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DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 12th April 2013 – 08:00, 13th April 2013 SUMMARY OF EVENTS

| EVENT | WEST BANK | GAZA STRIP | TOTAL | NOTES |
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| Injury | 11 | - | 11 | 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 6 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron including 4 children, a woman, is International Peace Activists and 1 resident from settler attack. |
| Detention | 10 | | 10 | 5 in Ramallah, 2 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron including 4 children and a University student. |
| Temporary Detention | 9 | _ | 9 | At checkpoints and residential areas. |
| Raids | 14 | _ | 14 | 2 in Ramallah,3 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas,1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit ,2 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Checkpoints | 5 | | 5 | Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others. |
| Flying Checkpoints | 10 | — | 10 | 3 in Jerusalem,2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin,2 in Salfit and 2 in Hebron. |
| Attack | 18 | 2 | 20 | 18 during confrontations and 2 from Military posts. |
| Destruction of Property | 1 | _ | 1 | Israeli settlers destroyed 40 Olive trees in Nablus. |
| 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 | _ | 4 | 4 | Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits. |
| Assault on Places of Worship | 1 | _ | 1 | Israeli settlers led by an Israeli parliament member stormed Al-Ibrahimi mosque in Hebron. |
| Settler Violence | 2 | _ | 2 | Israeli settlers destroyed 40 olive trees in Nablus and assaulted a Sheppard in Bethlehem. |

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| Demonstration | 8 | | 8 | Against the construction of the wall, settlements, land confiscation and closures. |
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| TOTAL | 190 | 6 | 196 | |

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| JERUSALEM | Closure: On April 12th 2013, the Israeli army intensified 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 under the age of 50 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound. 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. 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: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba' village. The Israeli army continues to close the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town. 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: Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem DS and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city and a 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic. 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. Attack: Attack: At 14:20, Israeli forces positioned at Qalandiya checkpoint fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning. At 14:30, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ram junction fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning. At 15:40, Israeli forc |
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| | fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning and detained 4 residents for alleged stoning including 2 children. <u>Wall Gates:</u> (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 |

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| | 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 |
| | IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. |
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| | • <u>Wall Construction</u> : Wall construction resumed 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. |
| | Closure of Main Roads: |
| | (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as |
| | the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. |
| | Flying Checkpoint: |
| | (i) At 10:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Nabi |
| | Saleh village. |
| | (ii) At 16:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Abboud and |
| | detained a University student. |
| | • Raid: |
| | (i) At 10:15, Israeli forces raided Beituniya until 10:25. |
| | (ii) At 02:35, Israeli forces raided Silwad, detained 4 children then withdrew |
| | at 03:40. |
| | • <u>Detention:</u> |
| | (i) Israeli forces detained Mahmoud Al-Barghouthi in Abboud. |
| | (ii) Israeli forces detained Majd Hamad (16 years old), Akram Hamad (17 |
| | years old), Mohammad Hamad (17 years old) and Abdel Rahman Hamad |
| | (15 years old). |
| | • <u>Attack:</u> |
| DANZATT ATT 0 | (i) At 16:35, Israeli forces positioned near Jalazoun camp fired rubber coated |
| RAMALLAH & AL BIREH | steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning. |
| AL BIKEH | (ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Mazra'a Al-Gharbiya, fired |
| | rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning. |
| | Demonstration: |
| | (i) At 13:00, a demonstration took place in Silwad against land confiscation |
| | and settler violence during which demonstrators clashed with Israeli |
| | forces |
| | (ii) At 14:00, a demonstration took place in Ni'lin and Bil'in village |
| | protesting against the construction of the Wall, clashed with Israeli forces |
| | and as a result left several demonstrators suffocating from tear gas |
| | inhalation. |
| | (iii) At 14:00, a demonstration took place in Al- Nabi Saleh village protesting |
| | against land confiscation and settlement expansion, clashed with Israeli |
| | forces and as a result injured 2 international peace activists and left |
| | several demonstrators suffocated from tear gas inhalation. |
| | (iv) At 15:35, demonstration took place at the entrance of Ofar prison in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from |
| | Israeli prisons. |
| | • 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. |
| | Closure of Main Road: |
| | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to |
| JENIN | 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. |
| | • Flying Checkpoint: At 19:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west |
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| | entrance of Ya'bad. <u>Raid:</u> At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Sila Al-Harthiya, Al-Yamoun and |
| | • <u>Kau:</u> At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Sha Al-Haruniya, Al-Famoun and Rumana village. |
| | • <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. |
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| | • <u>Checkpoints</u> : The Israeli army increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to |
| TUBAS | the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and prevented |
| | residents from entering the area. |
| | <u>Raid:</u> At 18:50, Israeli forces raided Tayassir village until 19:00. <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> |
| | (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. |
| TULKAREM | • Checkpoints: The Israel army continues to intensify its restrictions at Einav |
| | checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of |
| | traffic. |
| | • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision, |
| | the new Wall route is to be constructed west of the village. |
| | Closure of Roads: |
| | (i) 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. Raid: At 18:40, Israeli forces raided Izbit Al-Tabib, temporarily detained Jihad |
| | Tabib and Yasser Tabib then released them at 19:00. |
| | • Demonstration: At 13:00, a demonstration took place in Kafr Qaddum protesting |
| | against the closure of the east entrance of the village, clashed with Israeli forces as |
| | they attempted to reach the demonstration site and left several demonstrators |
| | suffocated from tear gas inhalation. |
| | • <u>Wall Gates:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to |
| | search civilians, including students, using a metal detector. |
| | (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the |
| QALQILIYA | village of Wadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows |
| QALQILITA | 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. |
| | • <u>Wall Construction:</u> (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 th 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 th 2013, Israeli military bulldozers levelled residential |
| | land in Jayyus for the purpose of Wall construction. |
| | <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> |
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| NABLUS | (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. Settler Violence: At 19:20, Israeli settlers stormed Orif village and uprooted 40 olive trees owned by Isam Sabbah then withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces. |
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| SALFIT | <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland. 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. Since 11:00 on July 30th 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 Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. <u>Flving Checkpoint:</u> At 08:00, Israeli forces set up 2 checkpoints at the entrances Kafil Harris and Harris village and impeded the free flow of traffic after closing both entrance gates for the alleged stoning of Israeli settler vehicles then reopened it at 10:00. <u>Raid:</u> At 20:50, Israeli forces raided Harris village fired flash grenades then withdrew at 21:50 <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement. |
| JERICHO | • <u>Checkpoints</u> : Israeli forces closed Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. |
| BETHLEHEM | 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. (ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from 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 Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks. |

