# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



# PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

#### **DAILY SITUATION REPORT** 08:00,17<sup>th</sup> April 2015 – 08:00,18<sup>th</sup> 2015

| SUMMARI OF             | SUMMARY OF EVENTS |               |       |   |
|------------------------|-------------------|---------------|-------|---|
| EVENT                  | WEST<br>BANK      | GAZA<br>STRIP | TOTAL | NOTES   |
| Injury                 | 11                | 3             | 14    | 4 in Ramallah, 6 in Qalqiliya,1 in Hebron,3 in Khan Yunis including 4 children and an International Peace Activist.                             |
| Raids                  | 12                |               | 12    | 1 in Jenin, 2 in Nablus, 3 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 5 in Hebron.  |
| Detention              | 5                 |               | 5     | 2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Qalqiliya and 2 in Hebron including a resident who was injured.  |
| Temporary Detention    | 7                 |               | 7     | At checkpoints and residential areas including 4 children.  |
| Closure of Checkpoints | 4                 |               | 4     | Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.                    |
| Flying Checkpoints     | 16                |               | 16    | 5 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem,3 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho and 4 in Hebron.   |
| Attack                 | 12                | 1             | 13    | 12 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents, and 1 from Military Post.  |
| Home Occupation        | 1                 |               | 1     | Israeli forces occupied several homes in Hebron and converted their rooftops into Military posts.   |
| 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, 243in Bethlehem and 21 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Crossings   |                   | 6             | 6     | Beit –Hanun (Erez) crossing is partially open.  |
| Demonstration          | 6                 |               | 6     | Against the construction of the wall, settlement construction, the closure of roads.  |
| Settler Violence       | 3                 |               | 3     | Israeli settlers stormed archaeological sites in Tulkarem, stoned residents<br>and vehicles in Nablus and assaulted a resident in Bethlehem.    |
| Total                  | 150               | 10            | 160   |   |

### WEST BANK

|           | • <u>Closure:</u>   |
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|           | (i) On April 17 <sup>th</sup> 2015 the Israeli army, intensified their restrictions at the<br>entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road<br>leading to the city and prevented worshipers under the age of 40 from<br>conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound. |
|           | (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the 'demarcation area' along the Wall in<br>the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local<br>residents as well as to civilians holding special permits.   |
|           | <ul> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a<br/>hill between Biddu and Beit Iksa villages.</li> </ul>  |
|           | <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>   |
|           | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba' village.   |
|           | <ul> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to<br/>Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through</li> </ul>  |
|           | Qalandiya checkpoint.   |
|           | <u>Checkpoints:</u>   |
|           | <ul> <li>(i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing<br/>point" and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and<br/>another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city.</li> </ul>   |
|           | <ul> <li>(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.</li> </ul>  |
|           | • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u><br>(i) At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Qalandiya  |
| JERUSALEM | camp.<br>(ii) At 13:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Eisawiya   |
|           | <ul> <li>village.</li> <li><u>Detention</u>: At 21:30, Israeli forces detained two residents: Mohammad Shallabi</li> </ul>  |
|           | and Mohammad Abu Sbieh in the old city of Jerusalem.  |
|           | • <u>Attack:</u><br>(i) At 13:55, Israeli forces positioned near the entrance of Al-Eisawiya village fired, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for  |
|           | alleged stoning.  |
|           | (ii) At 14:30, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Anata fired rubber<br>coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents<br>for alleged stoning.  |
|           | <ul><li>(iii) At 17:10, Israeli forces positioned in Abu Dis fired rubber coated steel<br/>bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged</li></ul>  |
|           | stoning.  |
|           | • <u>Demonstration</u> : At 11:25, a demonstration took place in Al-Shiekh Jarrah neighbourhood in Jerusalem protesting against the occupation of Palestinian homes in the neighbourhood by Israeli settlers and against settlement construction  |
|           | in 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.   |
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|            | <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>  |
|            | (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: At 17:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of   |
|            | Deir Abu Mash'al village.  |
|            | • <u>Attack:</u>   |
|            | <ul> <li>(i) At 13:40, Israeli forces positioned near the entrance of "Ofar" military base fired live ammunition stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and as a result injured a child: Burqan Al-Khatib(17 years old) {A resident of Beit Rima}.</li> <li>(ii) At 15:20, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Al-Jalazoun camp fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several several residents for alleged stoning.</li> </ul> |
| RAMALLAH & | (iii) At 15:50, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Silwad fired rubber   |
| AL BIREH   | coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.  |
|            | Demonstrations:  |
|            | <ul> <li>(i) At 13:40, a demonstration took place in Ni'lin protesting against the construction of the wall during which they clashed with Israeli forces and as a result left them suffocated from tear gas inhalation.</li> <li>(ii) At 13:40, a demonstration took place in Bil'in protesting against the</li> </ul>  |
|            | construction of the wall during which they clashed with Israeli forces and   |
|            | as a result injured 3 residents including a child: Anas Mansour (17 years  |
|            | old), Jawdat Sarour and Haytham Nafi' as well as leaving several   |
|            | residents suffocated from tear gas inhalation.   |
|            | (iii) At 1340, a demonstration took place in Al-Nabi Saleh village protesting  |
|            | against the confiscation of land for the purpose of settlement construction  |
|            | during which they clashed with Israeli forces who fired live ammunition,   |
|            | stun and tear gas grenades towards demonstrators and as a result left them suffocated from tear gas inhalation.  |
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|            | • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u><br>(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 25 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the  |
| JENIN      | western entrance of Ya'bad.  |
|            | • <b>Raid:</b> At 10:00, Israeli forces raided Marka village until 14:30.  |
|            | <ul> <li>Wall Gates: Israeli forces continue too close the wall gate and only allow those</li> </ul>   |
|            | holding special permits to enter through it.   |
|            | Closure of Main Roads:   |
|            | (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  |
| TULKAREM   | leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.  |
|            | • Flying Checkpoint: At 01:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Deir Al-   |
|            | Ghusoun and Attil until 03:30.   |
|            | • Settler Violence: At 13:20, Israeli settlers positioned near Al-Nazlah Al-Sharqiya   |
|            | village as they looked for archaeological sites then withdrew at 14:30.  |
|            | <u>Closure of Roads:</u>   |
|            | (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   |
| QALQILIYA  | Intifada, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village.  |

