

مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 26th December 2015 – 08:00,27th December 2015

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Killing	2	—	2	A resident was killed after Israeli forces opened fire towards him for allegedly attempting to stab an Israeli soldier in Jerusalem and other residents was killed after he allegedly attempted to run over an Israeli soldier ta Huwara checkpoint in Nablus.
Injury	6	—	6	6 residents in Ramallah District.
Raids	18	—	18	1 in Jerusalem,3 in Ramallah,4 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus,1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Detention	10	—	10	3 in Ramallah, 2 in Tulkarem and 5 in Hebron including 2 children.
Temporary Detention	7	—	7	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	—	5	1 checkpoint is closed; Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem and impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	12	—	12	3 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah,3 in Qalqiliya,2 in Nablus,1 in Jericho,1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	7	2	9	7 during confrontation between residents and Israeli forces, 1 from Military post and 1 from Naval vessel.
Confiscation of Property	1	—	1	Israeli forces confiscated surveillance camera footage from a butchers shop in Tulkarem.
Closure (per District)	9	—	9	Including 1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	63	—	63	Including 2 in Jerusalem, 6 in Ramallah, 3 in Jenin, 8 in Nablus, 5 in Salfit, 16 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	7	7	All Border crossings are closed.
Settler Violence	2	—	2	Israeli settlers attempted to abduct a resident in Jerusalem and stormed the area between Shufa and Izbit Shufa in Tulkarem.
Demonstration	2	—	2	Against the closure of the east entrance of Kafr Qaddum village in Qalqiliya.
Total	144	9	153	

WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On December 26th 2015, 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 and prevented worshipers under the age of 50 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound, which forced residents to conduct prayers near checkpoints located outside Al-Aqsa mosque compound. (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 Ikksa 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 Ikksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. (iii) On November 16th 2015, Israeli forces closed the south entrance of Jabal Al-Mukabir neighbourhood in Jerusalem, which leads to “Armon Hantsiv” settlement with cement blocks. • <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 at 21:00 closed the checkpoint after alleged shooting incident towards the checkpoint(as alleged by the Israeli military) then reopened it at 23:15. (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 20:55, Israeli forces raided Qalandiya and inspected the area between “Al-Kasarat” area and the camp Cemetery. • <u>Killing:</u> At 10:30, Mus’ab Mahmoud Mohammad Al-Ghazali (26 years old) {a resident of Silwan} was killed after Israeli forces opened fire towards him for allegedly attempting to stab an Israeli soldier near Bab Al-Hadid area in Jerusalem. • <u>Attack:</u> At 13:45, Israeli forces positioned in Bab Al-Amoud area fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents who participated in a demonstration demanding the release of the corpse of a Palestinian killed earlier. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 24:00, a group of Israeli settlers attempted to abduct Enas Al-Suri (23 years old) as she was inside her vehicle during which they assaulted her as they attempted to take her before she was able to run away and then was hospitalised with contusions. • <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) . On October 3rd 2015, Israeli forces closed the main road located near “Bet El” settlement and leading to Al-Jalazoun camp with cement blocks. (iii) Since November 24th 2015, Israeli forces closed the main entrance of Sinjil and the east entrance of Al-Mughier village with cement blocks. (iv) At 18:50 on December 4th 2015, Israeli forces closed the main entrance of Abboud with cement blocks. (v) On December 15th 2015, Israeli forces closed the West entrance of Al-Labban Al-Gharbi village with cement blocks. (vi) At 16:00 on December 25th 2015, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Silwad and Yabroud village with dirt mounds. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 04:00 on December 26th 2015, Israeli force set up a checkpoint near Dur Al-Qari’ village and detained a resident. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:00, Israeli forces raided Beituniya until 10:25. (ii) At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Silwad, summoned 2 residents: Abdel-Rahman Hamad and Mohammad Hamad to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. (iii) At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Kafr Nu’meh village and detained two residents after storming their homes. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Ahmad Salameh (A resident of Al-Jalazoun camp). (ii) Israeli forces detained Ismail Saleh Ismail and Ibrahim Dar Nassar in Kafr Ni’meh village. • <u>Attack:</u> At 13:00, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Silwad fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and as result injured six residents.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Area:</u> On December 24th 2015, Israeli forces closed off the area {900m wide and 100m long} along the main road connecting Jenin and Tulkarem leading to south Ya’bad and installed a barbed wire fence around the area and declared the area a closed military zone • <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>Wall Gates:</u> Israeli forces continue too close the wall gate and only allow those holding special permits to enter through it.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Roads:</u> At 13:50 on December 14th 2015, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Shufa and Izbit Shufa villages located near “Avni Havits” settlement with a steel gate and barbed wire fence. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at “Eniv” checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:50, Israeli forces raided Shwikiya neighbourhood in Tulkarem until 09:25. (ii) At 02:15, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem and, Tulkarem camp and Nur Al-Shams camp, detained a resident then withdrew at 03:55.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 02:50 on December 26th 2015, Israeli forces detained Nasrallah Abdel-Raziq during their raid into Tulkarem as mentioned in the previous report. (ii) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Al-Fakhouri in Tulkarem. • <u>Confiscation of Property:</u> At 02:50 on December 26th 2015, Israeli forces confiscated surveillance camera footage after storming and searching a butcher shop owned by Ali Al-Da'mah during their raid into Tulkarem. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 19:15, a group of Israeli settlers stormed the area between Shufa amd Izbit Shufa village then withdrew at 22:30.
<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) Since 16:55 on December 18th 2014, Israeli forces closed an agricultural road leading to Far'ata village which is located near "Gillad" settlement with dirt mounds (iv) Since 10:40 on September 1st 2015, Israeli forces closed an agricultural road leading to Far'ata village which is located near "Gillad" settlement with a steel Gate • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 16:00 and again at 18:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east entrance of Qalqiliya until 19:45. (ii) At 18:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jit village junction until 19:55. • <u>Raid:</u> At dawn on December 27th 2015, Israeli forces raided Azzun and clashed with several residents. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 15:00, a demonstration took place in Kafr Qaddum against the closure of the east entrance during which they clashed with Israeli forces tried to disrupt the demonstration by firing live ammunition, rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards demonstrators who attempted to reach they demonstration site. • <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>Checkpoints:</u> At 15:35, Israeli forces closed Huwara checkpoint then reopened it later.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Qusin village junction. (ii) At 16:10, Israeli force set up a checkpoint at Sarah village junction • <u>Raid:</u> At 00:55, Israeli forces raided Rujib village. • <u>Killing:</u> At 15:35, Maher Zaki Hussien Jabi (55 years old) {A resident of Nablus} was killed after Israeli forces opened fire towards him as he was driving his vehicle near Huwara check point for allegedly attempting to run over a Israeli soldier.
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 Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Raid:</u> At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Yasuf village, searched a home then withdrew at 02:45.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 13:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 14:00.
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 dunumes 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 ; 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

