

## مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 17 January 2006 – 08:00 18 January 2006

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assaults	5	—	5	Incl. 1 Pal. security officer beaten
Injuries	6	—	6	2 in Jenin and 4 in Hebron
Attacks	2	2	4	2 in raids and 2 from military posts
Raids	31	4	35	Incl. 1 in Northern Gaza & 3 in Rafah
Air Patrols	2	—	2	Incl. troops dispatched by helicopters
Arrests	39	—	39	Incl. 5 children & 2 injured civilians
Detentions	13	—	13	Incl. 2 Palestinian security officers
House Demolitions	5	—	5	2 in Nablus and 3 in Bethlehem
Wall Construction	28	—	28	Incl. Jer., Raml'h., Qalq., Salfit, Beth.
Destruction of Property	3	—	3	Incl. 4 barracks demolished, Beth.
Confiscation of Property	1	—	1	ID cards of 20 civilians at checkpoint
House Occupations	2	—	2	Incl. several houses in Al Fawwar
Curfew	1	—	1	Over Al Fawwar RC, Hebron
Flying Checkpoints	4	—	4	Incl. in Ramallah, Jericho, & Hebron
Closure of Checkpoint	1	—	1	'Einav checkpoint, Tulkarem district
Closure (per District)	9	1	10	Incl. a buffer zone in Northern Gaza
Closure of Main Roads	26	—	26	Incl. Road # 60 leading to Jerusalem
Closure of Crossing Points	—	4	4	Incl. Rafah Crossing partially
Settler Violence	1	—	1	Incl. shops burnt & houses stoned
Obstruction of Elections	1	—	1	1 elections candidate detained
Provocation of Pal. Forces	1	—	1	Taking position near 1 Police station
Pal. Security Measure	1	—	1	1 Israeli citizen handed over
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>182</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>193</b>	

DISTRICT	EVENT
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## WEST BANK

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>JERUSALEM</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrances to the city of Jerusalem and has set up checkpoints in the old city of Jerusalem and around Al Aqsa Mosque compound.</li> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Road:</b> The Israeli army continues to close the eastern entrance to Dahiyat Bir Nabala northwest of the city of Jerusalem with cement blocks.</li> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Qalandiya and Beit Iksa checkpoints and to impede civilian access.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction continues in Dahiyat al Aqbat, from the village of Hizma to 'Anata, along the Hizma-Jaba' road, the area of Al 'Eizariya to Ash Shayyah, near Al Quds University, in the town of As Sawahira ash Sharqiya, from the village of Beit Surik to Biddu, in the areas of Al Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina, around the settlement of Ma'ale Adumim, and west of the village of Al Jib.</li> <li>• <b>Raids:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Al 'Eizariya.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army raided the village of 'Anata and arrested 1 child.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Arrest:</b> The Israeli army arrested Yousef Ahmed 'Ilayyan, 17 years old, in the village of 'Anata.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>RAMALLAH &amp; EL BIREH</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Road:</b> The Israeli army continues to close the eastern entrance to the village of Sinjil with dirt barricades.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction continues in the areas of Al Midya to Budrus, Al Midya to Ni'lin, Bil'in to Saffa, in the village of Beit Liqya, in the town of Beituniya, and west of the town of 'Abud.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint:</b> The Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on 'Uyun al Haramiya junction on the Ramallah-Nablus main road and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b>Raids:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) On 16 January 2006, the Israeli army raided the village of Kafr Ni'ma and arrested 1 civilian.</li> <li>(ii) At 04:10, the Israeli army, including 20 jeeps, raided the city of El Bireh and Al Am'ari refugee camp, searched a number of houses in the refugee camp, and arrested 4 civilians. At 07:40, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army raided the city of Ramallah and searched 1 house belonging to a lawyer. The Israeli army also arrested the lawyer.</li> <li>(iv) The Israeli army raided the village of Kharbatha Bani Harith and arrested 4 civilians.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>(v) The Israeli army raided the village of Kobar and served summons to a number of civilians to report to the Israeli Intelligence Service.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Arrests:</b></li> </ul> <p>(i) The Israeli army arrested Mohammed Saleh ad Dik in the village of Kafr Ni'ma.</p> <p>The Israeli army arrested 4 civilians in Al Am'ari refugee camp:</p> <p>(ii) Fadi Abu 'Attiyyeh;</p> <p>(iii) Kayed at Tarteer;</p> <p>(iv) Hamzeh ash Sheikh; and</p> <p>(v) Mousa Abu Raddahah.</p> <p>(vi) The Israeli army arrested Rasmi Ahmed Hassan, a lawyer, in the city of Ramallah.</p> <p>The Israeli army arrested 4 civilians in the village of Kharbatha Bani Harith:</p> <p>(vii) Nu'man Abdul Lateef Hammoudeh;</p> <p>(viii) Hani Abdul 'Azeez Injas;</p> <p>(ix) 'Imad Ibrahim Injas; and</p> <p>(x) 'Uday Hasan Injas.</p>
<b>JENIN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Road:</b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades Al Jabriyat road connecting the area south of the city of Jenin to Jenin refugee camp.</li> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint east of the town of Tubas and to impede civilian access.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>• <b>Raids/Detention:</b></li> </ul> <p>(i) At 03:30, the Israeli army, including 40 armoured vehicles and jeeps, raided the city of Jenin and Jenin refugee camp. Armed confrontations took place between the Israeli army and armed Palestinian individuals in Jenin refugee camp, during which the Israeli army injured 2 civilians. The Israeli army also arrested 4 individuals, including the 2 injured civilians and 1 Palestinian National Security officer, and detained another civilian. At 07:20, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</p> <p>(ii) An Israeli army patrol raided the town of Tammun and Al Far'a refugee camp and patrolled the area.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Arrests:</b> The Israeli army arrested 4 individuals in Jenin refugee camp:</li> </ul> <p>(i) Waleed al Fayed, a Palestinian National Security officer;</p> <p>(ii) Khader Zeidan Washahi;</p> <p>(iii) Qussay Zeidan Washahi; and</p> <p>(iv) Ahmed Husam at Tubasi.</p>
<b>TULKAREM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> The Israeli army continues to impose a complete closure on the district of Tulkarem and to declare it a closed military zone following a suicide attack carried out on the junction to the village of Far'un. The Israeli army continues to impede civilian access to and from the district.</li> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrance to the village of 'Izbat Abu Khmeish and the roads connecting the town of Kafr al Labad to the village of Al Hafasa,</li> </ul>

