, east of Bethlehem in the occupied West Bank. The Palestinians held a peaceful procession on their lands demanding the removal of the stone cutting facility from their privately-owned lands, which also devastates their agricultural lands and livestock. The soldiers fired many gas bombs at the Palestinians, shooting an elderly woman, Sa'ada Obeyyat, with a gas bomb on the leg and causing many Palestinians to suffer the effects of tear gas inhalation. The soldiers also detained the head of Kisan Village Council, Mousa Obeyyat, 33, and his child Hasan, only seven years of age, who was terrified and crying when the soldier dragged him away from his mother. (IMEMC 25 June 2022)
- Israeli soldiers injured several Palestinians at the junction of Arraba town, south of Jenin, in the northern part of the occupied West Bank. The soldiers installed a roadblock at the junction leading to the Jenin-Nablus Road, blocking the Palestinian traffic and leading to protests. The soldiers fired a few live rounds, rubber-coated steel bullets, and gas bombs, causing many Palestinian to suffer the effects of tear gas inhalation. Hundreds of soldiers were also deployed around various areas in Jenin and installed many roadblocks near the villages and towns of Arraba, Qabatia, Marka, al-Jalama, Zababda, and the Haddad Resort. (IMEMC 25 June 2022)
- A Palestinian child, who was shot and seriously injured by Israeli army fire near Ramallah has succumbed to his wounds. Mohammad Abdullah Saleh Hamed, 16, from Silwad town, east of the central West Bank city of Ramallah, had succumbed to his serious wounds. The soldiers shot Hammad during protests that took place after several Israeli military jeeps invaded Silwad. The child was shot with a bullet in the face near bypass road #60. The soldiers invaded the town several times within just a few hours after shooting the child, leading to protests. (IMEMC 25 June 2022)

- Three Palestinian citizens suffered different injuries when a horde of settlers assaulted them near al-Mughayyir village in the northeast of Ramallah. Two cars were also set alight by those settlers in the same area, which is located between al-Mughayyir and Turmus Ayya villages. (PALINFO 25 June 2022)
- Many Palestinian civilians suffocated as a result of inhaling tear gas during clashes that erupted with the Israeli occupation forces, at the junction of Arraba town, south of Jenin. The occupation forces set up a military checkpoint at Arraba Junction on Jenin-Nablus road, which led to confrontations between the citizens and the occupation forces, during which they fired live bullets, sound bombs, and tear gas, causing a number of Palestinians to suffocate. The Israeli occupation forces intensified their military presence and erected roadblocks in the vicinity of the villages and towns of Arraba, Qabatiya, Merka, Al-Jalameh, Al-Zababda, and Haddad tourist village. (Wafa 25 June 2022)

Israeli Settler Violence

- A Palestinian civilian was wounded in the head, as a result of an attack carried out by Israeli settlers on farmers east of Ramallah. More than 30 settlers from “Adi Ad” and “Shilo” settlements attacked workers who were reclaiming lands in the area between the villages of Al-Mughayer and Turmusaya, east of Ramallah. As a result, a 35-year-old citizen from Al-Mazra’a Al-Sharqiya village was wounded in the head by throwing stones at him. The settlers smashed the citizen's vehicle and burned it before they withdrew from the place. (Wafa 25 June 2022)

Other

- One year of the Israeli government headed by Yair Lapid and Naftali Bennett: A year after the Bennet- Lapid government is founded, the settlement project deepened. Planning – There was a 26% increase, with the promotion of plans for 7,292 housing units in the settlements, compared to an annual average of 5,784 housing units in the Netanyahu governments (the average includes the years 2012 to 2020 in which information is available). Tenders – The Bennett-Lapid government has issued tenders for the construction of 1,550 housing units in the settlements, compared to an annual average of 1,343 housing units per year in the Netanyahu

governments (an increase of 15%). **Construction Starts** – A 62% jump in construction starts in settlements with the entry of the new government. The Bennett-Lapid government furthered a number of strategically lethal plans that especially harm the chance for Palestinian development and continuity, the two-state solution and reaching a political agreement. Among other plans the government promoted a new settlement in Atarot, the E1 plan, the expansion of the National Park around the Old City, a new settlement near Ariel, a plan that connects Har Homa and Givat Hamatos, the beginning of the construction of a new settlement in Hebron (for the first time 40 years) the completion of the plan in E2, and more. **New Outposts** – Under the Bennett-Lapid government there were six new illegal outposts founded: Givat Hadejel in the South Hebron Hills, Karnei Re'em in the Salfit area, Mevo'ot Jericho Farm north of Jericho, Julius Farm in the North of the Jordan Valley and the Ohavey-Ya outpost West of Bethlehem. Support for the eviction of families in East Jerusalem in favor of settlements – The Bennett-Lapid government has been called upon several times for the burning issue of displacing Palestinian families in East Jerusalem. The Supreme Court sought the Attorney General's position on the issue, and in fact gave the government a convenient opportunity to assist in preventing the massive expropriation. However, the government preferred not to intervene and even to support the evictions. Demolitions – The Bennett-Lapid government deepened the policy of expulsion of Palestinians and their restriction to the constrained enclaves in Areas A and B. As of the 6/6/22, the Civil Administration had demolished 639 Palestinian owned structures in Area C, causing 604 people to lose their home. This is a 35% increase compared to the average of demolitions in the Netanyahu years (474 structures per annum). In East Jerusalem there were 189 structures demolished and 450 Palestinians had consequently become homeless. This is a 59% increase compared to the Netanyahu years. In addition, there had been attempts to displace entire communities in Humsa and in Ras a-Tin in the Jordan Valley, and in Masafer Yatta in south Hebron Hills. (PEACENOW 25 June 2022)