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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00,4th January 2015 – 08:00,5th January 2015

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	4		4	3 in Tulkarem and 1 in Hebron including a child and a resident after being shot at by an Israeli settler.
Physical Assault	2		2	Israeli forces assaulted and injured a resident in Al-Bireh city and another resident in Husan village in Bethlehem.
Raids	17		17	2 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah,4 in Qalqiliya,3 in Nablus,1 in Salfit,1 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron.
Detention	13		13	8 in Jerusalem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron including 2 children.
Temporary Detention	11		11	At checkpoints and residential areas including a Woman and 2 residents at Allenby bridge.
Closure of Checkpoints	4		4	Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	13		13	3 in Jerusalem,1 in Jenin,1 in Tulkarem,1 in Qalqiliya,2 in Salfit,3 in Jericho and 2 in Hebron.
Attack	8	_	8	7 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents and 1 from Settler Violence.
Provocation of Palestinian Security Forces	1	_	1	Israeli forces summoned a Palestinian Security Force officer to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning in Deir Al-Sudan village Ramallah.
Home Demolition	*	_	-	Israeli forces served a demolition orders for several homes in Nablus.
Closure (per District)	10		10	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	73	_	73	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	7	7	All border crossings are closed.
Assault on Places of Worship	1	_	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshipers.
Settler Violence	1	_	1	Israeli settlers guard opened fire towards a resident in the old city of Hebron.
Total	158	8	163	

WEST BANK

• Closure:

- (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 40 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 with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.

• 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.
- (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 07:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Anata.

• Raid:

- (i) On the evening of January 4th 2015, Israeli forces raided Al-Eizariya and detained two residents.
- (ii) At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Kafr Aqab village and clashed with its residents.

• Detention:

- (i) On January 4th 2015, Israeli forces detained three residents: Mohammad Taraqi, Ahmad Za'anin and Abdallah Abu Thiyab in Jerusalem.
- (ii) On January 4th 2015, Israeli forces detained two children: Mohammad Taqfiq (15 years old) and Mohammad Mustafa (15 years old) Al Eisawiya village in Jerusalem.
- (iii) On January 4th 2015, Israeli forces detained Hamdi Kan'an (A resident of Hizma).
- (iv) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Abu Zied and Mohammad Al-Sinawi in Al-Eizariya.
- **Temporary Detention:** On January 4th 2015, Israeli forces positioned near Bab Hata gate (A main gate entrance leading to Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem) temporarily detained Khadijah Khawies then released her later.
- <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> At 09:00, Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli Police stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshipers.

• Wall Gates:

(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town.

