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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 05 April 2011 – 08:00 06 April 2011

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

| EVENT | WEST BANK | GAZA STRIP | TOTAL | NOTES |
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| Death | — | 1 | 1 | A civilian in Northern Gaza |
| Physical Assaults | 2 | — | 2 | Presidential Guard officers beaten |
| Injuries | — | 4 | 4 | Incl. a pregnant woman in Gaza |
| Air Attacks | — | 3 | 3 | Missiles fired by combat helicopters |
| Attacks | 2 | 5 | 6 | Incl. 2 in raids and 3 from mil. posts |
| Raids | 38 | 1 | 39 | Incl. 5 in Bethlehem and 1 in Rafah |
| Air Patrols | 1 | 12 | 13 | Incl. 5 by F16 combat aircraft |
| Arrests (per person) | 10 | — | 10 | Incl. 3 in Nablus and 3 in Hebron |
| Detentions | 14 | — | 14 | Incl. a child and 2 Police officers |
| Land Levelling | — | 1 | 1 | In Rafah district |
| Wall Construction | 13 | — | 13 | Incl. in Jerusalem, Qalqiliya, & Hebron |
| Destruction of Property | — | 4 | 4 | A plastics factory and civilian houses |
| Confiscation of Property | 1 | — | 1 | A tractor in Al 'Auja village, Jericho |
| Closure of Checkpoints | 8 | — | 8 | Incl. access impeded at 5 checkpoints |
| Flying Checkpoints | 29 | — | 29 | Incl. 4 in Jericho and 7 in Hebron |
| Closure (per District) | 8 | — | 8 | Incl. Jerusalem and 5 areas in Hebron |
| Closure of Main Roads | 45 | — | 45 | Throughout the West Bank districts |
| Closure of Crossing Points | — | 4 | 4 | Incl. humanitarian cases allowed access |
| Settler Violence | 2 | — | 2 | Incl. gaining access to civilian land |
| Provocation of Pal. Forces | 3 | — | 3 | Incl. a Police vehicle detained |
| Palestinian Attacks | — | 3 | 3 | Incl. fire opened on an Israeli patrol |
| TOTAL | 176 | 38 | 214 | |