	<p>the town of Bal'a and the village of Al 'Attara, Bal'a to Dahiyat Iktaba, Al Mahjar to Al Jarushiya, Iktaba to Deir al Ghusun, Al Masqufa to Deir al Ghusun and Shuweika, Al Hafasa to Dhinnaba, 'Attil to 'Illar, and 'Attil to Deir al Ghusun.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> The Israeli army continues to close the checkpoint set up near the settlement of 'Einav on the road connecting the districts of Tulkarem and Nablus and to deny access to civilian vehicles.</li> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>• <b>Physical Assault:</b> At 13:40, Israeli troops positioned at Jubara checkpoint severely beat Nasser Mohammed Abu Bakr, a Palestinian National Security officer.</li> <li>• <b>Raid/Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</b> At 02:05, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided the town of 'Illar, took position near the town's Palestinian Police station, and arrested 3 civilians. At 07:20, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</li> <li>• <b>Arrests:</b> The Israeli army arrested 3 civilians in the town of 'Illar: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Mohammed Sati al Ashqar;</li> <li>(ii) Ahmed Mousa al Ashqar; and</li> <li>(iii) 'Anan Mahmoud Darwish.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Wall Gates:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Wall Construction:</b> Land levelling for Wall construction continues in the village of Immatin and east of the towns of Kafr Thulth and 'Azzun.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint/Detention:</b> At 20:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the eastern entrance to the city of Qalqiliya, searched civilians and vehicles, and detained 1 Palestinian National Security officer until 21:00.</li> <li>• <b>Raids/Air Patrol:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 08:45, Israeli troops, dispatched by an Israeli combat helicopter, raided and combed a valley adjacent to the area south of the town of Kafr Thulth.</li> <li>(ii) At 00:15, Israeli Special Forces raided the city of Qalqiliya and withdrew at a later time.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Road:</b> The Israeli army continues to close the main road leading to the district of Jenin between the junction to the village of Deir Sharaf and the settlement of Shavei Shomron. Instead, the Israeli army has forced civilians to travel along an unpaved 1.5-km-long road, which branches off from the Nablus-Tulkarem road and intersects with the Nablus-Jenin road opposite the village of Sabastiya.</li> </ul>

- **Checkpoints:**

- (i) The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing Huwwara, Beit Iba, At Tur Mountain, and Beit Furik checkpoints around the city of Nablus. The Israeli army closes the checkpoints overnight and reopens them at various morning hours.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to limit the time for crossing Huwwara checkpoint to the period between 06:00 and 23:00.

