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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 21 December 2014 – 08:00, 22 December 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injuries	7	—	7	1 in Ramallah, 5 in Nablus, 1 in Hebron, inclu. 4 children one seriously injured
Raids	13	—	13	1 in Ramallah, 3 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqilya, 2 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Detention	25	2	27	12 in Jerusalem, 7 in Ramallah, 1 in Jericho, 3 in Bethlehe, 2 in Hebron, 2 in Central Gaza, incl. 2 children, 1 civilian at Allenby Bridge, and 2 civilians entering Israel through borders
Temporary Detention	7	—	7	At checkpoints and residential areas including 2 children and a resident at Allenby bridge
Closure of Checkpoints	5	—	5	1 checkpoint is closed, Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	22	—	22	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Tubas, 3 in Qalqilya, 4 in Nablus, 3 in Jericho, 6 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron
Attacks	6	—	6	During confrontations between Israeli forces and residents
Home Demolition	4	—	4	Israeli forces demolished 4 barracks in Izariyye in Jerusalem
Home Occupation	1	—	1	Israeli forces occupied 1 home in Bethlehem
Demolition of Property	2	—	2	Israeli forces demolished 2 barracks used for raising cattle in Izariyye in Jerusalem
Closure (per District)	10	—	10	1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem, 6 in Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	73	—	73	Incl. 1 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 3 in Jenin, 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqilya, 7 in Nablus, 6 in Salfit, 24 in Bethlehem and 23 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	4	4	Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the entry and exit of residents, tourists and students entering from the Republic of Egypt.
Assault on Places of Worship	1	—	1	Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshipers and stormed a mosque in Hebron.
Settlement Activities	1	—	1	Israeli forces razed land for construction of new housing units in Yakir settlement in Salfit
Settler Violence	2	—	2	Settlers ran over child in Ramallah and entered Hafira village in Jenin
Total	179	6	185	

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 for the alleged stabbing of an Israeli settler. (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 with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa 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 closed the checkpoint at 01:20 and impeded the free flow of traffic until 04:05. (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>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:20, Israeli forces detained two civilians at Jabaa checkpoint connecting Jerusalem to Ramallah: Ahmad mleihat and Odai Ahmad Mleihat. (ii) At 10:00, Israeli forces detained three civilians in Silwan in Jerusalem: Imad Khalil Abbasi, Samer Abbasi, and Abda Abbasi. (iii) At dawn on 22 December 2014, Israeli forces detained 6 civilians including 2 children in Jerusalem: Anas Darwish, 16, Ahmad Darwish, 16, Noor Shalabi, Mohammad Abu Farha, Ala’ Ibrahim Obeid and Ziyad Abu Hadwan. (iv) At dawn on 22 December 2014, Israeli forces detained one civilian in Sur Baher: Mahmoud Amire. • <u>House demolition:</u> At dawn on 22 December 2014, Israeli forces demolished four barracks in Jabal Al-Baba area in Izariyye and two barracks used for raising cattle owned by Maliha Khamis Al-Jahalin and Salem Kayed Al-jahalin. • <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> On the morning of December 21st 2014, Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli Police and Military stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound and provoked worshippers. • <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-
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	<p>Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</p>
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<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 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) At 22:30 on November 28th 2014, Israeli forces closed the entrance of Beit Illu village with cement blocks. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 16:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Sinjil and detained five civilians. • <u>Raids:</u> At 04:00, Israel forces raided Qarawa Bani Zayed and detained two civilians. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The five civilians detained in Sinjil are Muath Munir Jabara, Jabara Mohammad Youssef Jabara, Mohammad Ramadan Kook, Hamze Thaeir Shalabi, Youssef Mohammad Jabara. (ii) The two civilians detained in Bani Zayed are Mohammad Hussam Rasgid Omar and Mahran Raja Sneif. • <u>Attacks:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:30, Israeli forces near Ofer camp fired steel bullets and tear gas canisters at civilians. (ii) At 11:10, Israeli forces in Yabroud village fired stun grenades and tear gas canisters at civilians. (iii) At 14:00, Israeli forces fired stun grenades and tear gas canisters at civilians. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> On 21 December 2014, a settler ran over a child Mousa Fawwaz Barhoum, 17, near Luban Gharbiyye village and caused him serious injuries.
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>Settler Violence:</u> At 14:00, a group of settler entered Hafira village east of Arraba and withdrew at 16:30. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Israeli forces continued to close wall gates denying civilians access without permits.
TUBAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 22:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Al-Faraa and Badhan villages until 22:40
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> At 13:30, Israeli forces continued to intensify their restrictions at “Eniv” checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:40, Israeli forces raided and patrolled Beit Lid until 10:50. (ii) At 03:00, Israeli forces raided and patrolled Shweiki suburb in Tulkarem until 03:55. (iii) At 04:05, Israeli forces raided and patrolled Tulkarem until 04:25.