	<p>mounds.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds. (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. (ix) Since 10:45 on September 8th 2015, Israeli forces closed the agricultural road located in Arab Al-Rashaydeh village located near "Malee Amous" settlement with dirt mounds. (x) At 15:30 on November 20th 2015, Israeli forces closed the east entrance of Jinata and the entrance of Marah Rabah village with dirt mounds. (xi) At 13:10 on November 22nd 2015, Israeli forces closed the entrance of Marah Rabah village with dirt mounds. (xii) At 18:00 on November 27th 2015, Israeli forces closed Bararat junction located in Ras area in Beit Jallah with cement blocks. (xiii) At 14:50 on November 28th 2015, Israeli forces closed the entrance of Um Al-Raqaba area located in Al-Khader with cement blocks. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 19:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Dar Salah village located at the east entrance of Beit Sahour until 23:30. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 19:00, Israeli forces raided Harmalah village and clashed with several residents. (ii) At 21:45, Israeli forces raided Nihalin village, clashed with several residents then withdrew at 22:00. (iii) At 01:25, Israeli forces raided Taqou' until 02:30. • <u>Attack:</u> At 1240, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ayda camp in North Bethlehem fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.
<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 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-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) At 05:50 on November 5th 2015, Israeli forces closed the entrance leading Farsh Al-Hawa area in Hebron with Cement blocks. (vi) At 10:30 on November 8th 2015, Israeli forces closed the junction located near "Hagi" settlement located in south Hebron with cement blocks.

	<p>(vii) At 21:00 on November 11th 2015, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Beit Awwa and Al-Majd village with cement block and dirt mounds.</p> <p>(viii) At 15:45 on November 15th 2015, Israeli forces closed Al-Samiya village junction located at the west entrance of Al-Samou' with cement blocks.</p> <p>(ix) On November 15th 2015, Israeli forces closed the entrances of Khliat Al-Miya and Al Dirat and the two bypass roads leading east Yatta with cement blocks.</p> <p>(x) On November 23rd 2015, Israeli forces closed the entrance of Al-Qom village located in North Beit Awwa with Cement blocks.</p> <p>(xi) On December 1st 2015, Israeli forces closed a checkpoint located along Al-Shuhada road located in the old city of Hebron and prevented residents from passing through the checkpoint and redirected traffic through a road near the entrance of Jabal Al-Rahma.</p> <p>(xii) On December 9th 2015, Israeli forces closed a road near Jabal Jallis area located in the old city of Hebron and closed the bypass road.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 17:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Fuwar junction and detained a resident. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron, detained a resident, and summoned two residents: Hamza Al-Qawasmi and Islam Al-Natsheh to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 05:00. (ii) At 00:45, Israeli forces raided Ithna village. (iii) At 03:10, Israeli forces raided Halhoul, detained 2 residents then withdrew at 05:00. (iv) At dawn on December 27th 2015, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar and detained a resident. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Yusef Issa {A resident of Al-Fuwar camp} near Al-Fuwar junction. (ii) Israeli forces detained Mahmoud Abu Zamour in Hebron. (iii) Israeli forces detained Suliman Al-Sa'da (16 years old) and Issam Al-Sa'da (14 years old) in Halhoul. (iv) Israeli forces detained Billal Abu Mariya in Beit Ummar.
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<p>ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<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
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	<p>be held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Israeli forces broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards Gaza. • Israeli Naval vessels broke the ceasefire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza.
NORTHERN GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is closed. • Attack: On the morning of December 26th 2015, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Al-Sudaniya area located in west Beit Lahiya.
GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points: <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. • Attack: On the morning of December 26th 2015 Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire towards several residents in east Gaza.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points : <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. (ii) Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed (iii) Sufa Crossing is closed (iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing closed.