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| WEST BANK | |
| JERUSALEM | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrances to Jerusalem city and to prevent civilians from other Palestinian districts from entering the city, only allowing access to civilians holding special permits. (i) The Israeli army continues to close the ‘demarcation area’ along the Wall in the area surrounding Jerusalem city and restrict access to the area to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits. (ii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Iksha villages. • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt barricades the entrance to the village of Jaba’. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the iron gate along the Wall section, separating the area of Dahiyat al Bareed from the town of Ar Ram. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksha village and force civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. • Checkpoint: The Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a “border crossing point” and designates a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city. • Raids/Provocation of Palestinian Forces: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on 05 April 2011, the Israeli army raided Kafr ‘Aqab village and arrested a civilian. (ii) At 11:00, the Israeli army raided Ar Ram town, patrolled the area, took photographs of the town’s Palestinian Police station, and withdrew at 13:00. • Arrest: The Israeli army arrested Nael al Halabi in Kafr ‘Aqab village. • Wall Gates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. (ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Ash Shayyah road in the area between As Sawahira ash Sharqiya and As Sawahira al Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area north of Qalandiya village; south of Az Za’ayyem village; and in Wadi al ‘Eizariya west of Ma’ale Adumim settlement. |
| RAMALLAH & EL BIREH | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil town and Saffa village and the junction to Kafr Malik and ‘Ein Samiya villages. (ii) Although it removed the dirt barricade, the Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to An Nabi Salih village. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Qarawat Bani Zeid village and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 17:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the overpass to 'Atara town, searched security and vehicles, and impeded civilian access. (iii) At 21:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Halamish settlement and searched civilians and vehicles. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Qarawat Bani Zeid village. (ii) At 17:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Kharbatha al Misbah village. (iii) At 20:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Beit Liqya village. (iv) At 03:00, the Israeli army raided El Bireh city, searched a number of houses, and arrested a civilian. (v) At 04:00, the Israeli army raided Silwad town, searched a number of houses, and arrested a civilian. • <u>Arrests:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army arrested Kamal Nabil Kamal as Salhi in El Bireh city. (ii) The Israeli army arrested Abdullah Rawhi as Salhi in Silwad town. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding 'Ofarim settlement and north of Al Lubban al Gharbi and Rantis villages. |
| JENIN | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of Dotan settlement. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 16:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Rummana village and searched civilians and vehicles. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:00, the Israeli army raided Kufeirit village and raided a number of commercial premises. (ii) At 15:20, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Birqin town. (iii) At 19:00, the Israeli army raided Al Hashimiya village and served summonses on three civilians to report to the Israeli Intelligence agency: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Haytham Rasem Jarrar; (ii) Mid'hat Ibrahim Jarrar; and (iii) Sabri Ibrahim Jarrar. (iv) At 01:45, the Israeli army raided Qabatiya town and patrolled the area until 02:10. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which affects the educational and health conditions of civilians living behind the Wall. |
| TUBAS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoint:</u> Though allowing civilian access to the Northern Jordan Valley between 06:00 and 22:00, the Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint east of the city of Tubas. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: At 00:05, the Israeli army raided Tammun town and patrolled the area until 04:30. |
| TULKAREM | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road connecting Kafr al Labad town to Shufa village as well as the road connecting Shufa and ‘Izbat Shufa villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. • Checkpoint: The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions and impede civilian access at ‘Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:05, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint and searched civilians and vehicles on the junction to Bizzariya village east of ‘Anabta town. (ii) At 21:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Al Jarushiya village and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 07:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Al Kafriyat road and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raid: At 12:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Dahiyat Shuweika in Tulkarem city. • Wall Gates: Passage through the wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. |
| QALQILYA | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of ‘Azzun. • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to ‘Azzun town and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 14:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Jayyus town and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 15:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the detour road connecting Kafr Laqif and Baqat al Hatab villages and searched civilians and vehicles. (iv) At 16:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance Baqat al Hatab village and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids/Detentions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:00, the Israeli army raided Al Muntar area in ‘Azzun town and detained two civilians, including a child, while they were present on their land. The Israeli army released both civilians at a later time. (ii) At 19:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled ‘Azzun town. (iii) At 20:55, the Israeli army raided and patrolled An Nabi Elyas village. • Wall Gates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (ii) The Israeli army continues close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi ar Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the iron gate at the entrance to the village of Ras 'Atiya, the Israeli army only allows students to cross to their schools outside the village through the Habla gate. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement. |
| NABLUS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Till-Burin and Beit Furik-Salem; the settler bypass road connecting the village of Deir al Hatab to the settlement of Alon Moreh; the road connecting the town of 'Aqraba to the village of Osarin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osarin. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to the town of Qabalan; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut; and the western entrance to An Naqura village opposite the settlement of Shavei Shomron. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing checkpoints set up around the city of Nablus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At Tur neighbourhood checkpoint (set up on Jerzim Mount) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On all other days, it is open for civilian residents of the neighbourhood only between 07:00 and 02:00. (ii) At 'Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are allowed to cross between 05:00 and 20:00, but between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All civilian vehicles are allowed to access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint. • Flying Checkpoint: At 16:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the junction to Deir Sharaf village on the Nablus-Tulkarem main road and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 21:55, the Israeli army raided Zawata village and patrolled the area until 22:40. (ii) At 23:40, the Israeli army raided Til village. While patrolling the area, confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians. (iii) At 01:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Nablus city. • Arrests: At 00:10 on 05 April 2011, the Israeli army arrested three civilians, including two brothers, during its raid into 'Awarta village, in addition to those reported yesterday: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Rami Sami 'Awwad; (ii) George Mazen Niyaz; and (iii) Hakeem Mazen Niyaz. |

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 00:35, a group of Israeli settlers gained access to civilian land in the vicinity of Burqa village and withdrew at a later time. |
| SALFIT | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades and cement blocks the northern entrance to Bruqin town. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to respective farmland. (iii) Beginning on 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has continued to open the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions and impede civilian access at the Za'tara junction checkpoint. • <u>Raid:</u> At 10:20, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Khirbet Qeis village. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of Emmanuel settlement. |
| JERICHO | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Jericho city and Al 'Auja village with cement blocks. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at Al Hamra checkpoint set up along Al Badhan road connecting Jericho and Nablus districts, only allowing access to residents of Jericho district of the Jordan Valley area. (ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the junction to Al 'Auja village along Al-Mu'arrajat road connecting Jericho and Ramallah districts, only allowing access to residents of Jericho district as well as to others holding access permits. • <u>Flying Checkpoints/Physical Assaults:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near 'Ein ad Duyuk village (the northern entrance to Jericho city) and searched civilians and vehicles. Israeli troops also severely beat two Palestinian Presidential Guard officers, who were onboard a taxi: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Abdul Rahman Nasasrah; and (ii) Thaer Bashir Hanani. Both officers were transported to hospital for treatment of contusions sustained. At 17:00, the Israeli army set up another checkpoint and searched civilians and vehicles until 19:00. (ii) At 09:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance to Jericho city and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 10:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Al 'Auja village and searched civilians and vehicles. • <u>Raids/Confiscation of Property:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:20, the Israeli army raided Ash Shallal area in Al 'Auja village and confiscated a tractor belonging to Ahmed Salem 'Umariyyeh. |

