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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 5th January 2014 – 08:00, 6th January 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	1	—	1	Israeli forces assaulted and injured a woman as they detained her son in Tel Al-Rumayda neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron.
Detention	9	—	9	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Jenin, 3 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus and 2 in Hebron including a child and a woman as she was visiting her son in Al-Naqab prison.
Temporary Detention	9	—	9	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Raids	15	—	15	1 in Jerusalem, 3 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 5 in Nablus, 2 in Salfit and 3 in Hebron..
Closure of Checkpoints	6	—	6	1 checkpoint 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 Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 2 in Nablus, 4 in Jericho and 2 in Hebron.
Attack	5	1	6	5 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents, and 1 from Naval Vessels.
Home Demolition	*	—	—	*Israeli forces served demolition orders for 2 homes in Khirbit Al-Tawil area located near Aqraba village in Nablus.
Destruction of Property	*	—	—	*Israeli forces served halt to construction order for a pavement of a road connecting Khirbit Al-Tawil and Aqraba village in Nablus.
Confiscation of Property	5	—	5	Israeli forces confiscated a tractor in the North Jordan valley in Tubas, and Identification card and 3 vehicles in Azzun Atma village in Qalqiliya.
Wall Construction	15	—	15	4 in Jerusalem. 3 in Ramallah, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	9	—	9	Including, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas 2 in Bethlehem and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	74	—	74	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 26 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	5	5	Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit and entry of residents students tourists and medical patients and the entry 24 tons of meat provided by the United Arab Emirates as well 5 shipments of Hospital furniture.
Obstruction of Places of Worship	1	—	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem.
Settlement Activity	1	—	1	Israeli forces levelled several plots of land and installed several Mobile homes in Tel Al-Rumayda neighbourhood in the old city

Settler Violence	1	—	1	of Hebron. Israeli settlers assaulted and injured a 12 years old child near Al-Shalat road in the old city of Hebron
Demonstrations	1	—	1	Against settlement construction and the closure of several merchant shops in Al-Shalalat road in the old city of Hebron
TOTAL	164	6	170	

WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 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 at 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeding 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>Raid:</u> At dawn on January 5th 2014, Israeli forces raided Anata and summoned Hussein Al-Far’I to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. • <u>Detention:</u> At 08:00, Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Fihmi Al-Zir and Khalid Al-Zir in Silwan neighbourhood in Jerusalem. • <u>Obstruction of Places of Worship:</u> At 10:00, Israeli settler under the protection of Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshiper during which Israeli forces summoned Ammar Al-Salfiti (A mosque guard) to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> On the morning of January 5th 2014, Israeli settler assaulted the child Marah Jalajleh (12 years old), a resident of Silwan as she was on her way to school and as a result left her injured with contusions. • <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
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	<p>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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction continued 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.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <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. • Flying Checkpoint: At 15:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Atara bridge, • Attack: At 11:25, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Mughier village fired tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis village.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: <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. • Flying Checkpoint: At 15:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at T'inik village junction. • Detention: At 19:30, Israeli forces detained Fatima Abu 'Un, a resident of Jaba' in Jenin as she was visiting her detained son in Al-Naqab prison. • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Confiscation of Property: At 16:30, Israeli forces confiscated an agricultural tractor owned by Amar Sawafta, (a resident of Bardala) in the North Jordan valley
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <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. • Checkpoint: Israeli forces continue to increase their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:35, Israeli forces raided Beit Lid, temporarily detained several residents then released them after questioning at 16:45. (ii) At 15:50, Israeli forces raided Ramin village and temporarily detained several residents then released them after questioning. (iii) At 00:55, Israeli forces raided Nur Al-Shams camp in Tulkarem. • 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.
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Roads: <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.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> At 06:00, Israeli forces raided Hajja village and detained 2 residents. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:55, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Azzun Atma village detained Hazem Al-Sheikh. (ii) Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Ismail Tayoun and Khaled Tayoun in Haja village. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 10:50, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Azzun Atma village temporarily detained Amar Al-Sheikh then released him after confiscating his Identification card. • <u>Attack:</u> At 20:25, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate in the area between Izbet Suliman and Azzun Atma village opened fire towards several residents for allegedly attempting to climb the wall into Israel to find work. • <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 impeded the free flow of traffic and at 18:55 closed gate the wall, confiscated 3 vehicles after damaging them and as a result impeded the free flow of traffic then reopened the gate at 19:20. (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 was continued 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.
<p style="text-align: center;">NABLUS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> Since December 17th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunums 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>Checkpoint:</u> At 13:55, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Huwara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 14:30. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:20 and again at 18:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Furiq until 19:00. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on January 5th 2014, Israeli forces raided Beit Dajan village, stormed several homes and summoned 2 residents: Omar Abu Hilwan and Mohammad Abu Hiniesh to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. (ii) At 10:40, Israeli forces raided Orif village and clashed with its residents. (iii) At 16:15, Israeli forces raided Khirbit Al-Twil area near Aqraba, served demolition orders for 2 homes {residential dens} owned by Faris Abu Khdeir and Baha Andel Ghani and removed electrical poles and networks and ordered a halt to pavement of a road linking the area to Aqraba.

	<p>(iv) At 00:25, Israeli forces raided Awarta village until 01:30.</p> <p>(v) At 01:40, Israeli forces raided Burq village and detained a child then withdrew at 03:00.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Ahmad Daghlas (17 years old) in Burqa village.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of 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. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:20, Israeli forces raided Salfit. (ii) At 12:30, Israeli forces raided Far'ata village until 13:00. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued 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 intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Jiftlik village junction. (ii) At 15:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at road 90 near Al-Nuw'meh village located in the north entrance of Jericho until 15:15. (iii) At 15:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 17:15. (iv) At 16:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Al-Mu'arajat road which connects Jericho and Ramallah until 17:00.
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 dunumes 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 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. (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

	<p>area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (v) Since June 3rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin 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. (vii) Since 14:00 on October 18th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Surif and Al-Jab'a village with dirt mounds <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attack:</u> At 08:15, Israeli forces located near the entrance of the town El Khader fired tear gas towards residents. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Wall construction continued in North West of Beit Jala town due to severe weather conditions. (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>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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 12:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Halhul Bridge until 16:05. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:00, Israeli forces raided Hebron and set up a checkpoint. (ii) At 16:50, Israeli forces raided Wadi Al-Joz area in Bani Na'im , stormed several homes and summoned Munir Manasra to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. • <u>Attack:</u> At 20:50, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Al-Urub camp fired tear gas grenades towards several residents inside the camp for alleged stoning then raided the camp and stormed a home. • <u>Settlement Activity:</u> At 09:00, Israeli forces stormed Tel Al-Rumayda

	<p>neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron levelled several plots of land approximately 5 dunums (acres) owned by Haykal family and installed several Mobile homes then detained a resident and assaulted his mother.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:10, Israeli forces positioned near “Haji” settlement in south Hebron detained Rashid Al-Aqbi. (ii) Israeli forces detained Imad Abu Haykal in Tel Al-Rumayda neighbourhood. • <u>Demonstration:</u> On January 5th 2014, a demonstration took place at Al-Shalalat road in the old city of Hebron protesting against settler violence and closures of merchant shops in the area. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya 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 and on March 21st 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles. • Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza.
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>Attack:</u> At 15:40, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya.
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.
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 closed. • 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 Internationally funded projects as well as 2 shipment of Strawberries and Roses.