|         | (iii) Since 16:55 on December 18 <sup>th</sup> 2014, Israeli forces closed an agricultural<br>road leading to Far'ata village which is located near "Gillad" settlement<br>with dirt mounds  |
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|         | <ul> <li><u>Demonstration</u>: At 11:40, a demonstration took place in Kafr Qaddum against the closure of the east entrance during which they clashed with Israeli forces who tried to disrupt the demonstration who fired live ammunition, rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards demonstrators who attempted to reach they demonstration site and as a result injured 6 residents including an International Peace Activist: Saher Barham, Ayman Barham, Ma'moun Ishtiwi, Mansour Obied, Hammam Aqel and Avi Shviet (International Peace Activist) and also left several demonstrators suffocating form tear gas inhalation.</li> <li><u>Detention</u>: Israeli forces detained Hammam Aqel after he was injured by Israel</li> </ul> |
|         | <ul> <li>forces in Kafr Qaddum village.</li> <li><u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul> <li>(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</li> </ul></li></ul>   |
|         | <ul><li>deny civilian access.</li><li>(ii) The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109.<br/>Having removed the gate at the entrance to the village of Ras Atiya, the<br/>Israeli army only allows students to cross to their schools outside the<br/>village through the Habla gate.</li></ul>   |
|         | • <u>Closure</u> : Since December 17 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500  |
|         | dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area.  |
|         | 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.  |
| NABLUS  | <ul> <li>Flying Checkpoint:         <ul> <li>(i) At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Dajjan until 12:45.</li> <li>(ii) At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Furiq and impeded the free flow of traffic until 12:45.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |
| 1012200 | (iii) At 17:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beita junction.  |
|         | • <u>Raid:</u>   |
|         | <ul> <li>(i) At 24:00, Israeli forces raided Aqraba until 01:00.</li> <li>(ii) At 03:25, Israeli forces raided Nablus until 04:45.</li> </ul>  |
|         | • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 20:30, Israeli settlers positioned near the bypass road near Beit Dajjan village stoned residents and vehicles then withdrew at 22:20.   |
|         | <ul> <li><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></li> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.</li> </ul>   |
| SALFIT  | <ul> <li>(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.</li> </ul>  |
|         | (iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to<br>Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with<br>cement blocks.   |
|         | • Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara  |
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|           | <ul> <li>checkpoint and imped the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: At 18:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Iskaka</li> </ul> |
|           | • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 18:50, Israel forces set up a checkpoint hear Iskaka<br>Village Bridge.  |
|           | • <b>Temporary Detention:</b> At 18:00, Israeli forces temporarily detained four  |
|           | children: Mahmoud Sultan (16 years old), Nasser Daoud (15 years old), Jihad   |
|           | Sulktan (5 years old) and Wajeeb Sultan (16 years old) near Kafil Harris then   |
|           | released them after questioning at 20:00.   |
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|           | • Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set   |
|           | up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.   |
|           | • Flying Checkpoint: At 19:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near road (90)  |
|           | junction in Al-New'meh village located at the north entrance of Jericho until   |
| JERICHO   | 19:30.  |
|           | • <u>Raid:</u>  |
|           | (i) At 00:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village searched a home and  |
|           | summoned Taysir Rominien to report to Israeli intelligence for  |
|           | questioning then withdrew at 01:00.<br>(ii) At 01:10, Israeli forces raided Jericho and Aqbat Al-Jaber camp, clashed                                    |
|           | with several residents in the camp then withdrew at 02:25.  |
|           | 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 dunumes of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area   |
|           | in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.   |
|           | • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>   |
|           | (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:<br>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  |
