# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



# PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 28<sup>th</sup> January 2013 – 08:00, 29<sup>th</sup> January 2013

### **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

| EVENT                   | WEST BANK | GAZA STRIP | TOTAL | NOTES  |
|-------------------------|-----------|------------|-------|--|
| Injury                  | 1         | _          | 1     | Israeli forces assaulted and injured a resident in Jerusalem   |
| Detention               | 15        | _          | 15    | 5 in Jerusalem,1 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas,1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya,5 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho.   |
| Expulsion               | 1         | _          | 1     | Israeli forces expelled the Secretary General of Jerusalem from his home in Shu'fat neighbourhood in Jerusalem for a period one month.   |
| Temporary Detention     | 16        | _          | 16    | At checkpoints and residential areas including 2 Palestinian Security force officers and 2 International Peace Activists.  |
| Raids                   | 20        | _          | 20    | 1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas, 1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit 3 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.  |
| Closure of Checkpoints  | 6         |            | 6     | 1 checkpoint closed, Israeli forces closed<br>Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of<br>constructing the wall, access allowed at<br>checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded<br>access at 4 others.                         |
| Flying Checkpoints      | 11        | _          | 11    | 4 in Jerusalem,1 in Jenin,1 in Tubas,2 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron.   |
| Attack                  | 4         | _          | 4     | During confrontations.   |
| Home Demolition         | *1        | _          | 1     | Israeli forces demolished a section of a home in Silwan neighbourhood in Jerusalem and served demolition orders for a home in Jericho  |
| Destruction of Property | 10        | _          | 10    | Israeli forces damaged home furniture, demolished a car parking garage, demolished the entrance and stairs of a home, uprooted several trees in Silwan neighbourhood, and destroyed 2 barracks and a water tank in Nablus. |
| Assault on Property     | 1         | _          | 1     | Israeli forces prevented residents from reaching their agricultural land in Hebron.  |
| Land Leveling           | 2         | _          | 2     | Israeli forces levelled agricultural land in Silwan and near the vicinity of Al-Aqsa mosque.   |

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| Wall Construction               | 17  | _ | 17  | 4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in<br>Tulkarm, 4 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in<br>Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron  |
|---------------------------------|-----|---|-----|---|
| Closure (per District)          | 8   | _ | 8   | Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.   |
| Closure of Main Roads           | 75  | _ | 75  | Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron.   |
| Closure of Crossings            |     | 4 | 4   | Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits, the entry of 20 truckloads of construction material for internationally funded projects and Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas 50 truckloads of manufacturing goods and construction material for internationally funded projects |
| Assault on Places of<br>Worship | 1   | _ | 1   | Israeli forces and Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound.  |
| Settler Violence                | 1   |   | 1   | Israeli settlers stormed Beitin village in Ramallah.  |
| Demonstration                   | 9   | _ | 9   | Against the construction of the Wall, against settlement construction, closure of roads and in solidarity with Palestinian detainees.   |
| TOTAL                           | 199 | 4 | 203 |   |

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|           | • Closure:  |  |  |
|           | (i) The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions at checkpoints located at |  |  |
|           | the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main         |  |  |
|           | road leading to the city.   |  |  |
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|           | (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   |  |  |
| JERUSALEM | hill between Biddu and Beit Iksa villages.  |  |  |
|           | Closure of Main Roads:  |  |  |
|           | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the        |  |  |
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|           | entrance to Jaba' village.  |  |  |
|           | (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the gate along the Wall section separating   |  |  |
|           | the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town.                                       |  |  |
|           | (iii) 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 Qalandia      |  |  |
|           | checkpoint.   |  |  |
|           | • Checkpoints:  |  |  |
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- (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 16:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic until 17:00.
- (ii) On September 19<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall.

#### • Flying Checkpoint:

- (i) At 12:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Safafa village, summoned Mohammad Eliyan, Qayse Eliyan, Diya Othman and Salah Barakat to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- (ii) At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at "Malee Adumin" settlement junction.
- Raids: At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Eizariya, stormed a home and detained a resident.
- Expulsion: On January 28<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli authorities authorized the expulsion of Abdallah Alqam, Secretary General of Jerusalem and Palestinian tribes who resides in Shufat camp for a period of 30 days and imposed a financial penalty of 5000 NIS approximately 1350 USD.
- Home Demolition: At 08:00, Israeli forces demolished a portion of a home consisting of a room with aluminium roof which is owned by Faraj Shqier, demolished a parking garage and barracks, levelled a plot of land while demolishing a home entrance, stair case and uprooted several trees owned by Abdel Min'im Shikawi as well as levelling plot of land and uprooting several olive trees owned by Ahmad Sumrien in Silwan neighbourhood, during which resident protesting the demolitions clashed with Israeli forces who fired stun and tear gas grenades towards them and as a result injured Sa'da Skqier in the foot and Badriya Abu Snieneh (85 years old) suffocated from tear gas inhalation. Israeli forces also unleashed police dogs towards as they detained 4 residents.

