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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 13th February 2013 – 08:00, 14th February 2013

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	17	—	17	12 in Jerusalem and 5 in Ramallah during clashes with Israeli forces.
Physical Assault	1	—	1	Israeli forces assaulted a resident in Hebron
Detention	10	—	10	1 in Tulkarem, 4 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Temporary Detention	7	—	7	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Raids	15	1	16	1 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 5 in Tulkarem 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Bethlehem, 4 in Hebron and 1 in North Gaza.
Closure of Checkpoints	6	—	6	Israeli forces closed 1 checkpoint; 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	12	—	12	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqiliya, 3 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	7	2	9	1 during raid, 7 during confrontations and 1 from Military post.
Home Demolition	*	—	—	Israeli forces served a demolition order for a home in Jerusalem.
Destruction of Property	1	—	1	Israeli settlers stoned and damaged a vehicle in Qalqiliya.
Assault on Property	*	—	—	*Israeli forces served eviction orders for several plots of land and order the removal of all trees and crops located in its vicinity in Bethlehem.
Land Leveling	—	1	1	Israeli forces levelled a plot of land in North Gaza.
Wall Construction	18	—	18	4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarm, 5 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	75	—	75	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 24

				in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	4	4	Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits, the entry of 20 truckloads of construction material for internationally funded projects
Settler Violence	4	—	4	Israeli settler's stoned vehicle and impeded the free flow of traffic in Nablus, assaulted a woman in Salfit, levelled plots of land in Bethlehem.
Demonstration	2	—	2	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees
TOTAL	183	8	191	

WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers from conducting prayers at 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 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 Ikksa 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 at 16:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic until 17:00. (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>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On the evening of February 13th 2013, Israeli forces positioned near Shu'fat checkpoint junction in Jerusalem, fired tear gas grenades towards several residents located near the checkpoint for alleged stoning while awaiting entry after the electronic gate entry malfunctioned and as a result
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	<p>suffocated several residents including 4 women as a result of tear gas inhalation.</p> <p>(ii) At 20:35, Israeli forces positioned at Qalandiya camp fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Home Demolition:</u> On February 13th 2013, Israeli forces served a demolition order for a home 45 m² owned by Khalid Al-Zir in Silwan neighbourhood for allegedly being built without proper licencing as well as ordering him to remove all trees and crops grown on approximately 11 dunumes of agricultural land in the vicinity of the home. • <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-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 resumed in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayem 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> <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. • <u>Raid:</u> At 17:10, Israeli forces raided Deir Jrir village. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:20, a demonstration took place near Atara bridge in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons, clashed with Israeli forces and as a result slightly injured 5 school girls. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> 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.
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>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 18:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Arraba village junction until 20:20. • <u>Raid:</u> 01:55, Israeli forces raided Jenin and Jenin camp. • <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 continues to including intensify its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and prevented residents from entering the area.
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 15:55, The Israel army continues to intensify its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:15, Israeli forces raided Zeita. (ii) At 18:25, Israeli forces raided Anabta until 18:45. (iii) At 20:05, Israeli forces raided Shweikiya neighbourhood in Tulkarem. (iv) At 20:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Jarushiya village and set up a checkpoint at its entrance. (v) At 04:10, Israeli forces raided, Atil, detained a resident and then withdrew at 06:35. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Ma'moun Damira in Atil. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> 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 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 Kafr Qaddum village. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:20, Israeli forces set up checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun. (ii) At 13:00 and again at 20:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Azzun and Izbat Al-Tabib. • <u>Raid:</u> At 01:55, Israeli forces raided Azzun, stormed several homes, detained 2 residents then withdrew at 04:15. • <u>Attack:</u> At 18:30, Israeli forces positioned at the north entrance Azzun, fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning, detained a resident as well as temporarily detaining Mohammad Adwan and released him at a later time. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 20:00 on February 12th 2013, Israeli forces detained Adham Shawahna as they raided Kafr Thulth. (ii) Israeli forces detained Adham Salim at the north entrance of Azzun. (iii) Israeli forces detained Ibrahim Salim and Mudin Dahbour in Azzun • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 21:15, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles passing along (the main road connecting Nablus and Qalqiliya) and as a result damaged a vehicle. • <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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 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. (ii) On January 17th 2013, Israeli forces levelled residential land located at the eastern entrance of Azzun Atma for the purpose of constructing the Wall in the area. (iii) On February 5th 2013 Israeli military bulldozers levelled residential land in Jayyus for the purpose of Wall construction.

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 10:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Yitsahar settlement junction located in north Huwwara until 11:30. (ii) At 16:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf village junction. (iii) At 17:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sarah village junction, detained a resident then withdrew at 17:50, • <u>Raid:</u> At dawn on February 14th 2013, Israeli forces raided Nablus while escorting several Israeli settlers as they stormed Josephes tomb, clashed with its residents then withdrew at a later time. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Samer Dweikat near Sarah village junction. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 10:35, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles passing along Jit village junction.
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 18:00, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 18:35. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 16:00, Israeli settlers positioned near Za'tara checkpoint assaulted and injured Amina Snubar, a resident of Yatma. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <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 impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 10:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:00, a demonstration took place in front of the International Red Cross Headquarters in Jericho in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.
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

	<p>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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(iii) Since August 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> At 03:05, Israeli forces raided Bethlehem, stormed several homes and detained 2 residents then withdrew at 04:00. • <u>Attack:</u> At 12:05, Israeli forces positioned near Ayda camp in Bethlehem fired stun and tear gas grenades towards school girls for alleged stoning. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 00:45, Israeli forces positioned near Billal Bin Rabah mosque in North Hebron detained Ibrahim Owies, a resident of Al-Ayda camp in Bethlehem. (ii) Israeli forces detained Ammar Shalash and Mohammad Shalash in Bethlehem. • <u>Assault on Property:</u> On February 13th 2013, Israeli forces served eviction notices to evict 30 dunumes of land owned by the descendants of Atiya Abu Shusheh and warning them against entering the area and also served a eviction order of a plot of land approximately 2 dunumes owned by Ibrahim Abu Shusheh. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> On the morning of February 13th 2013, Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces levelled a plot of land owned by Al-Zir and Al-Zawahra families. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in North West of Beit Jala town.
HEBRON	<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) On July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat

	<p>and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.</p> <p>(vi) On December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Kahil • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:45, Israeli forces raided Al-Karmil village. (ii) At 18:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron. (iii) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Dura. (iv) At dawn on February 14th 2013, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar, stormed a home, detained a resident and assaulted Sayeed Abu Ayash. • <u>Attack:</u> At 08:35, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Urub camp fired tear gas grenades towards several residents inside the camp for alleged stoning. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Raed Ikhilil in Biet Ummar. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya 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 14th 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24th 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles. • Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards North Gaza and Khan Yunis.
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. • <u>Raid:</u> On the morning of February 14th 2013, Israeli forces escorting several military bulldozers stormed 300 meters into the vicinity Abu Samara area Beit Lahiya and opened fire as they levelled a plot of land,
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'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of February 12th 2013, Israeli forces opened fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards several farmers as they were heading towards their farm land located near the border fence in Al-Qarara.

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.• Sufa Crossing is closed.• Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is. Open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas 21 truckloads of manufacturing goods and construction material for internationally funded projects.
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