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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00,8th April 2015 – 08:00,9th April 2015

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Killing	1	—	1	A resident was killed in Sinjil after he allegedly stabbed 2 Israeli soldiers near “Shilo” junction in Ramallah.
Injury	—	1	1	A resident was injured in North Gaza after Israeli forces opened fire towards him.
Physical Assault	2	—	2	Israeli forces assaulted and injured 2 residents near Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem.
Raids	16	—	16	2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas, 1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 2 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron.
Detention	8	—	8	3 in Jerusalem, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit and 3 in Hebron
Temporary Detention	12	—	12	At checkpoints and residential area including 2 residents at Allenby bridge.
Closure of Checkpoints	6	—	6	1 checkpoint is closed Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	22	—	22	3 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqiliya, 8 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 4 in Jericho and 2 in Hebron.
Attack	7	6	3	7 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents, 4 from Military posts and 2 from Naval vessels including tank artillery shells.
Home Occupation	1	—	1	Israeli forces occupied a home in the old city of Hebron and converted its rooftop into a Military post
Land Occupation	1	—	1	Israeli forces confiscated 1000 dunums of residential land in Beit Ummar and Beit Fajjar area’s near “Majdal Oz” settlement and installed a 2600 m barbed wire fence around the area
Destruction of Property	1	—	1	Israeli settler stoning incident damaged a vehicle in Ramallah.
Closure (per District)	10	—	10	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, and 6 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	63	—	63	Including 1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 3 in Jenin, 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqiliya, 5 in Nablus, 5 in Salfit, 23 in Bethlehem and 21 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	5	5	Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.
Assault on Places of Worship	1	—	1	Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem.
Settler Violence	2	—	2	Israeli settlers stoned residents and vehicles in Ramallah and prevented resident from entering their agricultural land in Jericho.
Total	153	12	165	

WEST BANK

<p>JERUSALEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army, intensified their restrictions at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the ‘demarcation area’ along the Wall in the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits. (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Ikksa villages. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba’ village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Ikksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a “border crossing point” and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city. (ii) On September 19th 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu’fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in Wadi Al-Juz neighbourhood. • <u>Raid:</u> At 10:35 and again at 03:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ram and detained three residents. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained three residents: Fadi Bakhtan, Raed Al-Hitawi and Diy’a Abu Aqidah in Al-Ram. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Aqsa mosque compound temporarily detained Husam Sader (A resident of the old city of Jerusalem) then released him at 18:00. • <u>Physical Assault:</u> At 11:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Aqsa mosque compound assaulted two journalists: Husam Hrish and Hamza Al-Nabali. • <u>Attack:</u> At 22:00, Israeli forces positioned Shu’fat neighbourhood, fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> At 09:45, a group of Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces and Israeli Police stormed Al-Aqsa mosque
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	<p>compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshippers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Gates: <ol 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 Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and ‘Ein Samiya villages. • Flying Checkpoint: At 09:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near “Ofra” settlement. • Raid: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:30, Israeli forces raided Rantis village until 11:45. (ii) At 13:00, Israeli forces raided Sinjil and stormed Mohammad Karakra’s home (who was killed by Israeli forces near “Shilo” settlement for allegedly stabbing two Israeli soldiers. • Attack: At 11:00, Israeli forces positioned near “Shilo” settlement junction opened fire towards and a resident for allegedly stabbing two Israeli soldiers. • Killing: Israeli forces killed Mohammad Jaser Abdallah Karakra (A resident of Sinjil). • Settler Violence: At 19:05, a group of Israeli settlers positioned near “Bet El” settlement stoned residents and vehicles travelling along the main road leading to Al-Jalazoun camp and as a result damaged the windshield of a vehicle owned by Saber Shalas.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of ‘Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. (ii) Since the evening of November 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya’bad. • Raids: At 13:00, Israeli forces raided Qabatiya until 17:40. • Wall Gates: Israeli forces continue to close the wall gate and only allow those holding special permits to enter through it.
TUBAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: At 20:10, Israeli forces raided the area of east Tubas city and stormed two homes.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. • Raid: At 18:30, Israeli forces raided Far’oun village, set up a checkpoint during which they clashed with several residents then withdrew at 19:20. • Wall Gates: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:40, Israeli forces closed wall gate (708) located in Far’oun village and as a result temporarily seized several farmers on the other side of the wall gate until 13:00. (ii) At 19:50, Israeli forces closed wall gate (526) located in Nazlat Issah village and as a result temporarily seized several farmers on the other side of the wall gate until 20:40.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Roads: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town.