- **Raids:**

- (i) At 12:30, the Israeli army raided the village of Al Lubban ash Sharqi and demolished 1 house under construction, claiming that it was built without the required license.
- (ii) At 12:50, the Israeli army raided the village of Deir al Hatab and searched 1 house.
- (iii) At 17:45, and again at 21:00, Israeli Special Forces and 2 Israeli army jeeps raided and patrolled the city of Nablus.
- (iv) At 18:40, the Israeli army raided the village of Qaryut and demolished 1 house under construction, claiming that it was built without the required license.

- **House Demolitions:**

- (i) The Israeli army demolished 1 house in the village of Al Lubban ash Sharqi belonging to Mahmoud as Sa'di.
- (ii) The Israeli army demolished 1 house in the village of Qaryut belonging to Mahmoud Mousa Johar.

- **Arrests:** At 03:00 on 17 January 2006, the Israeli army arrested 6 civilians, including 3 children, in addition to those reported yesterday, during its raid on the town of 'Asira ash Shamaliya:

- (i) Sami Ahmed al Birawi, 17 years old;
  - (ii) Ahmed 'Odeh Salem Ka'abneh, 17 years old;
  - (iii) Nitham Ahmed Hamadneh, 17 years old;
  - (iv) Ayman Fu'ad Hamadneh;
  - (v) Fu'ad Husam Jawabreh; and
  - (vi) Ahmed 'Ayyad Jarar'ah.
  - (vii) At 16:15, Israeli troops positioned at Beit Iba checkpoint arrested Ahmed Husni Ghawadreh, a Palestinian National Security officer.
- At 18:35, Israeli troops positioned at the checkpoint set up at the entrance to the town of Beit Furik arrested 3 Palestinian National Security officers:
- (viii) Rami Muneer Abu Dawoud;
  - (ix) Ja'far Sidqi Dharaghmeh; and
  - (x) Hamd Allah Abdul Haleem Shqeir.

- **Detentions/Destruction of Property:**

- (i) At 11:00, Israeli troops positioned at the checkpoint set up at the entrance to the town of Beit Furik detained Nihad Abdul Lateef Hanani.
- (ii) At 16:15, Israeli troops positioned at Beit Iba checkpoint detained Khaled Mar'i, a Palestinian National Security officer, and damaged his ID card.

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SALFIT</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Road:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close the main north-western entrance to the city of Salfit with dirt barricades. The road has been closed since the beginning of the current <i>Intifada</i> (Uprising).</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close Deir Ballut checkpoint overnight and open it at various morning hours, impeding civilian access.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues near the Green Line in the town of Deir Ballut and the villages of Az Zawiya and Rafat, northwest of the city of Salfit, and in the village of Marda and the town of Kifl Haris north of the settlement of Ari'el.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>JERICHO</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of Al 'Auja is closed with cement blocks. The Israeli army prevents farmers not holding Jericho ID cards from reaching their land, forcing them to apply for access permits. The Israeli army also sporadically impedes civilian movement into the city of Jericho, except for Jerusalem and Jericho ID holders.</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Al Hamra checkpoint on the road connecting the districts of Jericho and Nablus and to impede civilian access.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 14:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the village of Al 'Auja on Al Mu'arrajat road connecting the districts of Jericho and Ramallah and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 05:00, an Israeli army patrol raided the area of Ad Dahiya in the city of Jericho and withdrew at a later time.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detention/Confiscation of Property:</u></b> At 12:00, Israeli troops positioned at Al Hamra checkpoint on the road connecting the districts of Jericho and Nablus detained 20 civilians from the village of Beit Surik in the district of Jerusalem, prevented them from crossing, and confiscated their ID cards.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>BETHLEHEM</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the road to the village of An Nu'man in the north-eastern Bethlehem district, isolating the village. The Israeli army considers the civilians' residence in the village illegal because they hold West Bank identity cards while their village is located within the Israeli-defined municipal boundaries of Jerusalem.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to the villages of Husan and Nahhalin with cement blocks.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close all roads to Road # 60 leading to the city of Jerusalem, thereby isolating the city of Bethlehem from its towns and villages located west of Road # 60.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction continues north of 'Ayda refugee camp towards the area north of the city of Beit Jala and in the Everest area, northwest of the city of Beit Jala.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids/Destruction of Property/Physical Assaults:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 10:35, an Israeli army patrol raided the city of Beit Jala and patrolled the area.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(ii) At 10:35, the Israeli army, accompanied by bulldozers, raided the villages of Jib ad Dib and Al Fureidis and demolished 3 houses, as well as 4 barracks used for sheep, claiming that they were in close proximity to a settler bypass road. The Israeli army also severely beat 4 civilians, after which they were transported to Bethlehem Public Hospital for treatment of injuries sustained. At 13:00, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</li> <li>(iii) At 13:10, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided and patrolled the town of Al 'Ubeidiya until 16:00.</li> <li>(iv) At 17:30, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided and patrolled the town of Al Khadr.</li> <li>(v) At 00:15, Israeli Special Forces raided 'Ayda refugee camp. The Israeli army, including 4 jeeps, raided the refugee camp again and arrested 1 civilian.</li> <li>• <b><u>House Demolitions:</u></b> The Israeli army demolished 3 houses in the villages of Al Fureidis and Jib ad Dib belonging to: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) 'Ammar Ibrahim Khamis;</li> <li>(ii) Hasan Khamis Msa'ed; and</li> <li>(iii) Ayman 'Allan al Wahsh.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Arrests:</u></b> At 16:00 on 16 January 2006, the Israeli army arrested 2 civilians from the village of Battir while they were returning from their workplace in the city of Beit Shemesh inside the Green Line: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Ibrahim Ali 'Uweineh; and</li> <li>(ii) Baha' Ali an Najjar.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army arrested Khaled 'Aqel Mustafa in 'Ayda refugee camp.</li> <li>(iv) At 12:00, Israeli troops positioned at As Sawahira ash Sharqiya (the "Container") checkpoint arrested an unidentified civilian.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Palestinian Security Measure:</u></b> At 17:20, Palestinian security forces handed over Ilyahu Moshe Vilo, an Israeli citizen located in the city of Beit Sahur, to the Israeli authorities (through the DCO). Vilo claimed that he wished to live in Palestinian Authority-controlled territory.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HEBRON</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and barbed wire Ash Shuhada' Street and the area of As Sahleh and with an iron gate the old gold market, all in the H2 section of the city of Hebron, denying access to civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to implement a military order to close civilian commercial shops on both sides of the road connecting the settlement of Kiryat Arba' to the Ibrahim Mosque in the old city of Hebron from 06 November 2005 until 07 May 2006. Civilian vehicles are prohibited from travelling along the road unless they possess access permits. Only Israeli settler vehicles are allowed unrestricted access on the road.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close with a dirt barricade the area of Khuzq al Far near the settlement of Abraham Avino in the old city of Hebron, in addition to the iron gate that has been set up in the area.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

- (iv) The Israeli army continues to close the entrance to the area of Al Khan in the old city of Hebron with an electronic gate, isolating the area from Al Laban Market and the area of As Sahleh.
- **Closure of Main Roads:** The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrances to the area of Al Hawawir leading to the town of Halhul, the village of 'Arab ar Ramadin, and the area of Al Fahs south of the city of Hebron. The Israeli army has also continued to close with dirt barricades the junction to the area of Farsh al Hawa leading to Road # 35 northwest of the city of Hebron and the entrance to the town of Idhna.
  - **Wall Construction:** Wall construction continues west of the town of Surif to Beit Ula, in the town of Idhna, from the village of Deir Samit to the village of Beit 'Awwa, from Beit 'Awwa to the village of Al Burj, and south of the towns of Adh Dhahiriya and As Samoa'.
  - **Flying Checkpoint/Detention:** At 24:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Al Fawwar refugee camp and detained a number of civilians, while they were returning home, for an extended period of time.
  - **Raids/Curfew/House Occupations/Air Patrol:**
    - (i) Beginning at 03:00 on 17 January 2006, the Israeli army remained positioned in Al Fawwar refugee camp and continued to impose curfew and to occupy a number of houses, which it converted into military posts. Israeli army combat helicopters patrolled the skies over the area. The Israeli army also fired sound and tear gas grenades, injuring 4 civilians, searched a number of houses, and arrested 5 civilians, including 1 child. At 13:00, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.
    - (ii) At 02:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Yatta and arrested 1 civilian.
    - (iii) At 03:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Surif, arrested 1 civilian, and withdrew at 04:30.
  - **Arrests:** The Israeli army arrested 5 civilians in Al Fawwar refugee camp:
    - (i) Ghaleb Hasan as Sous, 13 years old;
    - (ii) Ayyoub Hasan Ghattasheh;
    - (iii) Isma'il Mohammed an Najjar;
    - (iv) Hasan as Sarahneh; and
    - (v) 'Arafat Maher Bassal.
    - (vi) The Israeli army arrested 'Isa Taleb Abu Fanous in the town of Yatta.
    - (vii) The Israeli army arrested Zakariya 'Awadh Allah al Heeh in the town of Surif.
  - **House Occupation:** The Israeli army continues to implement Military Order # T/02/05 to seize control of the roof of 1 house in the city of Hebron and to use it as a military point from 29 December 2005 until 11 February 2006.
  - **Settler Violence/Destruction of Property:** A group of Israeli settlers set fire to a number of commercial shops belonging to civilians in the old city of Hebron. Israeli settlers also seized control of other shops and threw stones at civilian houses.
  - **Obstruction of Elections:** At 21:00, the Israeli army detained Rafeeq an Natsheh, as well as a number of civilians supervising his electoral



