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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 14th February 2012 – 08:00, 15th February 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	2	_	2	During confrontations in Jenin including minors.
Detention	15	_	15	3 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 4in Nablus 4 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron including minors. A security officer and a university student.
Temporary Detention	17	1	18	At checkpoints and residential areas, including minors, 5 females and fishermen.
Raids	37	_	37	1 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah, 4 in Jenin, 2 in Tubas, 4 in Tulkarem, 4 in Qalqilya, 7 in Nablus1 in Jericho, 4 in Bethlehem and 9 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	10	_	10	1 wall gate closed, access allowed at 3 checkpoints and impeded at 6 others.
Flying Checkpoints	25	_	25	2 in Jerusalem1 in Jenin,2 in Tulkarem, 5 in Qalqilya, 7 in Nablus,2 in Salfit ,3 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	3	1	4	3 during confrontations and 1 from naval vessels.
Provocation of Palestinian Forces	2	_	2	Israeli forces took positions near Palestinian national security checkpoint and forced officers to abandon their posts in Qalqilya and summoned a security officer to report to Israeli intelligence in Hebron.
Confiscation of Property	7	1	8	Israeli forces seized several tents and tools in Khirbeit Tana village, a tractor in Aqraba, a computer and cellular telephone in Nablus, a hunting rifle in Hebron and a fishing boat in north Gaza
Destruction of Property	*6	_	6	Israeli forces demolished 5 barracks and Israeli settlers destroyed several olive trees in Nablus. Israeli forces served demolition notices for several water wells in Hebron.
Wall Construction	16		16	Wall construction resumed in all areas
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	67	_	67	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 9 in Nablus, 21 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	4	4	Erez crossing partially open, and Rafah crossing was open.

Obstruction of Holy Sites	1	_	1	Israeli authorities prevented a local mosque from installing speakers and disallowed the calls for prayer in in Burin village in Nablus.
Settler Violence	1	_	1	Israeli settlers destroyed several olive trees in Nablus
Demonstrations	5	1	6	In solidarity with detainees.
TOTAL	222	8	230	

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JERUSALEM	Closure: (i) Since January 6th 2012, the Israeli army increased its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city entrance and the entrance to the Old 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 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 Qalandiya checkpoint. Checkpoints: 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. Raids: At dawn on February 14th 2012, Israeli forces raided Qatnat village and detained 3 residents Detention: Israeli forces detained Mohammad Hushiya, Jamal Shamanseh and Arafat Shamanseh during their raid into Qatnat village. 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-Sawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village;		
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. Raids: At 03:45, Israeli forces raided Al Amary camp in El Berih city, detained a 		
	resident and withdrew at 05:00.		

	 Detention: Correction to those mentioned in the previous report, Israeli forces detained Bayan Al Na'san, and Khalid Mohammad during their raid into Mughier village. Israeli forces detained Mohammad Kamer during their raid into Al Amary camp in El Berih city. Demonstration: At 11:00, family members of detainees protested in front of the International Red Cross headquarters in El Berih city in solidarity with detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. At 15:30, family members of detainee marched near the entrance of Ofar prison in solidarity with detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons and clashed with Israeli forces leaving several protestors suffocating from tear gas inhalation. Wall Construction: 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	 Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. Flying Checkpoint: At 11:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Araba junction. Raids: At dawn on February 14th 2012, Israeli forces raided Araba and summoned Nasir Abu Obeda and Ghazi Sari to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning. At dawn on February 14th 2012, Israeli forces raided Kafr Ra'i and summoned Mohammad Yahya to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning. At 09:50 and again at 17:00, Israeli forces raided Zubaba village, detained Wisam Amarna (14 years) and clashed with residents leaving Mohammad Amarna (15 years) and Ahman Amour (16 years) injured. 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.
TUBAS	 Checkpoints: At 17:35 the Israeli army restricted Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00. Raid: (i) At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Khirbat Atuf village. (ii) At 13:40, Israeli forces raided Tubas.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions on Palestinian access at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. Flying Checkpoints: At 09:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Ramin village junction. At 14:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint along Kafriyat road (the main road connecting Tulkarem and Qalqilya) until 14:45. Raids: At 11::45, Israeli forces raided Anabta and Ramin village and summoned several residents to report to Israeli intelligence agency for questioning.