<p style="text-align: center;">QALQILIYA</p>	<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 Kafr Qaddum village. (iii) At 12:10 on September 2nd 2014, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Qalqiliya and Nablus near Al-Nabi Eliyas village with cement blocks. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sir Junction and searched vehicles and civilians. (ii) At 19:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the eastern entrance of Qalqilya until 20:40. (iii) At 24:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint under Azzun Bridge on the road connecting Qalqilya and Tulkarem until 01:00. • <u>Raids:</u> At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Azzun, stormed six civilian homes and withdrew at 03:30. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <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. (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.
<p style="text-align: center;">NABLUS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> Since December 17th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area. • <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 Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Surra junction until 11:50. (ii) At 13:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beta and searched vehicles and civilians. (iii) At 15:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance to Talfit village and searched vehicles and civilians. (iv) At 12:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Fourik until 19:00. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 22:30, Israeli forces raided and patrolled Al-Badhan village until 23:10. (ii) At 23:45, Israeli forces raided Nablus escorting settlers to Joseph’s Tomb. Israeli forces clashed with residents and seriously injured five civilians including three children: Mohammad Al-Madani, 17, Mohammad Mohr, 17, Ishaq Darwisj Ishaq, 17, Islam Teem and Mohammad Muzher. Israeli

	forces withdrew at 05:10.
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) 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 intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint, impeded the free flow of traffic. • Settlement Activities: Israeli bulldozers razed land to construct foundation for additional housing units in Yakir settlement west of Deir Istiya town.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checkpoints: At 18:25, Israeli forces closed Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District then reopened it later. • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the northern entrance of Jericho until 13:50. (ii) At 17:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Nabi Mousa junction and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 20:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint on the southern entrance to Jericho until 20:40. • Detention: On 21 December 2014, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby Bridge detained Mahmoud Abdelatif Saadi from Jenin in his way back from Jordan.
BETHLEHEM	<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 dunums 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

	<p>dirt mounds.</p> <p>(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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> On the evening of 21 December 2014, Israeli forces intensified restrictions at the container checkpoint and impeded traffic flow. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Jenata and searched vehicles and civilians. (ii) At 16:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Nashash junction (southern entrance to Bethlehem) until 16:50 (iii) At 16:55, Israeli forces set up checkpoint near Fordes village until 17:35. (iv) At 18:45, Israeli forces set up checkpoint near Shawawreh village and searched vehicles and civilians. (v) At 20:30, Israeli forces set up checkpoint at the eastern entrance to Beit Fajjar until 23:05. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Khirbet deir and Teqoa villages and occupied house of Nayef Hussein Sleiman until 15:20. (ii) At 20:50, Israeli forces raided Bethlehem and detained two civilians after storming their home. • <u>Attacks:</u> At 09:10, Israeli forces near Al-Khader town fired stun grenades and tear gas canisters at civilians. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:30, Israeli forces detained Ma'moun Awwad from Qalandia in Jerusalem at the container checkpoint. (ii) The two civilians detained in Bethlehem are Jamal Hreimi and Anwar Masalme.
<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 closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 15:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Kahel and searched vehicles and civilians. (ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up checkpoint at Edna junction and searched vehicles and civilians. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn of 21 December 2014, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar and detained one civilian. (ii) At dawn on 21 December 2014, Israeli forces raided Sammou and detained one civilian. (iii) On the evening of 21 December 2014, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar and clashed with civilians injuring a child called Hamza Abu Hashem, 16. (iv) At 23:35, Israeli forces raided and patrolled Tabaqa village until 01:00. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Civilian detained in Beit Ummar is Mus'ab Munir Ikhlayil. (ii) Civilian detained in Sammou is Mohammad Al-Salamin.
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ALL DISTRICTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 19:00 on August 26th 2014, Palestinian Gunmen and the Israeli military agreed to a cease fire agreement (brokered by the Arab Republic of Egypt) which includes the opening of border crossings to allow the entry of emergency supplies and humanitarian goods as well as construction material and agreed to increase the fishing limit to 6 nautical miles with possibility of increase to 12 nautical miles by the end of the year and to decrease the Military area to 100 meters, allow freedom of movement and a halt to targeted killings and assassinations and negotiations will be held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month.
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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, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.
CENTRAL GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> On 20 December 2014, Israeli forces detained two unidentified civilians while trying to infiltrate into Israel.
GAZA	<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 closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
RAFAH	<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 open for the entry and exit of residents, tourists and students entering from the Republic of Egypt. (iii) Sufa Crossing is closed. (iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance.