# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



# PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 3<sup>rd</sup> December 2012 – 08:00, 4<sup>th</sup> November 2012

# **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Killing	1	-	1	1 resident in Beit Lid in Tulkarem.
Injury	_	1	1	1 child was slightly injured in Central Gaza
Detention	18	-	18	1 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah,3 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 1 in Bethlehem and 5 in Hebron including 2 child and a Security Officer.
Temporary Detention	8	_	8	At checkpoints and residential areas including 4 children.
Raids	16	_	16	1 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 4 in Tulkarem, 4 in Nablus,1 in Salfit and 3 in Hebron .
Closure of Checkpoints	5	_	5	Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	13	_	13	2 in Jerusalem,3 in Ramallah 1 in Tubas,1 in Tulkarem,1 in Qalqiliya, 2 in Nablus,1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	2	1	3	1 during confrontations and 2 from military posts.
Destruction of Property	2	_	2	Israeli forces levelled and uprooted 200 olive trees in Bethlehem.
Land Leveling	2	_	2	Israeli forces levelled agricultural land in Nablus and 15 dunumes of agricultural land in Bethlehem.
Wall Construction	16	_	16	4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarm, 3 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	74	_	74	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 24 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings		4	4	Rafah crossing open is open for the exit of patients, students, and passengers with permits, Beit Hanun crossing (Erez) is open for international access and Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is

				open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, 5 truckloads of wheat and Livestock feed and construction material for internationally funded projects
Assault on Places of Worship	2	_	2	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and Israeli forces demolished a mosque in Hebron.
Settler Violence	1	_	1	Israeli settlers occupied 3 apartments in Jabal Al-Mukabbir in Jerusalem.
Demonstration	1	_	1	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees.
TOTAL	169	6	175	

# **WEST BANK**

•	Closure:
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- (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.
- (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 Qalandia 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.
- (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.
- <u>Demonstration</u>: At 19:00, a demonstration took place near Bab Al-Amoud gate in the old city of Jerusalem in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons during which Israeli forces prevented demonstrators from reaching the International Red Cross headquarters in A-Sheikh Jarrah neighbourhood and detained a resident.
- <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Nassar Qus near Bab AL-Amoud gate in the old city of Jerusalem.