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| | <p>(ii) At 11:55, the Israeli army raided Jericho city and ‘Ein as Sultan refugee camp. In the city, Israeli troops took position in front of the Al Buhturi School, recorded the principal’s ID card number, and inquired him about the number of the school students. Israeli troops also took photographs of a house while searching it in the refugee camp. At 14:35, the Israeli army withdrew from both areas.</p> <p>(iii) At 01:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Jericho city as well as ‘Ein as Sultan and ‘Aqbat Jaber refugee camps. In ‘Ein as Sultan refugee camp, the Israeli army searched a building. At 03:15, the Israeli army withdrew from these areas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Detention: At 11:15, Israeli troops positioned at Al Hamra checkpoint arrested two Palestinian Police officers: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) ‘Uthman Ghawadreh; and (ii) Ahmed Sharif al Kilani. <p>Israeli troops allowed both Police officers to cross after coordination with the Israeli authorities (through the DCO).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Provocation of Palestinian Forces: At 16:50, Israeli troops positioned at Al ‘Auja checkpoint detained a Palestinian Police vehicle and allowed it to cross after coordination with the Israeli authorities (through the DCO). |
| BETHLEHEM | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu’man village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village. (ii) Beginning on 15 September 2007, the Israeli army has continued to prevent civilians from accessing or staying on 22 <i>dunums</i> of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. (iii) Beginning on 20 January 2011, the Israeli army has continued to close the detour road connecting Wadi Fukin and Al Jab’a villages. • Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmad road; a road east of Beit Fajjar town; and a rural road connecting Tuqu’ town to Khirbet al Baq’a village. • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Tuqu’ town and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 18:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Abu Nujeim village and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 00:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the western entrance to Beit Fajjar town and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids/Air Patrol/Attack: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on 05 April 2011, the Israeli army raided Harmala village and arrested a civilian. (ii) At 16:45, Israeli troops, dispatched by combat helicopters, raided a mountainous area near Artas and Khalayil al Luz villages. Israeli troops set up a checkpoint near the entrance to Khalayil al Luz village and searched civilians and vehicles. |

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| | <p>(iii) At 20:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Husan village.</p> <p>(iv) At 22:20, the Israeli army raided and combed Bir ‘Ona area near Beit Jala city. Meantime, the Israeli army opened indiscriminate fire.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrest: The Israeli army arrested Mohammed Muhsen ‘Asakreh in Harmala village. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area northwest of Beit Jala city; around Al Walaja village; and east of Efrat settlement. |
| Hebron | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close Ash Shuhada’ Street; As Sahleh, Khuzq al Far, and Al Khan areas; and the old gold market in the old city of Hebron. In addition to closing the entrance to Al Qeisi neighbourhood, the Israeli army continues to close the entrances to the area of Al Hisba (the fruits and vegetables market) with an iron gate and Al Laban Market with iron plates. (ii) Beginning on 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has continued to close the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evacuated residents and denied civilian access to the area. • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to As Samoa’ and Adh Dhahiriya towns, Al ‘Arrub refugee camp, and At Tuwani and Al Karmil villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along Ash Shalala Old Street in the old city of Hebron. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town. • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Adh Dhahiriya town and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 12:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Beit ‘Awwa town and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 13:00, and again at 21:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the overpass to Halhul town and searched civilians and vehicles. (iv) At 16:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Al Fawwar refugee camp and searched civilians and vehicles. (v) At 20:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Kharsa village and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids/Provocation of Palestinian Security Forces: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:00, the Israeli army raided Hebron city and arrested a civilian. At 00:45, the Israeli army raided the city again and patrolled the area. (ii) At 16:00, the Israeli army raided As Samoa’ town and took photographs of the town’s Palestinian Police station. The Israeli army also set up a checkpoint and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 16:25, the Israeli army raided Yatta town and searched a house. (iv) At 00:05, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Adh Dhahiriya town. (v) At 00:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Beit Kahil town. |