<p>QALQILIYA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village. (iii) Since 16:55 on December 18th 2014, Israeli forces closed an agricultural road leading to Far'ata village which is located near "Gillad" settlement with dirt mounds • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun until 13:00. (ii) At 13:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the main road connecting Qalqiliya and Nablus until 14:30. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and impeded the free flow of traffic. The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al- Rasha and to deny civilian access. (ii) The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the 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. (iii) At 14:00, Israeli forces closed wall gate (414) located near Falamiyah village and as a result temporarily detained several farmers on the other side of the wall then reopened it at 14:40.
<p>NABLUS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> Since December 17th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Til-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 Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osrin. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 17:10, Israeli forces closed Huwarah checkpoint and as a result impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Masaudiya area located near Burqa village. (ii) At 10:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the main road connecting Nablus and Ramallah located near Al-Labban Al-Sharqiya until 11:15. (iii) At 15:00 and again at 19:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Burqa village until 20:50. (iv) At 15:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at "Shave Shomron" settlement junction until 16:30. (v) At 18:25, Israeli forces set up at the entrance of Tel village. (vi) At 18:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Qusra village until 19:25. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:25, Israeli forces raided Subastiya village as they escorted a group of Israeli settlers who stormed archaeological sites then installed a checkpoint then withdrew later. (ii) At 12:15, Israeli forces raided Huwarah, detained a resident and

	<p>temporarily detained Masaud Khamous then released him later. (iii) At 03:05, Israeli forces raided Qabalan.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Sa'id Al-Damini in Huwarah.
<p>SALFIT</p>	<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 mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland. (ii) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian, which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from 08:00 until 09:20. (iii) Since 11:00 on July 30th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 22:55, Israeli force intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic as they temporarily detained four residents: Mujahid Suof, Hadi Souf, Nadi Souf and Hillal Souf (Residents of Harris village) then released them at 05:30. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 20:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Kafil Harris and Harris village and detained a resident. • <u>Raid:</u> At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Kafil Harris, clashed with several residents as they stormed a home, temporarily detained two resident's including a child: Mohammad Bouziyz and Wajdi Boujiyah then withdrew at 14:10. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint between Kafil Harris and Harris village detained Fathi Assaad (A resident of Harris village).
<p>JERICHO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 14:15, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:20 and again at 14:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 16:10. (ii) At 11:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Road (90) junction and in Al-Oja village. (iii) At 16:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the north entrance of Jericho until 16:55. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 15:40, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby bridge temporarily detained Nidal Hamdan Al-Masri (A resident of Gaza) as he was returning from Jordan then released him at 19:40. (ii) At 20:20, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby bridge temporarily detained Rami Abu Daya) as he was returning from Jordan then released him at 23:00. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 17:10, a group of Israeli settlers stormed Al-Shallalat area in Al-Oja village and assaulted Musa Rashaydeh as he was herding his sheep in the area and attempted to steal his mule then withdrew later.

