# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

# DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 11<sup>th</sup> April 2013 – 08:00,12<sup>th</sup> April 2013

## **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	4	_	4	1 in Ramallah, 2 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron including a child and a handicapped civilian.
Physical Assault	1	_	1	Israeli forces assaulted a resident in Bethlehem
Detention	11	_	11	2 in Jerusalem, 4 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho and 4 in Bethlehem including 2 children and a resident at Allenby bridge.
Temporary Detention	12	_	12	At checkpoints and residential area including a resident and 3 family member.
Raids	19	_	19	4 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas,1 in Qalqiliya, 3 in Nablus,3 inSalfit,2 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	8	_	8	1 Checkpoint closed, Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 5 others.
Flying Checkpoints	12	_	12	2 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah,1 in Jenin,1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Attack	6	_	6	1 during Raids and 5 during confrontations.
Home Occupation	1	_	1	Israeli forces occupied the rooftop of a home in Bethlehem and converted it into Military posts.
Destruction of Property	2	_	2	Israeli forces uprooted hundreds of fruits bearing trees in Bethlehem and Israeli settlers damaged several Olive trees in Hebron
Land Leveling	1	_	1	Israeli forces levelled a plot of land in Qalqiliya.
Wall Construction	18	_	18	4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarm, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	75	_	75	Including 3 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	5	5	Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for

				the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits.
Settler Violence	6	_	6	Israeli settlers assaulted and injured a resident in Deir Ijrier and installed a mobile home in Silwad in Ramallah, stormed Jenin and Salfit, stormed Bethlehem and destroyed several Olive trees in Hebron.
Demonstrations	1		1	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees.
TOTAL	185	5	190	

#### **WEST BANK**

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- (i) The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound.
- (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 Iksa villages.

### • Closure of Main Roads:

- (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 the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.

#### • Checkpoints:

- (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 and at 16:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic until 17:00.
- (ii) On September 19<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall.
- (iii) At 08:30, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Jaba' checkpoint.

## • Detention:

- (i) At 13:00 on April 4<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces detained Abdallah Al-Shawki as he was farming his land in Wadia Rababa area in Silwan neighbourhood in Jerusalem.
- (ii) At 08:30, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate near Beit Izja village detained Fihmi Makhtoub.

## **JERUSALEM**

	• Wall Gates:  (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.
	<ul> <li>Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma 'ale Adumim.</li> </ul>
	Closure of Main Roads:
	<ul> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.</li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: At 20:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Taybeh junction along the main road connecting Ramallah and Jericho.</li> </ul>
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	Settler Violence:     (i) At 18:40, Israeli settlers stormed the area between Silwad and Deir Ijrier village, assaulted and injured Ahmad Al-Zir as he was farming his land in Silwad leaving him hospitalised with contusions.     (ii) At 19:35, Israeli settlers stormed Silwad, installed a mobile home during
	which residents were able to chase away the settlers and set fire to the mobile home installed during which Israeli forces opened fire towards residents and as a result injured Hamza Hamad (12 years old) leaving him hospitalised with contusions.
	<ul> <li>Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al- Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Closure of Main Road:         <ul> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.</li> <li>(ii) At 19:30, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: At 21:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Yamoun village.</li> </ul>
	• Raid:  (i) At 14:50, Israeli forces raided Arraba village and clashed with its residents.
JENIN	<ul><li>(ii) At 15:30, Israeli forces raided Ajja village and took photographs of several homes.</li><li>(iii) At 18:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Matala village until 19:30.</li></ul>
	<ul> <li>(iv) At 21:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Yamoun village and stormed a home.</li> <li>Settler Violence: At 10:30, Israeli settlers stormed the area between Al-Hafira</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>village and Arraba village then withdrew at 14:00.</li> <li><u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.</li> </ul>
TUBAS	<u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and prevented residents from entering the area.
THE KADEN	<ul> <li>Raid: At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Tubas and stormed 5 homes.</li> <li>Closure of Main Roads:</li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul><li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.</li></ul>

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	<ul> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.</li> <li>• <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 21:30, the Israel army continues to intensify its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>• <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Al-Baqqa Al-Sharqiya until 10:10.</li> <li>Wall Gates: Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision,</li> </ul>
	the new Wall route is to be constructed west of the village.
	Closure of Roads:     Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town.
	(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.
	<ul> <li>Raid: At 14:30, Israeli forces raided Sufin area in Qalqiliya.</li> <li>Land Levelling: At 11:00, Israeli forces levelled a plot of land owned by Ibrahim Obied located on the eastern entrance of Kafr Qaddum</li> </ul>
	• Wall Gates:  (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.
QALQILIYA	(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. 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.
	Wall Construction:      (i) Wall construction resumed in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Immanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma 'ale Shomron settlement.
	(ii) On January 17 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces levelled residential land located at the eastern entrance of Azzun Atma for the purpose of constructing the Wall in the area.
	(iii) On February 6 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli military bulldozers levelled residential land in Jayyus for the purpose of Wall construction.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	(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.  • Checkpoint: At 00:40, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Huwara
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	• Flying Checkpoint: At 13:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Beit
NADI IIC	Wazzan village junction until 16:00.
NABLUS	• Raid:
	<ul> <li>(i) At 11:00, Israeli forces raided Subustiya village, detained a resident then withdrew at 14:00.</li> <li>(ii) At 21:25, Israeli forces raided Talfit village until 22:10.</li> </ul>

