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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00,22th January 2015 – 08:00,23rd January 2015

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

| EVENT | WEST BANK | GAZA STRIP | TOTAL | NOTES |
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| Injury | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in North Gaza including a school child after being assaulted by an Israeli settler, a resident after his vehicle overturned as he was being apprehended by Israeli forces and a fisherman off the shores of Gaza. |
| Physical Assault | 2 | — | 2 | Israeli forces assaulted a resident in Jerusalem and another resident in Qalqiliya. |
| Raids | 14 | — | 14 | 2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 2 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho and 1 in Hebron. |
| Detention | 9 | — | 9 | 2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Jenin, 3 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho and 2 in Bethlehem including a resident at Allenby bridge. |
| Temporary Detention | 15 | — | 15 | At checkpoints and residential areas including a child and a woman. |
| Closure of Checkpoints | 7 | — | 7 | 1 checkpoint closed, Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 5 others. |
| Flying Checkpoints | 19 | — | 19 | 2 in Jerusalem, 5 in Ramallah, 1 in Tubas, 4 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho and 4 in Hebron. |
| Attack | 6 | — | 6 | 5 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents and 1 from settler attack. |
| Home Demolition | *1 | — | 1 | Israeli forces demolished a residential tent and a barracks in Beit Iksa village in Jerusalem. *Israeli forces served demolition orders for 5 homes in Ramallah |
| Confiscation of Property | 3 | — | 3 | Israeli forces confiscated a shipping container in Al-Jiftlik village in Jericho 27000 NIS and a cellular telephone from a resident after his vehicle overturned while being apprehended by Israeli forces near Bethlehem. |
| Destruction of Property | 5 | — | 5 | Israeli forces demolished a concrete fence surrounding a home, damaged a vehicle, damaged water pipelines in Salfit and demolished 2 barracks in Jericho |
| Closure (per District) | 10 | — | 10 | Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Main Roads | 74 | — | 74 | Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Crossings | — | 4 | 4 | Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the entry and exit of residents, students, tourists and the entry of Medical Supplies. |
| Assault on Places of Worship | 1 | — | 1 | Israeli forces settlers under the protection of Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem |
| Settler Violence | 2 | — | 2 | Israeli settlers launched stun grenades towards a school in Jerusalem and stormed the area of "Homish" settlement in Jenin |
| Total | 1700 | 5 | 175 | |

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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 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. • <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. (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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Iksa village, demolished a tent and a barracks owned by Ibrahim Al-Jhalin. (ii) At 15:00, Israeli forces raided Biddu and detained a resident. (iii) At dawn on January 23rd 2015, Israeli forces raided Kafr Aqab and detained a resident. • <u>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 15:30, Israeli forces positioned in Al-Tur neighbourhood fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. (ii) At 17:00, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ram junction fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Mahmoud Hamidan in Biddu. (ii) Israeli forces detained Mustafa Jarradat near Al-Ram junction. (iii) Israeli forces detained Najjah Assi in Kafr Aqab village. • <u>Physical Assault:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces positioned in Jerusalem assaulted Abdallah Abu Sneineh and as a result, left him hospitalised with contusions. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 15:00, Israeli forces positioned in Jerusalem temporarily detained Abir Odeh as she was leaving Al-Aqsa mosque compound. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 15:00, a group of Israeli settlers launched tear gas grenades towards a school in Jerusalem and as a result injured a school student leaving him hospitalised. • <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> At 08:00, Israeli settlers under the protection of |
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| | <p>Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshippers.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <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. |
| <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) At 18:50 on January 5th 2015, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Al-Mughier and a bypass road and closed the main road connecting Al-Mughier and Duma villages with dirt mounds. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near “Ofra” settlement located along the main road leading to Silwad until 12:30. (ii) At 14:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Qaddis village. (iii) At 18:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Deir Abu Mash’al until 19:00. (iv) At 18:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Nabi Saleh village until 19:00. (v) At 18:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Atara Bridge in North Bir Zeit until 19:10. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:20, Israeli forces raided Kharbataha Bani Harith village and served demolition orders for five homes owned by Nasser Bitillu, Abdel-Latif Al-Shiekh, Mohammad Injas, Adnan Injas and Omar Injas then withdrew at 16:00. (ii) At 19:25, Israeli forces raided Beituniya. |
| <p>JENIN</p> | <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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 04:50, Israeli forces raided Ya’bad, stormed and searched three homes. (ii) At 19:45, Israeli forces raided Ya’bad until 21:55. • <u>Detention:</u> At 04:55, Israeli forces detained Saqer Attiq during their raid into Bruqin in addition to those mentioned in the previous report. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 11:00, Israeli forces raided “Halamish” settlement area then withdrew at 14:00. |
| <p>TUBAS</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 17:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in the area between Al-Far’a and Al-Bithan, temporarily detained two residents: Mohammad Zahran (A resident of Al-Far’a camp) and Ahmad Bani Odeh (A resident of Tammoun) then released them 19:40. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 10:30, Israeli forces positioned at Tayassir checkpoint temporarily detained Ali Zamal (A resident of Ain Al-Bayda village) then released him at 13:40. |
| <p>TULKAREM</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 with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. |