| | (iii) Since August 2 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. |
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| | • <u>Raid:</u> |
| | (i) At 20:00, Israeli forces raided Beit Fajjar until 22:55. |
| | (ii) At 23:40, Israeli forces raided Husan village, detained 2 residents and |
| | summoned Adel Al-Hurub to report to Israeli intelligence for |
| | questioning. |
| | • Attack: At 13:40, Israeli forces positioned near Um Al-Rakaba area near Al- |
| | Nashash junction fired tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning and |
| | as a result injured residents including 2 children: Sadam Salah (12 years old), |
| | Bara Issa (16 years old), Tuqa Manasra, and Ziyad Abu Sha'ir leaving themn |
| | hospitalised with contusions. |
| | • Detention: Israeli forces detained Ibrahim Jaffar and Alaa Hamarna in Husan |
| | village. |
| | • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 15:30, Israeli settlers assaulted and injured Ashraf Al-Massri |
| | as he was herding his sheep near Al-Walaja village. |
| | • Demonstration: At 13:30, a demonstration took place in Al-Massara village |
| | protesting against the construction of the wall during which Israeli forces |
| | prevented demonstrators from reaching the demonstration site. |
| | • <u>Wall Construction</u> : Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala |
| | town. |
| | • <u>Closure:</u> |
| | (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 area. |
| | Closure of Main Roads: |
| | (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 |
| HEBRON | also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks. |
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| | (vi) On December 27 th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village |
| | which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks. |
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| | • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> (i) <u>At 1140 Jarceli forces set up a checkpoint at Pait Apup village junction</u> |
| | (i) At 11:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Anun village junction. (ii) At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Bani Na'im. |
| | (ii) At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Bani Na'im. Raid: |
| | (i) At 11:00 and again at 23:50, Israeli forces raided Hebron. |
| | (i) At 19:15, Israeli forces raided Um Al-Arayis area in Yatta and detained 2 |
| | residents. |
| | (iii)At 24:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Urub camp and detained a resident. |

| <u>Detention:</u> (i) Israeli forces detained Nael Abu Arram and Jamil Houshiya in Yatta. (ii) Israeli forces detained Ahmad Al-Badawi in Al-Urub camp. <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 11:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Tarqumiya temporarily detained Ismail Dabasna and released him at 18:40. <u>Attack:</u> (i) At 14:55, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Urub camp fired tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning (ii) At 16:40, Israeli forces positioned near Khursa village fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards for alleged stoning. (iii)At 17:45, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Beit Ummar fired |
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| (iii) A 17:16, laten forces positioned at the chalance of Det Chana fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning and as a result injured Aziza Abu Mariya (11 years old). (iv) At 17:45, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Tabaqa village fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and injured Ahmad Qazaz (17 years old) and Ahmad Al-Harsha. |
| • <u>Assault on Places of Worship</u> : At 17:30, Israeli settlers including an Israeli Member of Parliament stormed Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron. |
| • <u>Demonstration</u> : At 14:00, a demonstration took place in Hebron protesting against the restrictions on movement and Israeli checkpoints and demanded the opening of a road connecting Hebron with Dura, Al-Samou'and Al-Thahriya which has been closed since 2000 during which Israeli forces fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards demonstrators leaving them suffocated from tear gas inhalation. |
| • <u>Wall Construction</u> : Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town. |

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| ALL DISTRICTS | At 21:00 on November 21st 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 14th 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24th 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21st 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles. Israeli forces broke the ceasefire agreement by opening fire towards Khan Yunis |
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| 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: |

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| | (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'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. |
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| KHAN YUNIS | • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of April 12 th 2013, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire towards agricultural land near Bani Sahil. |
| RAFAH | <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is partially open from 07:00 until 11:00 for the entry of Humanitarian supply. |