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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 12th January 2014 – 08:00, 13th January 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	1	—	1	A 65 year old resident was injured after a tear gas grenade fired by Israeli forces struck his head during confrontations in Hebron.
Detention	15	—	15	7 in Jerusalem, 2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Nablus, 1 in Bethlehem, and 3 in Hebron including 8 children..
Temporary Detention	9	—	9	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Raids	21	—	21	1 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqiliya, 6 in Nablus, 1 in Bethlehem, and 5 in Hebron
Closure of Checkpoints	4	—	4	1 checkpoint closed, Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	16	—	16	2 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	10	—	10	During confrontations between Israeli forces and residents.
Provocation of Palestinian Security Forces	1	—	1	Israeli forces temporarily seized a National Security force vehicle carrying 3 officers at Za'tara checkpoint in Salfit.
Obstruction of Education Sector	1	—	1	Israeli forces. fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several school children as they stormed a school yard in Orif village in Nablus.
Confiscation of Property	2	—	2	Israeli forces confiscated an agricultural tractor and a water tank in Tubas.
Assault on Property	*	—	—	*Israeli forces served eviction orders for resident in Tamoun village in Tubas.
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.
TOTAL	179	5	184	

WEST BANK

JERUSALEM

- **Closure:**
 - (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 Ikksa 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 Ikksa 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 and at 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint 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.
- **Raid:** At dawn on January 12th 2014, Israeli forces raided Hizma and detained 2 children.
- **Detention:**
 - (i) On January 12th 2014, Israeli forces detained 4 children: Yusef Abu Znied (16 years old), Iz Al-Din Fuqiya (15 years old), Oday Sa’ed (15 years) and Mohammad Al-Khatib (14 years old) in Shu’fat camp.
 - (ii) At 10:40, Israeli forces Mohammad Masalmeh, a resident of Bethlehem as he was in Jerusalem.
 - (iii) Israeli forces detained 2 children: Mohammad Ramadan Khatib (16 years old) and Mohammad Salah Al-Din (16 years old) in Hizma.
- **Obstruction of Places of Worship:** 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.
- **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.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Wall Construction:</u> 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"> • <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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Abboud. (ii) At 12:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Beituniya and Beit Ur Al-Tahta until 14:20. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on January 12th 2014, Israeli forces raided Silwad and summoned 2 residents: Ahmad Hamad and Samer Ayad. (ii) At 12:20, Israeli forces raided Abboud, clashed with its residents then withdrew at 13:30. (iii) At 07:15, Israeli forces raided Beit Ur Al-Tahta, set up a checkpoint and prevented residents from entering or exiting the area. • <u>Attack:</u> At 06:45 on January 12th 2014, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Al-Jalazoun camp fired tear gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> 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"> • <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 11:15, Israeli forces raided Jenin until 14:00. • <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>Assault on Property:</u> At 14:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Ba'qi'a area in east Tamoun, served eviction notices for homes owned by : Jum'a Bani Odeh and confiscated a tractor and a water tank owned by Mustafa Bani Odeh then took photographs of 2 homes owned by Yusef Basharat and Khalid Bani Odeh.
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 increase their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 11:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Quffin until 13:20. • <u>Raids:</u> At 01:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Shweikiya neighbourhood in Tulkarem, stormed 2 homes then withdrew at 06:20. • <u>Detention:</u> On January 12th 2014, Israeli forces detained 2 residents including a child: Ashraf Jawabra (17 years old) and Ahmad Al-Qidsi [Both residents of Anata]. • <u>Attack:</u> At 14:55, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate in Zeita fired tear gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning.

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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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun. (ii) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jit village junction. (iii) At 17:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Izbit Al-Tabib village. (iv) At 18:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Izbit Al-Tabib village. (v) At 19:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Azzun and Izbit Al-Tabib village. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:35 and again at 06:30, Israeli forces raided Azzun. (ii) At 00:20, Israeli forces raided of Izbit Al-Tabib village. • <u>Attack:</u> At 11:30, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate in south Qalqiliya opened fire 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 to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector impeded the free flow of traffic. (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.
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 15:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Furiq. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:00, Israeli forces raided Orif village, stormed a school yard and fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several school children for alleged stoning then withdrew at 10:15.

	<p>(ii) At 21:30, Israeli forces raided Osirin village, clashed with its residents as they stormed the head of the village councils home, detained 2 residents then withdrew at 23:15.</p> <p>(iii) At 23:10, Israeli forces raided Qaryut and Jallud villages until 02:55.</p> <p>(iv) At 00:40, Israeli forces raided Nablus until 02:55.</p> <p>(v) At 01:05, Israeli forces raided Beita.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Tarik Adeli and Mustafa Adeli in Osirin 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>Provocation of Palestinian Security Forces:</u> At 08:05, Israeli forces positioned at Za'tara checkpoint seized a National Security force vehicle carrying 3 officers then allowed it to pass through at a later time. • <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 road 90 near Al-Nuw'meh village located in the north entrance of Jericho. (ii) At 01:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho.
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> <p>(v) Since June 3rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds.</p> <p>(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> <p>(vii) Since 14:00 on October 18th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Surif and Al-Jab'a village with dirt mounds</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 19:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at “Kafar Etsiyon” settlement junction located along the main road connecting Bethlehem and Hebron then detained a resident. • <u>Raid:</u> At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Nihallin until 14:20. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Ahnaf Faroukh along the main road connecting Bethlehem and Hebron. • <u>Attack:</u> At 15:45, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ayda camp fired stun grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • <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 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Ummar, impeded the free flow of traffic and detained 2 residents including a child. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:30, Israeli forces raided Ithna.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (ii) At 11:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Ramadin village. (iii) At 00:55, Israeli forces raided Hebron, detained a resident then withdrew at 03:30. (iv) At 02:55, Israeli forces raided Sa'ir, stormed a home then withdrew at 03:50. (v) At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Halhul and stormed a home. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Fadi Fanous (17 years old) and Ehab Fanous in Beit Ummar. (ii) Israeli forces detained Mahmoud Abu Daoud in Hebron. • <u>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:10, Israeli forces positioned in the old city of Hebron fired tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and as a result injured Abdel Muhdi Qafishat (65 years old) after being struck with a tear gas grenade canister in the head (ii) At 18:40, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Al-Urub camp fired tear gas grenades towards several residents inside the camp for alleged stoning then closed the entrance of the camp thus preventing residents from entering or leaving the camp. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued 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.
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<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.
<p style="text-align: center;">GAZA</p>	<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.
<p style="text-align: center;">RAFAH</p>	<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.

January 13th 2014