# **JERUSALEM**

Temporary Detention: At 07:30 on December 3rd 2012, Israeli forces temporarily detained and interrogated Wassim Abu Sbieh (11 years), Mohammad Abu Sbieh (13 years old), Mahmoud Abu Sbieh (13 years) and Abdel Karim Al-Shawoukhi (16 years old) in "Al-Maskoubiya" integration center and released them at a later time.  Assault on Places of Worship: On the morning of December 3rd 2012, Israeli settlers stormed the vicinity of Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshipers.  Settler Violence: At 09:00, a group of Israeli settlers occupied 3 residential apartments in Jabal Al-Mukabbir neighbourhood in Jerusalem which are owned by Suleiman Abu Diyab during which they proceeded to changing the entrance locks (Israeli authorities have authorised the demolition of the building for allegedly not being licenced).  Wall Gates:  The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town.  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-Sleavawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.  Wall Construction: Wall construction continued 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 14:15, Israeli forces set up 2 checkpoints at the entrances of Beit Ur Al-Fouqa and Beit Ur Al-Tahta.  (ii) At 17:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Atara bridge.  Raid: At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh city, detained a resident and summoned Mohammad Ibrahim and Khalid Ibrahim to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.  Detention: Israeli forces detained Mohammad Al-Rom in Al-Bireh city.  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 the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.  (i) Since the evening of November 25 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.  Raid:  (i) At 09:40, Israeli forces raided Ya'bad.  (ii) At 22:30, Israeli forces raided Faqqu'a village, temporarily detained and interrogated several residents and released them at a later time.  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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	flow of traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 16:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of
	Ibziq village.
	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.
	• Checkpoints: At 21:00, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at Einav
	checkpoints: At 21.00, the Israeli arily intensified its restrictions at Emay checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of
	traffic.
	• <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 07:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Al-Kafriyat
	road which connects Tulkarem and Qalqiliya.
	• Raid:
	(i) At 11:50, Israeli forces raided Allar, stormed and searched a home.
TULKAREM	(ii) At 16:00 and again at 22:00, Israeli forces raided Anabta and detained 2
	residents.
	(iii) At 22:00, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem and detained a resident.
	• Killing: At 09:45, Hatem Shadid died of gunshot wounds sustained after Israeli
	forces opened fire towards him during a traffic accident during which his vehicle
	collided with and Israeli military jeep along the main road connecting Tulkarem
	and Nablus.
	• Detention:
	(i) Israeli forces detained Abdel Karim Barakat and Zaher Barakat in Anabta.
	(ii) Israeli forces detained Ahmad Abdel Hadi.
	• 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 will 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 Checkpoint: At 21:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jinsafut village
	junction.
	• 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.
QALQILIYA	(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: 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.
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	(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>Checkpoint: At 11:50, Israeli forces levelled land and installed cement blocks in the vicinity of Huwwara checkpoint located along the road leading to the south entrance of Nablus.</li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: <ul> <li>(i) At 12:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Yitsahar settlement junction located in north Huwwara.</li> <li>(ii) At 20:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Furiq junction.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Raid: <ul> <li>(i) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Balata camp in Nablus, stormed and searched 7 homes and detained 7 residents including a National security officer.</li> <li>(ii) At 01:40, Israeli forces raided Tel village.</li> <li>(iii) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Sarah village.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Detention: Israeli forces detain Mujahid Abu Saris (National Security Officer), Amid Saqer, Ahmad Khatib, Yazan Khatib, Jihad Abu Hayat, Mohammad</li> </ul>
	Hamidan and Hamed Hashash.
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 continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Kafil Harris and Haris village.</li> <li>Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.</li> </ul>
JERICHO	<ul> <li><u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continues to intensify 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><u>Raid:</u> At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Aqbat Jabr camp in Jericho, stormed 2 homes and summoned Billa Imtier and Hisham Hassanat to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.</li> </ul>
ветніенем	<ul> <li>Closure: <ol> <li>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.</li> <li>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.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Closure of Main Roads: <ol> <li>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</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
	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 19:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Fajjar.
- <u>Raid:</u> At 14:45, Israeli forces raided Arab Al-Rashayida village located in south Bethlehem, stormed and searched 4 homes.
- <u>Detention:</u> At 17:00, Israeli forces positioned near "Kafr Atsiyon" settlement detained Rabi' Sharmoukh, a resident of Al-Dhiesheh camp in Bethlehem, for allegedly attempting to stab an Israeli soldier.
- <u>Land Levelling:</u> At 09:30, Israeli military bulldozers stormed and levelled 15 dunumes of agricultural land in Al-Jab'a village and uprooted approximately 200 olive trees and destroyed walls surrounding agricultural land owned by Ibrahim Hamdan.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued 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:

- (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 the entrance 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 also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.

# **HEBRON**

# • Raid

- (i) At 03:00 on December 3<sup>rd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces raided Al-Urub camp, stormed and searched several homes and detained 5 residents including 2 children
- (ii) At 22:00, Israeli forces raided Hebron and set up a checkpoint at its entrance.

(iii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya.

- <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Ibrahim Teitie (17 years old), Mohammad Abu Sham'a (17 years old), Hassan Abu Sham'a, Bayan Al-Badawi and Abdel Rahman Al-Titie in Al-Urub camp.
- <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> At 07:00, Israeli forces demolished a mosque in Al-Mafarqa village located in east Yatta for allegedly being built without a licence.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

# **GAZA STRIP**

# 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. On 14.12.2011, Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark. Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards Central Gaza and lightly wounded a child.

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	<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>
CENTRAL GAZA	• <u>Attack:</u> On the afternoon of December 3 <sup>rd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire towards several residents and farmers located on their agricultural land in Al-Buriej camp and lightly wounded Jihad Al-Sawakrat (16 years old).
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 and International aid.</li> <li>Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, 5 truckloads of wheat and Livestock feed and construction material for internationally funded projects.</li> </ul>

# **Detainees Update**

• On the evening of December 3<sup>rd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces stormed section (11) in Nafhat prison, forcibly removed detainees from their prison cells, searched all detainees for allegedly searching for cellular telephones, assaulted and beat several detainees leaving several detainees injured with contusions.