| BETHLEHEM | 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.  |
|           | (iv) Since May 8 <sup>th</sup> 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 3 <sup>rd</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and  |
|           | road 60 with dirt mounds.   |
|           | (vi) Since 13:20 on September 29 <sup>th</sup> 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 28 <sup>th</sup> 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  |
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|        | <ul> <li>on a daily bases.</li> <li><u>Raid:</u> At 14:45, Israeli forces raided Um Al-Raqaba area in Al-Khadr until 16:35.</li> <li><u>Settler Violence:</u> At 12:10, Israeli settlers positioned near "Taqou" settlement assaulted Saber Hammad (A resident of Wadi Al-Nis village) as he was working in the settlement and as a result, left him hospitalised with contusions.</li> </ul>   |
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|        | <ul> <li><u>Demonstration</u>: At 13:50, a demonstration took place in Al-Ma'sra village protesting against the construction of the wall during which Israeli forces fired stun and tear gas grenades towards demonstrators and prevented them from reaching the demonstration site.</li> </ul>   |
|        | <ul> <li><u>Closure:</u> <ul> <li>(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.</li> <li>(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</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
|        | <ul> <li>area.</li> <li><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul> <li>(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.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |
|        | <ul> <li>roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town.</li> <li>(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.</li> <li>(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.</li> </ul>  |
| HEBRON | <ul> <li>Flying Checkpoint:         <ul> <li>(i) At 12:45 and again at 19:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Halhoul Bridge.</li> <li>(ii) At 16:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Sarah village.</li> <li>(iii)At 16:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Tabaqa village junction.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   |
|        | <ul> <li><u>Raid:</u> <ul> <li>(i) At 11:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Oroub camp and occupied several homes and converted their rooftops into Military posts.</li> <li>(ii) At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed several homes, summoned 2 residents: Obadssa Amrrah and Omar Al-Muhtasib to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 05:50.</li> <li>(iii) At 19:50, Israeli forces raided Sa'ir and detained a resident after storming his home.</li> <li>(iv) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Surif and summoned Samih Farat to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   |
|        | <ul> <li><u>Detention:</u> <ul> <li>(i) At 13:35, Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint in the old city of Hebron detained Mohammad Abu Snieneh.</li> <li>(ii) Israeli forces detained Oday Jabarin in Sa'ir.</li> </ul> </li> <li><u>Attack:</u> <ul> <li>(i) At 15:50, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Beit Ummar fired live ammunition; rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades</li> </ul> </li> </ul>  |

| towards several residents and as a result injured the child: Mohammad |
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| Alami (14 years old).   |

## GAZA STRIP

| ALL<br>DISTRICTS | <ul> <li>At 19:00 on August 26<sup>th</sup> 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.</li> <li>Israeli forces positioned behind the Green line broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire towards Khan Yunis and as a result injured three residents including a child.</li> </ul> |
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| NORTHERN<br>GAZA | • <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, and passengers travelling abroad and through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.  |
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| GAZA             | <ul> <li><u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul> <li>(i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> <li>(ii) Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has closed following a unilateral Israeli decisions.</li> </ul> </li> </ul> |
| KHAN YUNIS       | • <u>Attack:</u> At 18:00, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire, launched stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents in east Abbassan Al-Kabbirah and as a result injured three residents including a child: Khallil Al-Killani (17 years old), Mohammad Abu Ammar and Alla Abu Ammar.  |
| RAFAH            | <ul> <li><u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> <ul> <li>Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> <li>Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed.</li> <li>Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>   |