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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 14th February 2013 – 08:00, 15th February 2013

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	3	2	5	1 in Ramallah, 2 in Qalqiliya and 2 in North Gaza.
Detention	22	4	26	10 in Jerusalem,3 in Ramallah,2 in Jenin,2 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus,3 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 4 in North Gaza.
Temporary Detention	10		10	At checkpoints and residential areas including 2 children.
Raids	14		14	1 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin,1 in Tubas, 1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit,1 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	_	5	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	15		15	3 in Jerusalem, 2 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	9	1	10	1 during raid, 7 during confrontations, 1 from military post and 1 from flying checkpoint.
Provocation of Palestinian Forces	1	_	1	Israeli forces seized a National Security Forces at a checkpoint in Bethlehem.
Home Demolition	1	_	1	Israeli forces demolished a section of a home in Jerusalem.
Destruction of Property	1	_	1	Israeli forces detonated a vehicle in Qalqiliya.
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.

Settler Violence	1		1	Israeli settlers stormed and attempted to confiscate a plot of land in Hebron.
Demonstration	4	_	4	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees.
TOTAL	187	11	198	

WEST BANK

• Closure:

- (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 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.

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• 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 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.
- **Flying Checkpoint:** At 10:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in Al-Rababa area in Silwan village.

• Detention:

- (i) At dawn on February 14th 2013, detained Abdel Karim Lafi in Biet Safafa village.
- (ii) At 09:30, Israeli forces detained Khalid Al-Zir in Bi'yer Ayoub area in Silwan neighbourhood.
- (iii) At 13:00, Israeli forces detained Wassim Badr in Silwan neighbourhood.
- (iv) At 17:10, Israeli forces detained Wahid Radawi , Yunis Shawki, Ziyad Al-Rajabi, Mohammad Al-Rajabi, Ahmad Al-Rawadi, Khadr Al-Rowdawi and Kan'an Al-Rodawi in Silwan neighbourhood.

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	• <u>Home Demolition:</u> At 08:00, Israeli forces served demolition order to demolish a section of a home owned by Al-Nablus Family for allegedly being built without
	proper licensing.
	• 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.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed 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.
	 Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. Raid: At 20:40, Israeli forces raided Sinjil, detained 3 residents (including 2 Security Forces officers) and confiscated a hunting rifle. Attack: At 16:30, Israeli forces positioned near Budrus village fired tear gas and
	stun grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and injured Malik Marar (16 years old) after a tear gas grenade canister struck his head.
	• <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Mu'in Foqaha (Palestinian Police Officer), Alaa
	Asfour and Mohammad Abdel Jawad Odwan,
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	• <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 22:30, Israeli settlers stone vehicles passing through the main road leading to Jalazun camp and damaged the vehicle of Mohammad Nakhla, a resident of Jalazun camp.
	 Demonstrations: (i) At 11:10, a demonstration took place near Atara bridge in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons during which they clashed with Israeli forces. (ii) At 12:20, a demonstration took place in front of the International Red Cross head quarters in Al-Berih in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. 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.
	Closure of Main Road:
	 (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.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 13:10 and again at 13:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Araba junction, detained a Presidential guard and a University student.
JENIN	• Raid:
	 (i) At 18:15, Israeli forces raided Ya'bad. (ii) At 03:15, Israeli forces raided Sanur village and served summons for Mohammad Issa, Murad Gharbiya, Suliman Jarar and Abdallah Issa to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 04:10.
	• <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Nabil Abu Sawis (A Presidential Guard) and
	 Ayous Nawahda (a University student) in Arraba. Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services

