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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 27 th April 2013 – 08:00, 28 th April 2013 SUMMARY OF EVENTS				
				EVENT
Injury	2	1	3	1 in Bethlehem, 1 in Hebron and 1 in Rafah including a resident from settler vehicle attack.
Detention	1	3	4	1 in Bethlehem and 3 in Central Gaza including 3 children as they attempted to climb the border fence into Israel.
Temporary Detention	9	_	9	At checkpoints and residential areas including a child.
Raids	13	_	13	1 in Jerusalem, 4 in Ramallah,2 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Nablus,1 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	6	_	6	1 checkpoint closed, Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	9	_	9	2 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah,2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Nablus,1 in Jericho and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	2	1	3	2During confrontations and 1 from Naval vessels.
Aerial Assault	_	3	3	Israeli fighter jets launched 3 consecutive missiles towards Khan Yunis and Rafah.
Destruction of Property	5	1	6	Israeli settlers set fire to a vehicle and 3 homes in Jerusalem, stormed Abu Al-Asja village, set fire to Palestinian flags and slandered Palestinian religious sites in the old city of Hebron and Ran over resident in Hebron and Israeli aircrafts destroyed a fishing boat off the shores of Rafah.
Wall Construction	_	_	_	Wall construction was halted for Sabbath holiday
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	_	6	6	Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits.

Settler Violence	4		4	Israeli settlers set fire to a vehicle and 3 homes in Jerusalem, stormed Abu Al-Asja village, set fire to Palestinian flags and slandered Palestinian religious sites in the old city of Hebron and Ran over resident in Hebron.
Palestinian Attack		1	1	Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.
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•	Closure:
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- (i) 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 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound as a result prevented residents and workers including those with entry permits from entering Israeli and Jerusalem.
- (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 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.
- Raid: At 17:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ram until 18:00.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: At dawn on April 28th 2013, Israeli settlers set fire to a vehicle owned by Mohammad Mughrabi, a home and 3 gardens owned by Al-Mughrabi, Ja'uni and Al-Khatib families and as a result injured 3 residents including 65 year old who suffocated from smoke inhalation.
 - Wall Gates:

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	(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 was halted 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 for Sabbath holiday.
	• <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 09:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Atara bridge
RAMALLAH &	• Raid: (i) At 01:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh city until 02:40.
AL BIREH	(ii) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Awrta, Qarwat Bani Zayed and Kafr Ein
	villages, summoned Hisham Al-Iss and Ali Al-Faqiya to report to Israeli
	 intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 02:40. Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted 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 for Sabbath holiday.
	• <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to
	the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.
JENIN	(ii) Since the evening of November 25 th 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.
31211111	• Raid: At 01:05, Israeli forces raided Maythaloun and Siris villages.
	• 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.
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TUBAS	• Checkpoints: 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.
	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
	leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 17:10 and again at 20:30, the Israel army intensified its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded
	the free flow of traffic.
TULKAREM	• Flying Checkpoint: (i) At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Lid.
	(ii) At 07:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Al-Kafriyat road (which
	connects Tulkarem and Qalqiliya), temporarily detained several residents
	 and released them after interrogation by an Israeli Intelligence officer. Raid: At 22:55, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem until 01:30.
	• Wall Gates: Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route was halted in the
	area surrounding Jubara village for Sabbath holiday. 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
	• 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.
	(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.
QALQILIYA	• Wall Construction:
	(i) Wall construction was halted 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 for Sabbath holiday.
	(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.
	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.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 09:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along "Shave Shomron"
	settlement junction until 10:30.
	(ii) At 21:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sarah village junction until
NABLUS	22:30.
	• Raid: At 10:30, Israeli forces raided Yasad village stormed a home and
	summoned Mohammad Mashafi to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning
	then withdrew at 11:00.
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	• <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.
GAT TYPE	(ii) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city
SALFIT	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 th 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.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted in the area north of Deir
	Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement for Sabbath holiday.
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	• Checkpoints: At 23:00, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra
	checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts until
JERICHO	24:00.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 04:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south
	entrance of Jericho.
	• Raid: At 20:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Zibidat village.
	• 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
BETHLEHEM	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 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
	• Raid: At 01:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Aza camp in Bethlehem and detained a
	resident.
	• Attack: At 17:05, Israeli forces positioned near Um Al-Rakaba area near Al-
	Nashash junction fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards
	several residents for alleged stoning and injured Amir Masalma (17 years old)
	leaving him hospitalised with contusions.
	• Detention: Israeli forces detained Eyad Abu Sha'ir in Bethlehem.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted in North West of Beit Jala
	town for Sabbath holiday.
	• 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
	access to the area
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• 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) 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.
- <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 21:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Ummar.

• Raid:

- (i) At 19:10, Israeli forces raided Turama village.
- (ii) At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron until 02:05.
- <u>Temporary Detention</u>: At 10:45, Israeli forces positioned in the old city of Hebron temporarily detained 3 children: Abdel Nu'ti Abu Mayleh (5 years old), Ahmad Abu Mayaleh (13 years old) and Mohammad Abu Mayaleh (13 years old) and released them at a later time.
- <u>Attack:</u> At 21:30, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Urub camp fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.

• <u>Settler Violence:</u>

- (i) At 14:20, Israeli settlers stormed Abu Al-Asja village in Al-Thahriya and took photographs of several plots of land.
- (ii) At 21:50, Israeli settlers torched a Palestinian flag and chanted racist slogans against Palestinians in Tel Al-Rumayda neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron.
- (iii) At 23:45, an Israeli settler vehicle ran over and injured Fayez Al-Tamimi near "Kirtyat Ar'ba" settlement in the old city of Hebron leaving him hospitalised with contusions.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town.

GAZA STRIP

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 Rafah.
- Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards

 Khan Yunis and Rafah and injured a resident. Palestinian gunmen broke the ceasefire agreement by launching projectiles towards the Green Line.

NORTHERN GAZA	• Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is closed.
	• Palestinian Attack: At 23:10, Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the
	Green line.
	• Closure of Crossing Points:
	(i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the
GAZA	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.
CENTRAL	• Detention: At 22:30 on April 24 th 2103, Israeli forces detained Yahya Farjallah (17
GAZA	years old), Suliman Al-Su'dani and Ahmad Al-Farjallah, as they attempted to
GAZA	climb the border fence into Israel near Al-Buriej camp.
KHAN YUNIS	• Arial Assault: At Dawn on April 28 th 2013, Israeli fighter jets launched missiles
MIAN I UNIS	towards Palestinian gunmen in Khan Yunis.
	• <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u>
	 Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.
	• Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students,
	passengers with permits.
RAFAH	• Sufa Crossing is closed.
	Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed.
	• <u>Attack:</u> At 21:00, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian
	fishing boats off the shores of Rafah and as a result set fire to a fishing
	boat owned by Kamal Shihadeh.
	• Aerial Assault: At 03:12 and again at 03:45, Israeli fighter jets launched
	a missile towards Palestinian gunmen in Tel Al-Sultan neighborhood in
	Rafah.