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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 24th April 2014 – 08:00, 25th April 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	—	10	10	10 residents were injured during Israeli air strikes on North Gaza including 3 children and 2 Palestinian gunmen.
Raids	21	1	22	5 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas, 1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 3 in Salfit, 3 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem, 5 in Hebron and 1 in Khan Yunis..
Temporary Detention	13	—	13	At checkpoints and residential areas including a child and a Security force officer.
Detention	8	—	8	1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Qalqiliya, 3 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron including 2 Palestinian Police officers...
Closure of Checkpoints	4	—	4	Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	5	—	5	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah and 2 in Bethlehem.
Attack	3	4	7	1 during Raid, 3 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents, 2 from Military post and 1 from Naval Vessel including tank Artillery shells.
Installation of Military Post	1	—	1	Israeli forces installed a Military watch tower at the entrance of Ofar Prison
Provocation of Palestinian Security Forces	1	—	1	Israeli forces fired live ammunition towards several Palestinian Police officer in Hebron
Confiscation of Property	3	1	4	Israeli forces confiscated 2 Palestinian passports and personal photos for Palestinian Police officer in Hebron and fishing net in North Gaza.
Destruction of Property	1	—	1	Israeli forces damaged furniture as they stormed and searched a home in Hebron.
Assault on Property	1	—	1	Israeli forces prevented 2 residents from Farming their agricultural land locate endear a Military watch tower in Qalqiliya.
Land Levelling	—	1	1	Israeli forces levelled a plot of agricultural land in Khan Yunis.

Wall Construction	15	—	15	4 in Jerusalem. 3 in Ramallah, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	9	—	9	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	72	—	72	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	5	5	Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination, diesel fuel for electric generators
Settler Violence	1	—	1	Israeli settlers stoned several homes and residents and chopped off tree limbs in Salfit.
Palestinian Attack	—	1	1	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.
Total	158	23	181	

WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<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 and prevented worshipers under the age of 50 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 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 and impeded the free flow of traffic. (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. (iii) At 09:00, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Beit Ikksa checkpoint and prevented a concrete pump truck from entering Beit Ikksa then allowed it to pass through at 09:50. • <u>Detention:</u> At 19:00, Israeli forces detained Ra’fat Osiwat in Jerusalem. • <u>Wall Gates:</u>
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. (ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on 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. • Wall Construction: 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.
<p>RAMALLAH & AL BIREH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. (ii) Since September 3rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the north east entrance of Al-Mughier village with dirt mounds. (iii) Since 00:20 on March 4th 2014, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Al-Jalazun camp and Bet El settlement with cement blocks. • Flying Checkpoint: At 19:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Sinjil, temporarily detained 2 residents including an Intelligence officer: Maher Samoudi and Samer Samoudi then released them at 20:35. • Detention: At 04:00 on April 24th 2014, Israeli forces detained Marwan Hamdan during their raid into Al-Jalazun camp in addition to those mentioned in the previous report. • Installation of Military Post: At 14:15, Israeli forces installed a Military watch tower along the road in Beituniya at the entrance of Ofar Prison. • 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.
<p>JENIN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: <ul 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. • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:20, Israeli forces raided Jalbun village. (ii) At 22:20, Israeli forces raided Awarta and Deir Ghazaleh until 23:30. (iii) At 00:15, Israeli forces raided Zubaba village, clashed with several residents then withdrew at 00:40. (iv) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Yamun , stormed several homes then withdrew at 03:30. • Wall Gates: 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.
<p>TUBAS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Kafr Kashdeh.
<p>TULKAREM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt 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. • Checkpoint: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Raid: At 01:35, Israeli forces raided Attil until 02:45. • Temporary Detention: At 20:10, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate near

	<p>Nazlat Issa village temporarily detained Jihad Ibrahim then released him at 20:45.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Gates: 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.
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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 03:30, Israeli forces raided Azzun, detained a resident then withdrew at 04:15. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Abdel Karim Shabtiya in Azun. • Temporary Detention: At 12:00, Israeli forces temporarily detained Abdel Halim Abdallah and Mohammad Abdallah as they were farming their land near Kafr Qaddum then released them at 12:25. • Wall Gates: <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. The Israeli army used bomb sniffing dogs to search residents and seized a Palestinian Police vehicle then allowed it to pass through at a later time. (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. • Wall Construction: 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.
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: Since December 17th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area. • Closure of Main Roads: <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.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt 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. • Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 22:00, Israeli forces raided Deir Istiya, clashed with its residents then