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	for civilians living behind the Wall.
	• Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to including intensify its restrictions on
	Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint
TUBAS	and prevented residents from entering the area.
	• Raid: At dawn on February 14 th 2013, Israeli forces raided Bardala village and
	warned residents not come within 300 m from the wall gate.
	• 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.
	• Checkpoints: At 15:00, the Israel army continues to intensify its restrictions at
TULKAREM	Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of
	traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 20:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Atrah Street
	located in west Tulkarem.
	• Raid: At 22:20, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem until 22:45.
	• Wall Gates: 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.
	• 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,
	the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to
	Kafr Qaddum village.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 15:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun.
	(ii) At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Jit village.
	• Attack: At 12:20, Israeli forces positioned near Kafr Laqif village junction opened
	fire towards a vehicle carrying 2 passengers for allegedly not stopping at the
	checkpoint and as a result injured Yasser Abu Hammad and Ahmad Abu Ammar leaving them critically injured and hospitalised at a hospital in Israel during which
	Israeli forces closed the main road between Qalqiliya and Nablus thus impeded the
	free flow of traffic and detonated a vehicle then reopened the road at 14:00.
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	• Detention: (i) At 18:30, Israeli forces detained Wafi Shilo (16 years old) during their raid into
	Azzun.
	(ii) On February 14 th 2013, Israeli forces detained Khalil Aniya, a resident of Azzun as
QALQILIYA	he was reporting to Israeli intelligence based on a previous summon.
	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.
	(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 resumed in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei
	Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Immanuel
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	the eastern entrance of Azzun Atma for the purpose of constructing the Wall in the area.
	(iii) On February 6 th 2013, Israeli military bulldozers levelled residential land in Jayyus for the purpose of Wall construction.
	• 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: At 10:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beita junction until 13:25. At 16:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf junction until 17:30.
	 (iii) At 17:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Burin village junction. (iv) At 18:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Einibus village junction. Raid:
	 (i) At 14:35, Israeli forces raided Nablus, clashed with its residents, temporarily detained Mohammad Shabaro and released him at a later time. (ii) At 14:45, Israeli forces raided Kafr Kalil.
NABLUS	(iii) At 02:40, Israeli forces raided Nablus and detained a resident.
NADLUS	
	• Attack: At 13:30, Israeli forces positioned on the outskirts of Orif village fired tear
	gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning.
	 Demonstrations: At 11:00, a demonstration took place in Nablus in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. At 13:30, a demonstration took place near Huwara checkpoint in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons during which Israeli forces clashed with demonstrators, detained 2 demonstrators and injured Ahmad Khadr (15 years old) and Mooath Jamal (15 years old).
	• Detention: Israeli forces detained Abdel Ftah Badawi in Nablus.
	Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland. 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.
CAT FUT	(iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to Abu Nasar and QatanAl-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks.
SALFIT	 <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. <u>Raid:</u> At 02:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Zawiya, detained 2 residents then withdrew at 03:30.
	 Detention: (i) Israeli forces detained Samer Masaleh near Kafr Tabouh settlement as he was herding his sheep. (ii) Israeli forces detained Adham Abu Baker and Abdel Hakim Shaqir in Al-
	Zawiya.

	Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
JERICHO	 <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts and imped the free flow of traffic. <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 09:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho. <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 15:50, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Humra checkpoint temporarily detained Omar Daraghmeh, a resident of Tubas.
BETHLEHEM	 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 Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; 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. Flying Checkpoint: At 13:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Jorat Al-Shams village, seized a Palestinian National Security force vehicle then released it at 13:55. Raid: Israeli forces raided Um Saloumn a village and detained a resident. Attack: At 12:30, Israeli forces positioned at a military post in Al-Adey camp fired stun grenades towards several children for alleged stoning. Detention: Israeli forces detained Khalid Hajajra in Um Sulimuna village. Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in North West of Beit Jala town.
	 Closure: 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.
HEBRON	• 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) On 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) On December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.
- <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 13:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Khursa village.
- Raid:
 - (i) At 08:15, Israeli forces raided Hebron.
 - (ii) At 09:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya, stormed a searched vehicle spare parts shop then withdrew at 11:20.
 - (iii) At 11:05, Israeli forces raided Zif village, occupied the rooftop of Ali Shatats home, took photographs of the area then withdrew at 11:40.
 - (iv) At 19; 50, Israeli forces raided Halhul.
- <u>Attack:</u> At 19:30, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Urub camp fired tear gas grenades towards residents inside the camp for alleged stoning and left Yasser Hassan suffocated from tear gas inhalation.
- Settler Violence: At 14:55, Israeli settlers stormed Tel Al-Rumayda neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron and stormed agricultural land owned by Sadiq Aqbani, attempted to install a fence around the area in an attempt to confiscate the land and withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS

- 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 ceasefire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards North Gaza and injured 2 residents including 1 critically.

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 and allowed 79 truckloads of humanitarian goods.
- Attack: On the afternoon of February 14th 2013, Israeli forces opened fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards several farmers near Beit Hanun and injured 2 residents including 1 critically injured

	• Closure of Crossing Points:
	(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,
GAZA	the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
	• Detention: At 15:00 on February 15 th 2013, Israeli forces detained 4 children:
	Mohammad Hazin (17 years), Salim Abu Ghola (17 years), Ahmad Abu Ghoula (
	17 years old) and Mohammad Abu Ghula (16 years old) as they attempted to climb
	the border fence in Hajjer Al-Dik.
	• <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u>
	 Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.
	• Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students,
	passengers with permits and 83 truckloads of construction material for
RAFAH	internationally funded projects.
KAFAH	 Sufa Crossing is closed.
	• Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of
	humanitarian supplies, cooking gas 25 truckloads of manufacturing goods
	and construction material for internationally funded projects.