<p>BETHLEHEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <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) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunumes of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road between Um Tuba and Al-Jass ; a road between Um Tuba and Khilat Nu'man: a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and the wall; the 2 by pass roads located south of Al-Walaja; a road between Talita Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road between Al-Khader and Beit Jala ; Wadi Rahal road near "Ifrat" settlement ,the road between Al-Khader and road #60 which lead to the eastern neighbourhoods of Bethlehem; a road leading to Wadi Rahal, and a road east of Beit Fajjar town with dirt mounds. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks. (iii) Since August 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. (iv) Since May 8th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires. (v) Since June 3rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds. (vi) Since 13:20 on September 29th 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds. (vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds. (viii) On January 28th 2014, Israeli forces closed the steel gate at the entrance of Nihalin { replacing the dirt mounds placed at the entrance since the year 2002} and placed time schedule for opening the gate from 06:00 until 14:00 on a daily bases. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Nihalin village until 01:20. (ii) At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Beit Fajjar and summoned Tariq Thawabteh to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 03:15. • <u>Land Confiscation:</u> On April 8th 2015, Israeli forces confiscated 1000 dunumes of residential land in Beit Ummar and Beit Fajjar area's near "Majdal Oz" settlement and installed a 2600 m barbed wire fence around the area thus preventing farmers from entering their agricultural land as they attempted to prevent Israeli military bulldozers from levelling their land.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada' Street, Al-Sahleh and Khuzq Al-Far areas, as well as the old gold market in Hebron's Old City. 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 electronic gate; Al-Laban Market also remains closed. (ii) Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them access to the

<p>HEBRON</p>	<p>area.</p> <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 the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City. (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. (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks. (v) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in the area between Al-Samou' and Al-Thahriya until 11:05. (ii) At 18:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Zif village junction until 19:20. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:35, Israeli forces raided Hebron until 09:45. (ii) At 16:15, Israeli forces raided Ras Al-Aroud area located in Sa'ir and clashed with several residents. (iii) At 17:00, Israeli forces raided Khirbeit Salamah village and detained a resident. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on April 7th 2015, Israeli forces detained Majdi Al-Aqali during their raid into Beit Ummar as mentioned in the previous report. (ii) At 16:55, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron detained Mohammad Obiedo. (iii) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Al-Roujub in Khirbeit Salamah village. • <u>Attack:</u> At 07:50 on April 8th 2015, Israeli forces positioned near Tariq Bin Zayed junction in the old city of Hebron fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several school children for alleged stoning. • <u>Home Occupation:</u> At 00:55, Israeli forces stormed Al-Shallat road in the old city of Hebron and occupied Mohammad Abu Haya'a home and converted its rooftop into a military post then withdrew at a later time.
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<p>ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 19:00 on August 26th 2014, Palestinian Gunmen and the Israeli military agreed to a cease fire agreement (brokered by the Arab Republic of Egypt) which includes the opening of border crossings to allow the entry of emergency supplies and humanitarian goods as well as construction material and agreed to increase the fishing limit to 6 nautical miles with possibility of increase to 12 nautical miles by the end of the year and to decrease the Military area to 100 meters, allow freedom of movement and a halt to targeted killings and assassinations and negotiations will be held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month. • Israeli forces broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards North Gaza, Central Gaza and Khan Yunis and as a result injured a resident in North Gaza. • Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire towards
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Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza and Gaza.	
NORTHERN GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination. • <u>Attack:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On the evening of April 8th 2015, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green line fired rubber coated steel bullets towards a resident near the border fence in AL-Salatin area located in North West Beit Lahiya and as a result injured and unidentified resident. (ii) On the morning of April 9th 2015, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Al-Sudaniya beach in west Beit Lahiya.
GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. (ii) Al-Shija'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of April 9th 2015, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Shiekh Al-Ajalin area in South west Gaza.
CENTRAL GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attack:</u> On the evening of April 8th 2015, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line launched tank artillery shells towards agricultural land in east Deir Al-Balah.
KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of April 9th 2015, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green line opened fire towards several farmers on agricultural land in east Abbassan Al-Kabbalah and Khaz'a.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. (ii) Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed. (iii) Sufa Crossing is closed. (iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.