# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



### PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 26<sup>th</sup> December 2013 – 08:00, 27<sup>th</sup> December 2013

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	4	1	5	1 in Salfit, 3 in Hebron and 1 in Gaza including a 7 year old child critically injured after being ran over by an Israeli settler vehicle and 3 other injured after Israeli forces exploded grenades near a home and as a result burned down the home.
Detention	7	_	7	1 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 4 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron including a Security Force officer
Temporary Detention	7	_	7	At checkpoints and residential areas including 3 school teachers.
Raids	14	_	14	1 in Ramallah,4 in Jenin,2 in Tulkarem, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho,2 in Bethlehem and 3 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	17	_	17	2 in Jerusalem,3 in Ramallah,3 in Jenin,1 in Tubas,2 in Qalqiliya,2 in Nablus and 4 in Jericho.
Attack	6	1	7	6 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents and 1 from Military post.
Air Assault	_	2	2	Israeli fighter jets launched missiles towards Gaza.
Destruction of Property	*2	_	2	Israeli forces uprooted several Citric and Fruit trees in Ras Atiya village in Qalqiliya, and set fire to a home after Israeli forces lunched grenades towards a home in Abu Hadid area in the old city of Hebron.*Israeli forces served demolition orders for 4 water wells in Khirbit Al-Fakhit in Hebron.
Land Levelling	1	_	1	Israeli forces levelled 3 dunumes (acres) of agricultural land in Ras Atiya village in Qalqiliya.
Wall Construction	15	_	15	4 in Jerusalem. 3 in Ramallah, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	9	_	9	Including, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas 2 in Bethlehem and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	74	_	74	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8in Nablus, 26 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	5	5	Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit and entry of residents students tourists and medical patients and the entry 24 tons of meat provided by the United Arab Emirates as well 5 shipments of Hospital furniture.

Settler Violence	1	_	1	Israeli settler's vehicle ran over and injured a 7 year old child in Deir Istiya in Salfit.
Palestinian Attack	1	_	1	Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.
TOTAL	163	9	172	

#### **WEST BANK**

#### Closure:

- (i) Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem 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 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 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic.
- (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.
- (iii) At 15:00, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Jaba' checkpoint located on the main road connecting Jerusalem, Al-Ram and Jericho and impeded the free flow of traffic.
- <u>Attack:</u> At 16:30, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate in Ras Kabsa area in Abu Dis fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.

#### • 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 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.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> 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.

#### JERUSALEM

	Closure of Main Roads:  (i) The Irreali army continues to close the entrances to Siniil village well as
	<ul><li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.</li></ul>
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 12:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Taybeh junction located
	along the road connecting Ramallah and Jericho until 13:10.
RAMALLAH &	(ii) At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint beneath Yabrud village.
AL BIREH	(iii) At 21:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Beit Liqiya and Beit
	Anan village.
	• Raid: At 23:10, Israeli forces raided Beitin village, clashed with its residents then
	withdrew at 23:40.
	• Wall Construction: 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 village.
	Closure of Main Road:  (i) The Irrealization of the read leading to
	<ul><li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.</li></ul>
	(ii) Since the evening of November 25 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the
	western entrance of Ya'bad.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 08:15, agian at 14:20 and again at 21:20, Israeli forces set
	up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ya'bad.
	• Raid:
	(i) At 08:00, Israeli forces raided Jenin.
JENIN	(ii) At 15:00, Israeli forces raided Zubaba village.
	(iii) At 18:50, Israeli forces raided Beit Qad and summoned Diya Ra'I to
	report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
	(iv) At 19:00, Israeli forces raided Arubunat village, stormed a home then
	withdrew at 21:30.
	• <u>Detention:</u> At dawn on December 26 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces detained Ali Kamil during their raid into Qabatiya as mentioned in the previous report.
	<ul> <li>Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted</li> </ul>
	special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services
	for civilians living behind the Wall.
TELLDAC	• Flying Checkpoint: At 14:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of
TUBAS	Ein Al-Bayda village until 16:20.
	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.
THE IZA DEM	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 15:15, Israeli forces continue to increase their restrictions at
TULKAREM	"Eniv" checkpoint and imped the free flow of traffic until 16:20.
	• Raids: At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem and Tulkarem camp and detained a resident.
	<ul> <li>Detention: Israeli forces detained Mohammad Damiri in Tulkarem camp.</li> </ul>
	• 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.
	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,
QALQILIYA	the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to