	(iii) At 02:50, Israeli forces raided Nablus, detained 2 residents then withdrew		
	at 04:15.		
	• Detention:		
	(i) On April 10 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces detained Ahmad Balhloul as he was		
	returning from Jericho.		
	(ii) Israeli forces detained Mufid Shihab in Sabastiya.		
	(iii) Israeli forces detained Mu'amar Jamous and Sami AlBazzan.		
	• <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>		
	(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 30 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to		
	Abu Nasar and QatanAl-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with		
	cement blocks.		
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and		
SALFIT	impeded the free flow of traffic.		
	• Raid:		
	(i) At 16:40 and again at 18:00, Israeli forces raided Marda village,		
	temporarily detained several residents as the interrogated them, stormed a		
	home, temporarily detained Foad Khafash and released him at 18:30 after		
	interrogation.		
	(ii) A 20:50, Israeli forces raided Harris village and fired flash grenades.		
	• Settler Violence: At 09:50, Israeli settlers stormed agricultural land in Kafr Al-		
	Dik until 16:00.		
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya		
	town southeast of the illegal settlement.		
	• Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set		
	up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts and imped the free flow		
	of traffic.		
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 01:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Nabi Musa		
	junction.		
JERICHO	• <u>Raid:</u>		
02120110	(i) At 09:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village, temporarily detained 2		
	residents: Yahya Atiyat and Yusef Sa'ayda releasing them after		
	interrogation.		
	(ii) At 16:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Jiftlik village, temporally detained 2		
	residents and releasing them at 17:30.		
	• <b>Detention:</b> On April 11 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby bridge		
	detained Ahmad Harb as he returned from Jordan.		
	• Closure:		
	(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.		
BETHLEHEM	(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from		
DETILLEM	accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area		
	in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.		
	Closure of Main Roads:		
	(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; 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 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
- <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 08:20, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at a checkpoint near Billal Bin Rabahj mosque located in north Bethlehem and impeded the free flow of traffic until 19:00.
- <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 11:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Tagou'.

#### • Raid:

- (i) At dawn on April 12<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces raiededAl-Khadr, detained a resident and summoned Ashraf Issa to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- (ii) At 13:35, Israeli forces raided Taqou', clashed with its residents then withdrew at 13:50.

#### • Attack:

- (i) At 14:50, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ayda camp in Bethlehem fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning and as a result injured Mohammad Quwar and detained 2 children.
- (ii) At 15:15, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Nashash junction fired tear gas grenades towards several resident for alleged stoning and as a result injured Mohammad Subieh (16 years old), occupied the rooftop of a home owned by Mohammad Al-Wahsh and assaulted and injured Mustafa Salah (64 years old) as they stormed his home leaving him hospitalised with contusions.

#### • Detention:

- (i) At 03:10 on April 11<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces detained Amar Qaraqa as they stormed his home in Al-Ayda camp.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Marwan Issa in Al-Khadr.
- (iii)Israeli forces detained Karam Al-Amarin (17 years old) and Mohammad Al-Badwana (14 years old) in Al-Ayda camp.
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 16:00, Israeli forces temporarily detained Jamil Al-Nath, his wife and 3 of his family member's near Al-Faradis village and released them at 17:05.
- <u>Destruction of Property:</u> On April 11<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces destroyed hundreds of fruit bearing trees in Wadi Kharatim area near Al-Faradis.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 07:00, Israeli settlers raided Suleiman's pool in Irtas village then withdrew at 08:00.
- <u>Demonstration</u>: At 11:00, a demonstration took place near the Nativity Church in Bethlehem in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in North West of Beit Jala town.

## • Closure:

(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

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#### Closure of Main Roads:

access to the area. .

- (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) On 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.
- (vi) On December 27<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.

## • Flying Checkpoint:

- (i) At 09:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al Nabi Yunis junction (on the main road connecting Hebron and Bethlehem).
- (ii) At 11:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Ummar.
- (iii) At 18:35, Israeli forces set up 2 checkpoints at Beit Anun and Al-Fuwar camp junctions.

#### • Raid:

- (i) At 11:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed several merchant shops then withdrew at 13:50.
- (ii) At 00:50, Israeli forces raided Beit Awwaa and Deir Sammit village.
- <u>Attack:</u> At 04:20 on April 11<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces opened fire towards Mu'taz Abidu (a Handicapped) as they stormed his home in Hebron and injured his arm.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: On April 11<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli settlers stormed Al-Safa village and damaged several Olive trees owned by Hamdan Saliba.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

#### **GAZA STRIP**

### ALL DISTRICTS

- At 21:00 on November 21<sup>st</sup> 2012, the unilateral ceasefire declared by Israel came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire.
- On November 14<sup>th</sup> 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21<sup>st</sup> 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles.

NORTHERN GAZA	• <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.		
GAZA	Closure of Crossing Points:     Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.     Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.		
RAFAH	<ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Points:         <ul> <li>Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits.</li> <li>Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed</li> </ul>		

## **Detainees Update**

• On April 11<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces handed over to the Ministry of Prisoners' Affairs, the left foot of the prisoner Aqra agonist, which was amputated on 02. 04. 2013 in Hospital Israeli (Asaph Harofe), for burial; which was amputated as a result of rotting tissue internal result of medical negligence and deliberately delaying to provide the necessary treatment for the prisoner to conduct multiple surgeries to remove shrapnel from bullets from his leg after he was fired upon by Israeli troops while being detained.