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| | <p>(vi) At 01:20, the Israeli army raided Dura town, searched two houses, and served summonses on two civilians to report to the Israeli Intelligence agency:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Walid Mohammed ‘Amr; and (ii) Ibrahim Isma’il Masharqah. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrests: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 23:25 on 04 April 2011, the Israeli army arrested 17-year-old Yihya Khalil Shneiwer during its raid into Adh Dhahiriya town, as was reported yesterday. (ii) At dawn on 05 April 2011, the Israeli army arrested Ala’ Musleh Mahmoud Abu Subeih in the old city of Hebron. (iii) The Israeli army arrested Muhannad Hussein Abdul ‘Aziz Siyaj in Hebron city. • Settler Violence: At 17:40, a group of Israeli settlers ploughed civilian land near Janba village south of Yatta town. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area surrounding Eshkolot settlement west of Adh Dhahiriya town. |
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| <p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the unilateral ceasefire declared by the Israeli authorities came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire for a week. Later, armed Palestinian groups extended the ceasefire until 05 February 2009. The ceasefire continues to hold. • Violations of the Ceasefire: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army raided Palestinian territory and opened fire on civilian houses and property in Rafah district. The Israeli army opened fire from its locations on the Green Line on Northern Gaza, Khan Yunis, and Rafah district. The Israeli navy opened fire on Palestinian fishing boats at sea off the beach of Rafah district. The Israeli air force carried out three aerial attacks, during which a civilian was killed and four others, including two women, were injured. (ii) In the evening of 05 April 2011, Israeli reconnaissance and F16 combat aircraft patrolled the skies over all districts of the Gaza Strip. (iii) Armed Palestinian individuals opened fire on Israeli patrols and fired three mortars towards the Green Line. |
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| <p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing was partially open to previously-coordinated critically ill civilians, foreign journalists, international organisations staff, merchants, businesspeople, and civilians intending to travel to Jordan through Al Karama (Allenby) Bridge in the West Bank. • Air Attack: In the evening of 05 April 2011, Israeli combat helicopters fired a missile on vacant land in the area surrounding 'Izbat Abed Rabbu village. • Attack: In the morning of 05 April 2011, the Israeli army fired two artillery shells from its location on the Green Line on Palestinian workers north of Beit Lahiya town, killing a worker. • Killing: The Israeli army killed Mohammed Ziyad Shalhah north of Beit Lahiya town. • Palestinian Attack: In the morning of 05 April 2011, armed Palestinian individuals fired two mortars towards the Green Line. |
| <p style="text-align: center;">GAZA</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Al Muntar (Karnei) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed upon an Israeli unilateral decision. (ii) Ash Shuja'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed upon an Israeli unilateral decision. • Air Attack/Injuries/Destruction of Property: In the evening of 05 April 2011, Israeli combat helicopters fired two missiles on vacant land and on a plastics factory east of Gaza city, injuring four civilians, including two women. Of those injured, a woman was pregnant. The air attack also caused damage to the factory as well as to a number of neighbouring houses. |
| <p style="text-align: center;">CENTRAL GAZA</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not reported. |
| <p style="text-align: center;">KHAN YUNIS</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Palestinian Attacks/Israeli Attack: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) In the evening of 05 April 2011, armed Palestinian individuals fired an unidentified mortar towards the Green Line. (ii) In the evening of 05 April 2011, armed Palestinian individuals opened fire on an Israeli army patrol near the Border Fence east of Khuza'a town. Consequently, the Israeli army opened intensive fire on Palestinian territory. |
| <p style="text-align: center;">RAFAH</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. (ii) Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing was open to allow civilians, patients, students, and civilians holding visas and residence cards abroad to depart the Gaza Strip. Access was also allowed to patients, who had received medical attentions at Egyptian hospitals. |

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| | <p>(iii) Sufa Crossing is closed.</p> <p>(iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing was partially open for transportation of food supplies, humanitarian aid, and cooking gas. In addition to a number of vehicles imported by the private sector, 22 truckloads of wheat and four truckloads of construction material designated to UNRWA projects were transported through the Crossing.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attacks:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on 05 April 2011, the Israeli navy opened fire on Palestinian fishing boats at sea off the beach of Rafah city. (ii) In the morning of 05 April 2011, the Israeli army opened fire from its location on the Green Line towards Palestinian civilians, workers, and farmers in the area surrounding Sufa Crossing northeast of Rafah city. • <u>Raid/Attack/Land Levelling:</u> In the morning of 05 April 2011, the Israeli army, including several armoured vehicles and bulldozers, raided Palestinian territory east of Ash Shoka town east of Rafah city. While levelling land, the Israeli army opened intensive fire on civilian houses and property. |
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