	December 27 2013				
	Kafr Qaddum village.				
	• Flying Checkpoint:				
	(i) At 14:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the main road				
	connecting Qalqiliya and Nablus in north Azzun.				
	(ii) At 18:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jit village junction until				
	19:45.				
	• Land Levelling: At 09:50, Israeli forces stormed an area in east Ras Atiya village				
	, levelled 3 dunumes of agricultural land and as a result uprooted several Citrus				
	and fruit bearing trees owned by Na'im Mara'ba.				
	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 impeded the free				
	flow of traffic and closed gate the wall and as a result impeded the free flow				
	of traffic.				
	(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 was 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.				
	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 10:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sabustiya village junction				
NABLUS	unti; 1 16:30.				
NADLUS	(ii) At 19:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Asira Al-Shimaliya until				
	20:40.				
	• Raid: At 02:20, Israeli forces raided Nablus until 04:00				
	• Closure of Main Roads:				
	(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 30 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to				
SALFIT	Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with				
	cement blocks.				
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint.				
	• Settler Violence: At 13:40, an Israeli settler vehicle ran over and injured Ibrahim				
	Abu Zied (7 years old), a resident of Deir Istiya along Deir Istiya junction and as a				
	result left him hospitalised in critical condition				
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir				
	Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.				

JERICHO	<ul> <li>Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: <ol> <li>At 08:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road 90 near Al-Newi'meh village located in north Jericho until 09:50.</li> <li>At 09:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho.</li> <li>At 14:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Ein Dweik village located in north Jericho.</li> <li>At 23:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the main road in Al-Oja village.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Raid: At 11:55, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village.</li> </ul>
	• 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 dunumes 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 I m Tuba and Al-Jass: a road between I m Tuba and Khilat Nu'man:
	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
BETHLEHEM	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.
	(iv) Since May 8 <sup>th</sup> 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 3 <sup>rd</sup> 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) Since 14:00 on October 18 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Surif and Al-Jab'a village with dirt mounds
	• Raid:
	<ul><li>(i) At 16:20, Israeli forces raided Bethlehem, clashed with its residents as they stormed a home and detained 4 residents including a Palestinian Intelligence officer then withdrew at 17:55.</li><li>(ii) At 23:45, Israeli forces raided Taqou', stormed several homes then</li></ul>
	withdrew at 00:30.

• <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained 4 residents: Omar Al-Harimi (a Palestinian Intelligence officer), Abdel Salam Suman, Mohammad Suman and Sami Al-

Harimi in Bethlehem.

grenades towards several school children for alleged stoning and temporarily detained 3 school teachers: Anas Abdel Salam, Alaa Isamail and Mohammad Hamaydeh then released them at 13:40.

### • Wall Construction:

- (i) Wall construction continued in North West of Beit Jala town due to severe weather conditions.
- (ii)On May 1<sup>st</sup> 2103, an Israeli court ordered the halt of wall construction near Betar village.
- (iii) On July 21<sup>st</sup> 2013, Israeli courts ordered the halt of construction of the wall in Al-Carmisan area in the west area of Beit Jalla.

#### • 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 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.

#### Raids

- (i) At dawn on December 26<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces raided Hebron and detained a resident.
- (ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces raided Beit Awa and clashed with its residents.
- **Detention:** Israeli forces detained Mohammad Al-Atrash in Hebron.
- <u>Attack:</u> At 09:25, Israeli forces positioned in Tal, at Abu Hadid area in the old city of Hebron fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning during which a tear gas grenade exploded inside a home owned by Jaber Al-Qarari and as s result injured 3 residents: Hayat Al-Qarari, Rashid Al-Qarari and Ashraf Al-Qarari leaving them hospitalised with burns.
- <u>Destruction of Property:</u> On December 26<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces stormed Khirbiet Al-Fakhit area located in south Yatta and served demolition orders for 4 water wells owned by Mohammd Abu Sabiha, Akram Sabiha, Yasser Sabiha and Mohammad Makhamreh.
- Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town.

#### **HEBRON**

#### **GAZA STRIP**