	campaign activities who were in his company, on Al Fawwar junction until 22:30.
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### GAZA STRIP

<b>ALL DISTRICTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Beginning on 16 December 2005, the Israeli army has continued to impose a complete closure on the Gaza Strip, ostensibly due to Palestinian individuals' firing of mortars towards the Green Line. The Israeli army has prevented civilians and workers from crossing the Green Line.</li> </ul>
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<b>NORTHERN GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Closure:</b> Beginning at 18:00 on 28 December 2005, the Israeli army has continued to impose a buffer zone (through artillery and air attacks) in the area near the Green Line, including the areas of evacuated settlements, in the district of Northern Gaza. Prior to imposing the buffer zone, Israeli army combat aircrafts dropped flyers warning that civilians would put their lives in danger if they enter the designated area.</li> <li><b>Closure of Crossing Point:</b> Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is closed.</li> <li><b>Raid:</b> At 10:55, an Israeli army armoured vehicle raided Palestinian territory near Point 17 on the Green Line north of the town of Beit Lahiya.</li> </ul>
<b>GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Closure of Crossing Point:</b> Al Muntar (Karnei) Crossing is closed.</li> </ul>
<b>CENTRAL GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Activities not reported.</li> </ul>
<b>KHAN YUNIS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Attacks:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At 14:35, the Israeli army opened fire from Point 169 on the Green Line towards Palestinian territory east of the village of 'Abasan al Kabira.</li> <li>At 15:50, the Israeli army opened fire from Point 148 on the Green Line towards Palestinian territory east of the area of Al Qarara.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
<b>RAFAH</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Closure of Crossing Points:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Yasser Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> <li>Rafah Crossing is partially open in both directions from 08:00 to 16:00 to passengers holding Palestinian IDs, humanitarian cases, and Arab and foreign diplomatic missions.</li> </ol> </li> <li><b>Raids:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>At 12:30, the Israeli army, including 2 armoured vehicles and 1 bulldozer, raided 50 metres into Palestinian territory near Point 195 on the Green Line north of Sufa Crossing.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>

	<p>(ii) At 13:30, the Israeli army, including 2 armoured vehicles and 1 bulldozer, raided 100 metres into Palestinian territory near Point 198 on the Green Line north of Sufa Crossing.</p> <p>(iii) At 22:10, the Israeli army, including 2 armoured vehicles and 1 bulldozer, raided 10 metres into Palestinian territory near Point 226 on the Green Line south of Sufa Crossing.</p>
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## GENERAL

<p><b>WORK PERMITS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>West Bank:</u></b> The Israeli authorities renewed 6,809 work permits for crossing the Green Line. However, the number of permit-holding workers who were allowed to access areas inside the Green Line is unknown.</li> <li>• <b><u>Gaza Strip:</u></b> The Israeli authorities renewed 184 work permits for workers to cross the Green Line. However, none of the workers possessing work permits were allowed to access areas inside the Green Line due to maintenance works carried out by the Israeli authorities at the crossing point designated for workers.</li> </ul>
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