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` /	i forces raided Tulkarem and Nour Al Shams camp, and an Israeli
_	giving residents his phone number and providing his services to
help them.	
• <u>Demonstration</u>	: At 10:00, family members of detainees marched in front of the
	ed Cross headquarters in Tulkarem in solidarity with detainee and
	release from Israeli prisons.
	assage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted
	permits, undercutting access to education and health services for
	behind the Wall.
	tion: Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in
	nding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision,
the new Wall ro	ute will be constructed west of the village.
 Closure of Roa 	ds:
(i) Israeli forc	es continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of
Azzun tow	1.
(ii) In addition	to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada,
	army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to
Kafr Qadd	*
Flying Checkp	
	i forces set up a flying checkpoint near An Nabi Eliyas village.
	forces set up a flying checkpoint at Jit village junction.
	forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Qalqilya.
	forces set up a flying checkpoint at Wadi Qana road junction.
` ,	i forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Laqif
village.	
• <u>Raids:</u>	
(i) At 08:25, Israel	forces raided Azzun.
(ii) At 10:40, Israe	li forces raided Qalqilya, stationed near National Security force
headquarters an	d demanded several Palestinian officers to leave the checkpoint as
they stormed a l	nome.
(iii) At 16:00, Israel	i forces raided Kafr Qaddum, summoned Amin Abed to report to
QALQILYA Israeli intellige	nce agency and slandered Majed Abbas a restaurant owner for
refusing to sell to	hem.
	forces raided Jit village.
• Wall Gates:	č
	army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to
	ans, including students, using a metal detector.
	army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the
	Vadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows
	access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the gate at
	e to the village of Ras Atiya; the Israeli army only allows students
	heir schools outside the village through the Habla gate.
	Israeli forces closed a wall gate leading to agricultural land near
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	reopened it at a later time.
	tion: Wall construction resumed in Kafr Laqef village north of
	settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement;
	Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement.
• Closure of Mai	
, ,	army continues to close the roads of Til-Burin and Beit Furik-
	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
	Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the
village of C	
•	army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the

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southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut.

• Checkpoints:

- (i) Al-Tur neighbourhood checkpoint (set up on Mount Jerzim) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On all other days, it is open between 07:00 and, 02:00
- (ii) At 05:00 Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are only allowed to cross between 05:00 and 20:00 and between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All vehicles can access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint.

• Flying Checkpoints:

- (i) At 09:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at "Yitsahar: settlement junction.
- (ii) At 14:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Aqraba and Osurin village.
- (iii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Sabustiya until 19:00.
- (iv) At 19:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Qusin village.
- (v) At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Sarah and Tel villages.
- (vi) At 20:15, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Deir Sharaf junction.
- (vii)At 22:55, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Sarah village junction.

• Raids:

- (i) At 10:00, Israeli forces raided Al ja'wana area located near Frush Beit Dijan village, demolished 3 barracks owned by Shaher Abu Heyt, Asad Hanani and Atef Hanani
- (ii) At 11:00, Israeli forces raided Khirbet Tana located east of Beit Farouk, demolished an agricultural barracks owned by Mohammad Nassasra and confiscated several tents in the area.
- (iii) At 11:00, Israeli forces raided Al Sawiya village and searched a home.
- (iv) At 12:15, Israeli forces raided Sarah village and temporarily detained Sami Abu Turabi then withdrew at 13:45.
- (v) At 14:00, Israeli forces raided Al Tawil area in Aqraba, demolished a barracks owned by Rafe'a Jaber, detained 2 residents and withdrew at 16:10.
- (vi) At 22:50, Israeli forces raided Deir Sharaf village and stormed several homes.
- (vii)At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Salem village, searched a home, confiscated a computer and cellular phone then detained a university student.

• Detention:

- (i) On February 12th 2012, Israeli forces detained Ali Eid, head of the village council during their raid into Burin village.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Tal'a Jaber and Ayman Jaber during their raid into Aqraba.
- (iii) Israeli forces detained Abdel Rahman Ishtayeh, a university student, during its raid into Salem village.
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 15:40, Israeli forces positioned at Huwara checkpoint temporarily detained 4 residents including Mohammad Qawarik.
- Assault on Holy Places: On February 14th 2012, Israeli authorities decided to prevent the call for prayer in Suliman Al Farasi mosque in Burin village and prevented resident from installing speakers on the mosque tower.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 14:40, a group of Israeli settlers raided Burin village, destroyed several olive trees owned by Shadi Zaban and withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces at 17:40.

