# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 29<sup>th</sup> April – 08:00, 30<sup>th</sup> April 2013

# **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	4	_	4	2 in Nablus, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron including 3 residents and a child injured from settler attack.
Detention	14	—	14	3 in Jerusalem,2 in Ramallah,1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Nablus,2 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron including 2 University professors and a University student.
Temporary Detention	9	_	9	At checkpoints and residential area including a Security officer.
Raids	30	_	30	3 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, , 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Nablus, 3 in Jericho, 4 in Bethlehem and 9 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	16	_	16	2 in Jerusalem,2 in Tulkarem, 6 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus,, 1 in Jericho and 1 in Bethlehem.
Attack	3	_	3	During confrontation.
Assault on Property	*1		1	Israeli forces forced several residents to abandon their homes in Tubas for alleged military training and *served a military order to abandon 20 acres of agricultural land in Bethlehem.
Destruction of Property	*4		4	Israeli forces uprooted several dozens of Olive trees and demolished water well in Bethlehem and demolished water well and agricultural shed in Hebron. *Israeli forces served demolition order to demolish a Room 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 set fire to tires near Qalandiya checkpoint in Jerusalem, stormed the area near Aqraba and Beita, set fire to agricultural land in Beit Furiq, assaulted 2 residents in Nablus, an Israeli settler ran over a child with his vehicle in the old city of Hebron and attempted to confiscated land on a hill top in Hebron for the purpose of installing a settlement outpost.
Demonstration	1	_	1	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees
TOTAL	194	5	199	

#### **WEST BANK**

#### • Closure:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify 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.

### **JERUSALEM**

#### • 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.
- Raid: At 23:00, Israeli forces raided Qalandiya camp and detained 3 residents.
- <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Khalid Antar, Muh'sin Abu Aisheh and Moayad Al-Louzi in Qalandiya camp.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 22:45, Israeli settlers set fire to vehicle tires near Qalqnaiya checkpoint.

#### • 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

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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 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.  • Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<ul> <li>Raid:         <ul> <li>(i) At 18:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Jalazun camp.</li> <li>(ii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Biet Liqya.</li> <li>(iii) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Sira village and detained 2 residents.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Detention: Israeli forces detained Ehab Al-Haj and Mohammad Hamdan in Bier Sira village.</li> <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>
JENIN	Closure of Main Road:      (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 western entrance of Ya'bad.      Raid:      (i) At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Zabadiya.      (ii) At 17:00, Israeli forces raided Jalqamus village.      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.
TUBAS	<ul> <li><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.</li> <li><u>Assault on Property:</u> At 06:00 on April 29<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces forcibly removed 20 families, residents of Al-Malah and Ein Al-Hilweh villages for allegedly conducting military training in the area.</li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul> <li>Closure of Main Roads:         <ul> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.</li> <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> </ul> </li> <li>Checkpoints: At 15:15, 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> </ul> <li>Flying Checkpoint: At 14:00 and again at 00:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Bizzariya junction near Bal'a and detained a resident.</li> <li>Raid:         <ul> <li>(i) At 09:45, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem and inspected water well.</li> </ul> </li>

