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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 17th February 2014 – 08:00, 18th February 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	1	—	1	A Special needs child was assaulted and injured by Israeli forces near Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron
Raids	28	2	30	1 in Jerusalem, 4 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 2 in Tubas, 6 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 5 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem, 6 in Hebron, 1 in North Gaza and 1 in Khan Yunis.
Temporary Detention	12	—	12	At checkpoints and residential areas including 5 Security Force officers.
Detention	24	—	24	10 in Ramallah, 2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 3 in Bethlehem and 6 in Hebron including a 7 children, 2 Security force officers and a woman at Allenby bridge and 3 fishermen..
Closure of Checkpoints	4	—	4	Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	16	—	16	4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron.
Attack	10	4	14	3 during raids, 9 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents and 2 from Military posts.
Home Demolition	3	—	3	Israeli forces demolished Bedouin tent homes in Al-Eizariya in Jerusalem.
Confiscation of Property	3	—	3	Israeli forces confiscated 3 trailers used as offices for a Woman's association in Kardala village in Tubas.
Destruction of Property	2	—	2	Israeli forces demolished several trailers used as vegetable shops in Al-Eizariya in Jerusalem.
Land Levelling	—	1	1	Israeli forces levelled a plot of land in Khan Yunis
Wall Construction	14	—	14	4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 4 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	9	—	9	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	72	—	72	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 20 in

				Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	5	5	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 Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination, diesel fuel, truckloads of construction material for Internationally funded projects as well as shipment of Vegetables.
Settler Violence	1	—	1	Israeli settlers stormed Jerusalem, Jericho, Bethlehem and Hebron
Total	199	12	211	

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JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 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. (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. • <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 Iksa 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 impeded the free flow of traffic. (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>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near “Malee Adumim” settlement, temporarily detained 4 National Security Force officers: Husam Narus, Mohamad Rabi’, Omar Oday and Foad Abu Haja then
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	<p>released them at 10:00.</p> <p>(ii) At 10:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Biddu.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> At 04:25, Israeli forces raided Biddu and fired flash grenades into the sky. • <u>Home Demolition:</u> At 02:00 on February 17th 2014, Israeli forces escorting several military bulldozers stormed Al-Eizariya in Jerusalem and demolished several Bedouin tents used as housing by 44 individuals and demolished 2 trailers used as vegetable and car wash shops. • <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.
<p>RAMALLAH & AL BIREH</p>	<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) Since September 3rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the north east entrance of Al-Mughier village with dirt mounds. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Turmus'aya until 11:00. (ii) At 12:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near "Halamish" settlement junction and detained a presidential guard for allegedly finding a knife in his possession. (iii) At 17:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Yabrud Village Bridge. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Nabi Saleh village, clashed with several residents as they stormed several homes and detained 5 residents including a child and a National Security force officer then withdrew at 03:15. (ii) At 02:25, Israeli forces raided Beit Rima, clashed with several residents as they stormed several homes and detained a resident then withdrew at 02:50. (iii) At 03:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Jalazoun camp, stormed several homes and detained 2 residents then withdrew at 04:20. (iv) At 07:00, Israeli forces raided Jifna until 07:55. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Mohamad Thiyab , a resident of Deir Istiya, near "Halamish" settlement junction. (ii) Israeli forces detained Yusef Marabe', a resident of Yabrud village ast a checkpoint near Yabrud Village Bridge. (iii) Israeli forces detained 5 residents: Basil Al-Tamimi (15 years old), Rami Al-Tamimi (a National Security force), Mohammad Al-Tamimi, Jihad Al-Tamimi and Mohammad Al-Tamimi in Al-Nabi Saleh village. (iv) Israeli forces detained Faris Kan'an in Beit Rima. (v) Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Abdel Karim Hamadneh and Ahmad Al-Bayad in Al-Jalazoun camp. • <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>Raid:</u> At 24:00, Israeli forces raided Ya’bad, fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents then withdrew at 01:00. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 16:50, Israeli forces positioned near “Movo Dotan” settlement temporarily detained Ibrahim Zeid, A National Security force officer and 2 others then released them at 18:00. • <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>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 9:30, Israeli forces raided Kardala village, confiscated 3 trailers used as offices for a Woman’s Association in the North Jordan valley which is funded by Oxfam Association. (ii) At 02:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Far’a camp, opened fire as they stormed and searched a home then withdrew at 04:55 • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 15:15, Israeli forces positioned at Tayasir checkpoint temporarily detained Rasmi Arashiya, a resident of Hama village in the North Jordan valley then released him at 16:40. (ii) At 22:20, Israeli forces positioned at Tayasir checkpoint, temporarily detained Jamal Hayoul (PLC member) as he was accompanied by his wife and daughter then released him after questioning at 23:40.
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>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) On February 16th 2014, Israeli forces raided Al-Far’un village and detained a resident. (ii) At 12:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Shweikiya neighbourhood in Tulkarem, stormed several vehicle repair shops then withdrew at 15:45. (iii) At 14:05, Israeli forces raided Zeita. (iv) At 21:00, Israeli forces raided Zeita, clashed with several residents as the stormed several homes then withdrew at 01:30. (v) At 23:30, Israeli forces raided Anabta, stormed a home then withdrew at 00:10. (vi) At 04:10, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem, stormed several warehouses, detained a resident then withdrew at 06:30. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Ali Abu Diyab in Far’un village. (ii) Israeli forces detained Ahmad Salim in Tulkarem. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted

	<p>special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.</p>
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> At 17:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun. • <u>Raid:</u> At 16:45, Israeli forces raided Qalqiliya until 17:40. • <u>Attack:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces positioned near the wall, gate in south Qalqiliya fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several; children for alleged stoning. • <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. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> 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.
NABLUS	<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>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 16:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Tel village. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on February 17th 2014, Israeli forces raided Awarta village and detained a resident after storming his home. (ii) At 12:30, Israeli forces raided Huwara. (iii) At 23:45, Israeli forces raided Tel village until 01:30. (iv) At 00:40, Israeli forces raided Burqa village. (v) At 01:55, Israeli forces raided Nablus, stormed a home, detained a resident after storming his home then withdrew at 03:15. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Shadi Awad in Awarta. (ii) Israeli forces detained Ramzi Abu Sa'adeh in Nablus. • <u>Attack:</u> At 16:30, Israeli forces positioned near Burqa village opened fire towards several children for alleged stoning. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 12:50, Israeli settlers stormed the outskirts of Qusra village then withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces.
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. • Checkpoints: At 19:30, Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 21:30. • Flying Checkpoint: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Salfit until 09:20. (ii) At 14:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west entrance of Kafr Al-Dik until 15:30. • Raid: At 23:50, Israeli forces raided Bidya until 03:30. • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. • Flying Checkpoint: At 16:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road 90 near Al-Nu'emeh village located on the North entrance of Jericho. • Detention: On February 16th 2014, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby bridge detained Reem Hamarsheh, a resident of Jenin.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <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. • Closure of Main Roads: <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 Nihalim 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.

	<p>(vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.</p> <p>(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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 21:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the West entrance of Beit Fajjar until 00:45. • <u>Raid:</u> At 20:40, Israeli forces raided Bethlehem and set up a checkpoint then withdrew at 21:30 • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 03:45 on February 17th 2014, Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Ahmad Salahat and Mohammad Abu Aher during their raid into Bethlehem as mentioned in the previous report. (ii) At 20:55, Israeli forces detained Oday Al-Harami (17 years old), a resident of Bethlehem as he was reporting to Israeli intelligence for questioning in "Kafr Atsiyon" based on a prior summon. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala town. (ii) On May 1st 2103, an Israeli court ordered the halt of wall construction near Betar village. (iii) On July 21st 2013, Israeli courts ordered the halt of construction of the wall in Al-Carmisan area in the west area of Beit Jalla.
<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 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) 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 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks. (vii) Since 09:45 on September 23rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the main road leading to "Haji" settlement and impeded the free flow of traffic • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Farsh Al-Hawa area in north Hebron. (ii) At 15:00, Israeli force set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Tarqumiya. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron. (ii) At 15:00, Israeli forces raided Sa'ir, stormed and searched several home. (iii) At 19:10, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar and detained 3 residents. (iv) At 00:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya until 01:15. (v) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Tabaqa village and searched a home. (vi) At 03:50, Israeli forces raided Ithna, stormed and searched several homes then withdrew at 05:00. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 19:15, Israeli forces detained 3 residents including 2 children: Mohammad Abu Sneineh (15 years old), Ahmad Al-Rajabi (17 years old) and Oday Al-Khadour near Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron. (ii) Israeli forces detained Nassim Abu Mariya (16 years old), Muhanad Al-Alami (16 years old) and Mohammad Awad (17 years old) in Beit Ummar. • <u>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:00, Israeli forces positioned Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron, fired rubber coated steel bullets , stun and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning and assaulted and injured Mohammad Ziyad (15 years old) {A special needs child} . (ii) At 13:10, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Tabaqa village junction fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning. (iii)At 18:15, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Urub camp fired stun and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town.
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<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<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 and on March 21st 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles. • Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by raiding and opening fire towards North Gaza and Khan Yunis. • Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Rafah.
<p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<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> At 06:30 on February 17th 2014, Israeli forces escorting several military bulldozers stormed 150 m into the vicinity of Beit Hanun (Erez) crossing and opened fire as they levelled a plot of agricultural land.

GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> (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 been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision..
KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> On the morning of February 18th 2014, Israeli forces escorting several military bulldozers stormed 200 m into the vicinity of Kaz'a crossing and opened fire and launched artillery shells as they levelled a plot of agricultural land.
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 tourists, residents, and students. • Sufa Crossing is closed. • Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination, diesel fuel , truckloads of construction material for UNURWA and Internationally funded projects. • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of February 17th 2014, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire towards agricultural land near Yasser 'Arafat International Airport and Al-Shuqa village.