• Closure of Main Roads:

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- (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.
- (ii) Since 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years,

	and at 11:00, Israeli forces closed the entrance and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army continues to increase restrictions on access at the Za'tara checkpoint and impedes the free flow of traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoints:
	(i) At 09:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Deir Istya.
	(i) At 11:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the character of Ben Istya.
	village
	Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed north of Deir Istiya town
	southeast of the illegal settlement.
	Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between
	Jericho city and Al-Oja village with cement blocks.
	• Checkpoints:
	(i) Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up
	along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access
	to residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley.
	(ii) Israeli forces continue restrict access at the checkpoint set up on the junction
JERICHO	to Al-Ouja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho District
	and others with access permits. Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 14:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance of
	Jericho until 19:15.
	(ii) At 14:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al Shalal area in Al Oja
	village, impeded the free flow of traffic and withdrew at 15:10.
	Raids: At 01:40, Israeli forces raided Al Oja village.
	Kaius. At 01.40, Islaeli Tolces faided Al Oja village.
	• 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 dunums 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 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
BETHLEHEM	Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road
DETHLEHEM	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 February 12 2012 at 14:00, the Israeli army closed the road leading to
	Al Fardous village with dirt mounds and cement blocks.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Container
	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	Flying Checkpoints: (i) At 08:00 James is forces get years of height a headmaint at Al Neghood ingestion.
	(i) At 18:45. Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al Nashash junction.
	(ii) At 18:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the western entrance of Taq'o

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	• <u>Der</u> nea Pale	ort to Israeli intelligence for questioning. monstrations: On February 14 th 2012, family members of detainees marched r the International Red Cross headquarters in Bethlehem in solidarity with estinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. Ill Construction: Wall construction resumed northwest of Beit Jala town.
		osure:
	(i) (ii)	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. 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.
	• Clo	sure 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 the entrance to Al-Simiya village.
	(v)	Since 09:40 on 10.01.2012, Israeli forces continued closing the entrance of Beit Amra with concrete blocks.
HEDD ON		ing Checkpoints: At 13:40, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the
HEBRON	• <u>Rai</u> (i) (ii)	At 09:55, Israeli forces raided Yatta. At 10:30, Israeli forces raided Surif and served demolition notices for several water wells.
	(iii) (iv)	At 11:05, Israeli forces raided Al Sam'u and stormed a home. At 13:30 and again at 04:30, Israeli forces raided Al Thahriya, stormed a home detained a national security officer and seized a hunting rifle from his

home.

village and clashed with residents.

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At 20:55, Israeli forces raided Beit Al Rush Al Foqa and stormed several Palestinian Monitoring Group Page 7

At 20:00, Israeli forces raided Al Tabaqa village and Hanina area in Dura

homes.

(vii) At 01:05, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed a home and detained a resident.

• Detention:

- (i) At dawn on February 15th 2012, Israeli forces detained Hamdan Abu Sniena and summoned Atef Abu Sneineh, a Preventive security officer to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Na'il Al Tel during their raid into Al Thahriya.
- (iii) Israeli forces detained Mohanad Al Juneidi during their raid into Hebron.
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 16:00, Israeli forces positioned near Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron detained Abir Abu Rjoub and released her at 17:30.
- <u>Demonstrations:</u> On the evening of February 14th 2012 family member of detainees marched in front of the International Red Cross headquarters in Hebron in solidarity with detainees and demanding their release from prison.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

ALL DISTRICTS	 At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, 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. The ceasefire has been further renewed on 30 October 2011 at 22:00. On 14.12.2011, Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark. Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishermen off the shores of north Gaza.
NORTHERN GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Point: 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. Attack: At 06:30 on February 14th 2012, Israeli naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats as they apprehended them off the shores Beit Lahiya, detained Ahmad Ziyad and seized his fishing boat. Demonstrations: On the morning of February 14th 2012, Palestinian and International peace activists marched towards Beit Hanun crossing protesting Israeli closures and the prevention of Palestinian farmers from reaching their agricultural land.
GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Points: Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for critical patients, students and residents with special permits. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is partially open for the transportation of food supplies, goods, humanitarian aid, cooking gas, 25 truckloads of livestock feed, construction cargo designated to internationally funded projects were allowed through while 1 shipment of flowers was allowed through for export.

Detainees Update

• The Israeli military court in Ofar prison sentenced Wassim Masouda, a resident of Hebron to Twelve and a half year and an additional 6 years prison term.