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	(ii) At 11:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Shweikiya neighbourhood in Tulkarem.
	(iii) At 11:15, Israeli forces raided Bal'a.
	Detention: Israeli forces detained Majdi Karkour, a resident of Tulkarem near
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	Anabta.
	• Wall Gates: 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.
	• Flying Checkpoints:
	(i) At 19:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of
	Qalqiliya.
	(ii) At 09:20 and again at 01:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the
	entrance of Jit village.
	(iii) At 10:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Jayyus and Sir
	Village.
	(iv) At 21:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun.
	(v) At 01:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Jinsafut
	village.
	• <b>Destruction of Property:</b> At 12:50, Israeli forces served a demolition order for a
	shed (storage room) owned by Khalil Tayoun for allegedly being built without
QALQILIYA	proper licencing because of its location on Area C.
	• 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.
	• Wall Construction:
	(i) Wall construction resumed 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
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	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.
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	(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: <ol> <li>At 15:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf junction.</li> <li>At 18:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Bazariya village and detained a resident.</li> <li>At 22:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf junction.</li> <li>At 06:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Nablus and Asira Al-Shamaliya.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Raid: <ol> <li>At 15:55, Israeli forces raided Beita.</li> <li>At 00:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Aqrabiniya village and summoned Za'ir Abu Arouj to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.</li> <li>At 01:35, Israeli forces raided Nablus, stormed and searched 2 buildings and detained 2 University professors.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Detention: <ol> <li>Israeli forces detained Ahmad Nazal in Bazariya village.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>(ii) Israeli forces detained Ahmad Al-Nashar and Isam Al-Ashqar in Nablus.</li> <li>Settler Violence: <ol> <li>(i) At 14:30, Israeli settlers stormed Ein Olim area between Aqraba and Beita.</li> <li>(ii) At 15:00, Israeli settlers set fire to agricultural land in Beit Furiq.</li> <li>(iii) At 16:00, Israeli settlers assaulted 2 residents: Fawzi Nassassra and Abdel Raham Ghatabta leaving them hospitalised with contusions.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
SALFIT	<ul> <li>Closure of Main Roads: <ol> <li>The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.</li> <li>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> <li>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.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.</li> </ul>
JERICHO	<ul> <li>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.</li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: At 08:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho.</li> <li>Raid: <ol> <li>(i) At 13:45, Israeli forces raided Jericho and Al-Nu'ma village, temporarily detained several residents and released them after questioning them.</li> <li>(ii) At 02:10, Israeli forces raided Jericho and Aqbat Al-Jabr camp, clashed with its residents and summoned Muntasir Al Akhras to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.</li> </ol> </li></ul>
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 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.
- **Flying Checkpoint:** At 17:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Fajjar.

#### • Raid:

- (i) At 11:10, Israeli forces raided Betar and Nihalin villages.
- (ii) At 03:45, Israeli forces raided Irtas village.
- (iii) At 04:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Duhiesheh camp in Bethlehem, stormed and searched a home and detained 2 residents.

#### • Attack:

- (i) At 17:50, Israeli forces positioned in Um Al-Rakaba area near AL-Nashash junction fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.
- (ii) At 19:35, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Taqou' and fired tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.
- **Detention:** Israeli force detained Baha Al-Enas and Nabil Al-Enas in Bethlehem.

#### • Destruction of Property:

- (i) At 08:45, Israeli forces stormed Khillal Al-Louz, levelled a plot of land uprooted several olive trees owned by Yusef Rayan.
- (ii) At 11:45, Israeli forces stormed Jabal Nahla near Irtas village served orders to abandon 20 acres of land for a period of 45 days owned by Abdel Hajj Obieda for allegedly being Israeli government land.
- Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed 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 access to the area.

#### • Closure of Main Roads:

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

#### • Raid:

- (i) At dawn on April 29<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya, stormed a home and detained a resident.
- (ii) At 11:05 and again at 00:20. Israeli forces raided Hebron.
- (iii) At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Dura, stormed a home and summoned Issa Shided to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- (iv) At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Khursa village and searched a home.
- (v) At 00:25, Israeli forces raided Surif.
- (vi) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Yatta, stormed a home and summoned Rateb Al-Jabour to report to Israeli intelligent for questioning.
- (vii)At 01:55, Israeli forces raided Haloul and detained a resident.
- (viii) At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Shuyukh village and detained a University student.

#### • <u>Detention:</u>

- (i) Israeli forces detained Eyad Jabarin in Al-Thahriya.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Sharif Zamar'a in Halhoul.
- (iii) Israeli forces detained Anas Halayga in Al-Shouyokh.
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 11:30, Israeli forces positioned in the old city of Hebron temporarily detained Billal Jabarin (a National Security Officer) and released him at a later time.
- <u>Destruction of Property:</u> At 08:55, Israeli forces demolished a water well and Agricultural storage room owned by Sa'id Al-Aza in Dura for allegedly being built without proper licensing.

#### • Settler Violence:

- (i) At 10:45, an Israeli settler ran over a child, Yusef Al-Mutuhasib (5 years old) near Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron leaving him hospitalised with contusions.
- (ii) On April 29<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli settlers occupied a hill top near in Yatta and began levelling land in an attempt to install a settlement outpost.
- <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:10, a demonstration took place in front of the International Red Cross headquarters in Hebron in solidarity with Palestinian detainee and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

# 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.
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- 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.

NORTHERN GAZA	<ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Point: 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.</li> </ul>
GAZA	<ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Points:         <ul> <li>Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> <li>Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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>