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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 13th December 2012 – 08:00, 14th December 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	21	—	21	21 in Hebron during the funeral of the child killed near Al-Ibrahimi mosque as mentioned in the previous report.
Detention	12	—	12	3 in Ramallah, 3 in Bethlehem and 6 in Hebron including 4 University students.
Temporary Detention	13	—	13	At checkpoints and residential areas including 7 children and a Police officer.
Raids	9	—	9	1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Jenin, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Bethlehem and 4 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	19	—	19	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem, 5 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus, 2 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	5	—	5	During confrontation.
Provocation of Palestinian Forces	1	—	1	Israeli forces positioned at Container checkpoint summoned a Palestinian Security officer to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
Home Demolition	1	—	1	Israeli forces demolished part of a home in Shu'fat camp in Jerusalem for allegedly not having proper licencing.
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.

Settler Violence	3	—	3	Israeli settlers stormed the area between Silwad and Deir Jarir, prevented vehicles from passing through Atara bridge, stoned, and assaulted several children in Tel AlRumayda neighborhood in the Old city of Hebron.
Demonstration	2	—	2	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees.
TOTAL	190	4	194	

WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <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 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. • <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. (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. • <u>Raid:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ram. • <u>Home Demolition:</u> At dawn on December 12 2012, Israeli forces demolished part of Musa Shweiki’s home in Shu’fat camp in Jerusalem for allegedly being built without a licence. • <u>Demonstration:</u> On the evening of December 13th 2012, 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. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <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-Sleavawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the areas north and south
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	of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma 'ale Adumim.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 18:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at "Homlish" settlement junction. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:55, Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces stormed the area between Silwad and Deir Jarir village, clashed with its residents, detained 3 residents including 2 children then withdrew at 13:00. (ii) At 20:45, Israeli settlers positioned at Atara bridge impeded the free flow of traffic then withdrew at a later time. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Abdel Rahim Hamad (16 years), Mohammad Hamad (17 years) and Majd Hamad in the area between Silwad and Deir Jirir village. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued 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.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> <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. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Arqa village. (ii) At 18:15, Israeli forces raided Ya'bad. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 17:30, Israeli forces temporarily detained 2 children Ayman Abed (12 years) and Hassan Abed (10 years) in the area between Al-Yamoun and Kafr Dan villages. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> 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 style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army intensified its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <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. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army intensified its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 18:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near "Ghashouri" factory located in west Tulkarem. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route continued 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
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Roads:</u> <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

	<p>Kafr Qaddum village.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Jinsafut. (ii) At 14:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Qaddum village. (iii) At 17:00 and again at 19:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Immatin village junction. (iv) At 19:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Jayyus and Kafr Jamal village. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued 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"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf village junction until 10:30. (ii) At 09:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Huwwara and Jamma’in until 10:45. (iii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sarah village junction until 19:20. (iv) At 18:35, Israeli force set up a checkpoint at Beita village junction until 19:40. • <u>Raid:</u> At 21:15, Israeli forces raided Burin village until 21:35 • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 17:50 Israeli forces positioned at Huwara checkpoint temporarily detained several residents after searching their vehicles then released them at 18:20.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <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 QatanAl-Jama’ located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 18:35, Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za’tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 19:40.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 20:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Al-Dik until 22:00. (ii) At 21:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Deir Ballut. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 11:00, Israeli forces temporarily detained Isam Al-Siwari, Eyad Dweikat and Mufid Al-Aqad at Zatara checkpoint and released them at 12:20. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 12:30, Israeli forces continues to intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 19:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Nabi Musa junction until 19:55. (ii) At 20:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the Dead Sea junction
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <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 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <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 ; 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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 12:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the north west entrance of Beit Jalla until 13:20. • <u>Raid:</u> At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Fajjar and detained a resident. • <u>Attack:</u> At 14:35, Israeli forces positioned near Bilal Bin Rabah mosque in north Bethlehem fired tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning leaving the suffocating from tear gas inhalation and detained 2 children. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Moath Dirya in Beit Fajjar. (ii) Israeli forces detained Hilmi Al-Qiessy (17 years old) and Mutasim Al-Amir (12 years old) near Bilal Bin Rabah mosque in north Bethlehem. • <u>Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</u> At 16:00, Israeli forces positioned at Container checkpoint temporarily detained Mohammad Abu Afifa, a National Security officer and summoned him to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in North West of Beit Jala town.
<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 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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Bani Na'im. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on December 13th 2012 and again at 11:40, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed several homes, and detained 6 residents including 2 University students. (ii) At 11:00, Israeli forces raided Bani Na'im. (iii) At 19:40, Israeli forces raided Yatta, temporarily detained 2 residents Mohammad Najjarat (Palestinian Police Officer) and Jamal Najjarat releasing them at 23:50 • <u>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:15, Israeli forces positioned near Abu Hadid area in the old city of Hebron fired tear gas grenades towards several children who participated in the funeral of the child killed near Al-Ibrahimi mosque and detained 5 children Saddam Id'ies (13 years), Hassan Banat (13 years), Wajih Al-Rajabi (11 years), Faris Abu Sniena (13 years) and Rabi' Gayth (13 years). (ii) At 12:50 and again at 20:30, Israeli forces positioned at Bab Al-Zawiya gate in Hebron fired rubber coated steel bullets towards residents participating in the funeral of the child killed near Al Ibrahimi mosque a. injured 20 residents and suffocated 68 residents, critically injured the child Nasser Al-Shirati (16 years). (iii) At 18:20, Israeli forces positioned near Tariq Bin Zeid School in the old city of Hebron fired tear gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Mu'taz Al-Hirbawi, Ahmad Al-Aw'awi, Anas Al-Jab'a, Moath Al-Himouni, Sudqi Al-Atrash and Mohammad Al-Atrash. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> On December 13th 2012, Israeli settlers assaulted several

	<p>children near Tel Al-Rumayda neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron and injured Raghad Al-Iza (14 years old) and Yunis Al-Iza (9 years old).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 12:-00, a demonstration took place in Al-Urub camp in solidarity with Palestinian detainees 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-Thahriya town.
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GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS	<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 24th 2012, Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark.
NORTHERN GAZA	<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.
GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ol 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.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> • Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. • Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits and International aid. • Sufa Crossing is closed. • 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.

December 14th 2012