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| | <p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checkpoint: At 14:20, 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 16:30. • Raid: At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem camp and Shwakiya neighbourhood in Tulkarem until 04:00. • Closure of Wall Gate: At 16:00, Israeli forces closed wall gate (708) located in Far’oun village then reopened it at 17:40. |
| 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. (iii) Since 16:55 on December 18th 2014, Israeli forces closed an agricultural road leading to Far’ata village which is located near “Gillad” settlement with dirt mounds • Raid: At 01:40, Israeli forces raided Qalqiliya, stormed a home then withdrew at 03:20. • Physical Assault: At 15:25, Israeli forces positioned at the wall gate leading to Azzun Atma assaulted Mohammad Abu Arra (A resident of Aqaba in Tubas) and as a result, left him hospitalised with contusions. • Wall Gates: <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. |
| NABLUS | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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: <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. • Checkpoints: At 10:20 and again at 20:00, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Huwra checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 23:10. • Flying Checkpoint: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:55 and again at 18:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beita junction until 18:45. (ii) At 10:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near “Yitsahar” settlement located in North Huwara until 11:45. (iii) At 19:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the maon road in Huwara until 21:00. • Raid: At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Balata camp in Nablus. • Temporary Detention: At 14:40, Israeli forces positioned near Huwara military |

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| | <p>base temporarily detained Mohammad Da'das (A resident of Nablus) after being questioned by Intelligence officer then released him later.</p> |
| 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. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 09:00 and again at 20:00, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 23:10. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 21:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint beneath Iskaka Village Bridge until 22:30. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 01:30 on January 22nd 2015, Israeli forces raided Qarwat Bani Hassan, demolished a concrete fence surrounding a home owned by Othman Assi and damaged a vehicle owned by Omar Mir'I as well as damaging a water pipe network. (ii) At 04:45, Israeli forces raided Bruqin and detained a resident after storming her home. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On January 22nd 2015, Israeli forces positioned at Za'tara checkpoint detained two residents: Aysar Muslimani and Jihad Muslimani (both residents of Tubas). (ii) Israeli forces detained Raja Sabrah in Bruqin. |
| 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. • <u>Raid:</u> At 22:20, Israeli forces raided Jericho until 23:15. • <u>Detention:</u> On January 22nd 2015, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby Bridge detained Mahmoud Al-Shiekh (A resident of Marah Rabah village in Bethlehem) as he was returning from Jordan. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 16:35, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Humrah checkpoint detained Mohammad Al-Ashqar (A resident of Nablus) then released him at 16:55. • <u>Destruction of Property:</u> At 07:15 on January 22nd 2015, Israeli forces stormed Al-Jiftlik village and demolished two barracks owned by Falah Minah and Zahi Minah. • <u>Confiscation of Property:</u> At 08:30, Israeli forces positioned at Jiftlik village junction and confiscated a shipping container owned by Ayoub Masa'ed and summoned him to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. |
| 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: |

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| | <p>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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(iii) Since August 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.</p> <p>(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.</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) 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"> • Checkpoint: At 17:05, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Container checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Flying Checkpoint: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Nashash junction located at the south entrance of Bethlehem until 10:30. (ii) At 21:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west entrance of Taqou’ until 23:15. • Attack: At 16:30, Israeli forces positioned in Al-Ayda camp fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning. • Injury: At 10:30, Nassar Rashaydeh was injured after his vehicle overturned as he was being apprehended by Israeli forces during which they confiscated 2700 NIS and a cellular telephone and detained two residents. • Detention: Israeli forces detained two residents: Imad Rashaydeh and Farah Rashaydeh near Al-Minah village. |
| <p style="text-align: center;">HEBRON</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <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. • Closure of Main Roads: <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. |

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| | <p>(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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 07:30 on January 22nd 2015, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ithna until 08:30. (ii) At 15:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in Khilat Ibrahim area in Ithna until 17:50. (iii) At 17:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Shiyoukh until 03:00. • <u>Raids:</u> At 11:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Samou', stormed a cellular telephone store and a bake shop then summoned several residents to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning and withdrew at 13:10. • <u>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 16:10, Israeli forces positioned near the entrance of Khursa village fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. (ii) On the evening of January 22nd 2015, Israeli forces positioned in Al-Thaher area located in Beit Ummar and near "Karmi Tsur" settlement fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 10:15, Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint located near the entrance of Al-Shuhada road in the old city of Hebron temporarily detained Suhayeb Najma (17 years old) then released him at 11:00. |
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| <p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p> | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. |
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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. |
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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Injury:</u> At 09:30 on January 21st 2015, Mohammad Bakr (A fisherman) was injured after Israeli Naval vessel opened fire towards his fishing boat off the shores of Beit Lahiya as mentioned in the previous report |
| 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'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. |
| RAFAH | <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. (ii) Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the entry and exit of residents, students, medical patients, diplomats and residents holding entry permits. (iii) 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. |