	<p>withdrew at 22:25.</p> <p>(ii) At 22:10, Israeli forces raided Kafil Harris villages as they were escorting several Israeli settlers during which the settlers stoned homes and residents and chopped the limbs of several tresses then withdrew at 05:00.</p> <p>(iii) At 01:55, Israeli forces raided Yasu village , stormed home , temporarily detained Osama and Safi Eid after storming their home and summoned Sami Eid to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew t 04:10.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
<p>JERICHO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 00:15, Israeli forces raided Jericho and Aqbat Al-Jabr camp, stormed a home then withdrew at 02:10. (ii) At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village, stormed a home and summoned Mohammad Rumin to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.
<p>BETHLEHEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village. (ii) 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. • Closure of Main Roads: <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.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 19:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Dar Salah village located at the east entrance of Beit Sahur until 21:45. (ii) At 00:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west entrance of Taqou' until 01:50. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ma'sra village and stormed a home. (ii) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Duheisheh camp in Bethlehem and detained 2 residents. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 04:00 on April 21st 2014, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Assa during their raid into Al-Ubeidiya. (ii) Israeli forces detained 2 residents : Ashraf Zaghi and Mohammad Odeh. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala town. (ii) On May 1st 2103, an Israeli court ordered the halt of wall construction near Betar village. (iii) On July 21st 2013, Israeli courts ordered the halt of construction of the wall in Al-Carmisan area in the west area of Beit Jalla.
<p style="text-align: center;">HEBRON</p>	<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 area. . • <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. (vi) Since December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks. (vii) Since 09:45 on September 23rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the main road leading to "Haji" settlement and impeded the free flow of traffic • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:55, Israeli forces raided Hebron. (ii) At 17:10, Israeli forces raided Al- Thahriya until 19:50. (iii) At 21:00, Israeli forces raided Yatta until 21:20. (iv) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Bani Na'im until 01:55. (v) At 05:20, Israeli forces raided Ithna, stormed and searched a home,

	<p>detained 2 Palestinian Police officer and damaged furniture as they stormed and searched their home and confiscated 2 Passports and personal photos.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Lou'ay Tumayzi and Raed Tumay'zi in Ithna. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 15:50, Israeli forces positioned in the old city of Hebron temporarily detained Zeid Da'na (13 years old) for allegedly finding a knife in his possession the released him at 19:00. (ii) At 16:30, Israeli forces positioned in east Yatta, temporarily detained 2 residents: Khalil Al-Hamda and Mohammad Al-Hamda as they were farming agricultural land then released them at 18:00. (iii) At 20:50, Israeli forces positioned near "Idura" settlement temporarily detained Hassan Shallafa as he was herding his goats then released him at a later time. • <u>Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces fired live ammunition towards Palestinian Police officer who were on duty near Bab Al-Zawiya area in Hebron city • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town.
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GAZA STRIP

<p>ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 cease fire agreement as they stormed Khan Yunis and opened fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards Khan Yunis. • Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease fire agreement towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza. • Palestinian gunmen opened fire and detonated a UXO near an Israeli Military vehicle as it passed near the border fence.
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<p>NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<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, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination. • <u>Attack:</u> At 06:30 on April 24th 2014, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya and confiscated fishing net owned by Yusef Al-Sultan. • <u>Injury:</u> On the afternoon of April 23rd 2014, 10 residents including 5 children: Hanin Al-Masri (11 years old), Reem Al-Habal (5 years old), Khaled Al-Ghoul (15 years old), Isra Al-Habal (8 years old) and Salim Al-Za'noun (15 years old) were injured during Israeli airstrikes towards Palestinian gunmen in Beit Lahiya in addition to those mentioned in the previous report. • <u>Palestinian Attack:</u> At 18:40, Palestinian gunmen detonated a UXO near the border fence as an Israeli military vehicle was passing near the fence during which Israeli forces opened fire and launched tank artillery shells towards the Palestinian gunmen in east Jabaliya.
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<p>GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul 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 been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
<p>KHAN YUNIS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> On April 24th 2014, Israeli forces escorting several Military bulldozers stormed east Khan Yunis and opened fire as they levelled a plot of agricultural land
<p>RAFAH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> <ul 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 passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination, diesel fuel for electric generators and construction Material for UNURW funded projects.