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	(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.
	 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:
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	 (i) At dawn on January 4th 2015, Israeli forces raided Beit Rima, stormed a home and summoned Mahmoud Zidani to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. (ii) At 02:00 on January 4th 2015, Israeli forces raided Deir Al-Sudan village stormed a home, summoned Sanad Abu Al-Haj (A Palestinian Police
	Officer) to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. (iii) At 02:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh village, stormed a home, assaulted Eyad Al-Fazi' (A resident of Qalandiya) and as a result left him hospitalised with contusions then withdrew at 03:30.
JENIN	 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 11:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Jaba' junction until 11:45.
TULKAREM	 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. Checkpoint: At 18:50, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic until 20:30. Flying Checkpoint: At 10:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Izbit Shufah until 11:00. Temporary Detention: At 10:50, Israeli forces positioned at Jabarah check point temporarily detained two residents: Mohammad Obied and FadiYusef (residents of Fara'in village) then released them at 11:15. Attack: At 11:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Far'oun village fired rubber coated steel bullets stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents participating in the planting of Olive trees on residential land under threat of confiscation and as a result injured 3 residents including a child: Badir Hatem Badir (17 years old), Majdi Khandaqaji and Mo'ayad Amin leaving them hospitalised with contusions.
	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.
QALQILIYA	 (iii) Since 16:55 on December 18th 2014, Israeli forces closed a agricultural road leading to Far'ata village which is located near "Gillad" settlement with dirt mounds Flying Checkpoint: At 16:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of
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	Azzun.
	• <u>Raid:</u>
	(i) On January 3 rd 2015, Israeli forces raided Habalah village, stormed a
	home and summoned Jasim Al-Sha'ir to report to Israeli Intelligence for
	questioning.
	(ii) At 11:10, Israeli forces raided Jayyus, clashed with several residents then withdrew at 11:35.
	(iii) At 22:00, Israeli forces raided Bidya.
	(iv) At 04:20, Israeli forces raided Hajja village and detained a resident after
	storming his home.
	Detention: Israeli forces detained Mohammad Nofal in Hajja village.
	• Attack: At 17:30, Israeli forces positioned near the apartheid wall gate in Azzun
	Atma fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning
	and as a result suffocated 3 residents including 2 children: Wahid Ahmad (10
	years) and Mohammad Abu Bakr (11 years old) and Markam Ahmad who were
	hospitalised with tear gas inhalation.
	• Wall Gates:
	(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.
	• Closure: Since December 17th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500
	dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area.
	• 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.
	• Raid:
	(i) At 14:00, Israeli forces raided Burin village, clashed with several residents
NABLUS	then withdrew at 14:30. (ii) At 14:00, Israeli forces raided Beit Immrin village and clashed with
	several residents.
	(iii) At 22:20, Israeli forces raided Khirbiet Tanah village located near Beit
	Dajjan village and served a military orders to demolish several homes on
	January 7 th 2015.
	Closure of Main Roads:
	(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
CAT DIE	to civilian, which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from
SALFIT	08:00 until 09:20.
	(iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 th 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.
	(iv) At 01:00 on January 2 nd 2015, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Deir
	Istiya with cement blocks.
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	 Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and imped the free flow of traffic. Flying Checkpoints: At 11:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west entrance of Marda village until 12:30. At 22:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east entrance of Deir Ballut until 23:50. Raid: At 22:35, Israeli forces raided Masaha village until 00:10.
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JERICHO	 Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. Flying Checkpoint: At 14:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 17:30. At 16:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road (90) near Al-New'meh village located at the North entrance of Jericho until 17:45. At 20:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Nabi Musa area junction until 20:40. Temporary Detention: At 17:30, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby bridge temporarily detained Qaher Asmah (A resident of Jenin) as he was returning from Jordan then released him later. At 18:30, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby bridge temporarily
	detained Abdallah Riziq (A resident of Nablus) as he was returning from
	Jordan then released him after summoning him to report to Israeli
	intelligence for questioning.
	 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 dunumes of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. Closure of Main Roads:
BETHLEHEM	(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 2 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. (iv) Since May 8 th 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 3 rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and

- (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.
- (vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.
- (viii) On January 28th 2014, Israeli forces closed the steel gate at the entrance of Nihalin { replacing the dirt mounds placed at the entrance since the year 2002} and placed time schedule for opening the gate from 06:00 until 14:00 on a daily bases.
- Raid: At 03:00 on January 4th 2015, Israeli forces raided Al-Duhisheh camp in Bethlehem, stormed several homes and summoned four residents: Raed Salhi, Tamer Abu Sadoud, Mohammad Sarahnah and Ahmad Abu Riziq to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- <u>Detention</u>: At 14:45, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Sabah (A resident of Taqou') as he was reporting to Israeli Intelligence for Questioning.
- **Physical Assault:** At 17:10, Israeli forces positioned near the east area of Husan village assaulted Islam Hamarah (A resident of Husan).
- <u>Attack:</u> At 10:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ayda camp in Bethlehem fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning.

• Closure:

- (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.

• 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) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat and closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.

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• <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:50 and again at 13:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Halhul Bridge.

• Raid:

- (i) At 20:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Urub camp until 20:30.
- (ii) At 01:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya.
- (iii)At dawn on January 5th 2015, Israeli forces raided Hebron and detained three residents after storming their homes.
- <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained three residents: Saleh Daoud, Ahmad Al-Zarou and Raed Al-Jundi in Hebron.
- **Settler Violence:** At 13:20, an armed Israeli settler guard positioned near "Kiryat Arbba" settlement located in the old city of Hebron opened fire towards Haytham Al-Rajjabi and as result left him hospitalised with a gunshot wound to the leg

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GAZA STRIP

• At 19:00 on August 26th 2014, Palestinian Gunmen and the Israeli military agreed to a cease fire agreement (brokered by the Arab Republic of Egypt) which includes the opening of border crossings to allow the entry of emergency supplies and humanitarian goods as well as construction material and agreed to increase the fishing limit to 6 nautical miles with possibility of increase to 12 nautical miles by the end of the year and to decrease the Military area to 100 meters, allow freedom of movement and a halt to targeted killings and assassinations and negotiations will be held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month.

NORTHERN	• Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is closed.
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GAZA	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, the Crossing has closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is closed. Sufa Crossing is closed. (iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.