#### • Detention:

- (i) Israeli forces detained Musa Matar in Al-Izariya.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Faris Sumrien , Khalid Al-Zir, Sami Shqier and Ali Shqier in Silwan neighbourhood
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 15:00, Israeli forces temporarily detained Abdel Salam Salah Al-Din in front of his home in Hizma village
- <u>Land Levelling:</u> At 11:00, Israeli forces levelled an area near the vicinity of A-Aqsa Mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem.
- <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> At 09:00, Israeli forces escorting a group of Israeli settlers in the presence of Israeli police stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque compound and provoked worshipers.

#### • Demonstration:

- (i) At 16:00, a demonstration took place in front of the Municipality building in Jerusalem protesting the planned construction of a road on land in Beit Safafa village to connecting Israeli settlement with Jerusalem
- (ii) At 16:00, a demonstration took place in Abu Dis in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.

#### • 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-Sleavawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic

|            | devices.  |
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|            | Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed 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.  |
|            | Closure of Main Roads:  |
|            | (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as   |
|            | the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.  |
|            | • Settler Violence: At 01:00, Israeli settlers stormed Beitin village, attacked Fayez   |
| RAMALLAH & | Hamads home then withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces.   |
| AL BIREH   | • <b>Demonstration:</b> At 12/; 40, a demonstration took place in front of the  |
|            | International Red Cross headquarters in Al-Bireh city in solidarity with Palestinian  |
|            | detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.   |
|            | • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area west of 'Abud  |
|            | town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-  |
|            | Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages.   |
|            | • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u>  |
|            | (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 25 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.                                   |
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|            | • Flying Checkpoint: At 20:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Al-   |
|            | Jamala village and Arran.   |
|            | • Raid:   |
| JENIN      | (i) At 01:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Mughier village, stormed 16 homes (6 of which are for Palestinian Security Forces), detained its residents |
| JETTI      | including 6 Palestinian Security force officers and released them after   |
|            | taking photographs of their homes, identification cards and recorded their  |
|            | cellular phone numbers.   |
|            | (ii) At dawn on January 29 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces raided Abba village, searched   |
|            | a home and detained a University student.   |
|            | • <b>Detention:</b> Israeli forces detained Saber Azamta in Abba village.   |
|            | • 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.   |
|            | • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions on Palestinian   |
|            | access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and   |
|            | prevented residents from entering the area.   |
|            | • Flying Checkpoint: At 15:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near "Migoula"  |
|            | settlement in the Jordan valley.  |
| TUBAS      | • Raid: At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Thaghra village in Tubas, stormed 7 homes,  |
| 10212      | detained, interrogated and recorded cellular phone numbers of 7 resiednts: Jihad  |
|            | Abdel Raziq, Riyad Abdel Raziq, Hassan Abu Muhisan, Ahmad Abu Muhisan,  |
|            | Abdel Min'im Abu Muhisan, Abdel Raouf Muhisan and Raouf Jamal.  |
|            | • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Iyad Al-Insawi in the Jordan Valley.  |
|            | • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:00, a demonstration took place in Tubas in solidarity with  |
|            | Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.   |
|            | • Closure of Main Roads:  |
|            | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting  |
|            | Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.  |
| TULKAREM   | (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road   |
|            | leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.   |
|            | • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israel army continues to intensify its restrictions at Einav  |
|            | checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of  |

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|           | <ul> <li>traffic.</li> <li>Raid: At 22:10, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem, temporarily detained several University guards as they were positioned at the University entrance and released them at a later time.</li> <li>Detention: At 01:00 on January 28<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces detained Amid Ashour as they raided Tulkarem.</li> <li>Wall Gates: Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision, the new Wall route is to be constructed west of the village.</li> </ul>   |
| QALQILIYA | <ul> <li>Closure of Roads: <ol> <li>Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>Flving Checkpoint: <ol> <li>At 12:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun.</li> <li>At 16:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Izbat AlTabib.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Raid: At 02:10, Israeli forces raided Qalqiliya until 03:10.</li> <li>Detention: Israeli forces detained Oday Odeh, a resident of Kafr Thulth in Azzun Demonstration: At 12:00, a demonstration took place in front of the International Red Cross headquarters in Qalqiliya in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.</li> <li>Wall Gates:</li> <li>The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.</li> <li>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.</li> <li>Wall Construction:  <ol> <li>Wall Construction resumed 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.</li> <li>On January 17<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces levelled residential land located at the eastern entrance of Azzun Atma for the purpose of constructing the Wall in the area.</li> </ol> </li> </ol></li></ul> |
| NABLUS    | <ul> <li>Closure of Main Roads: <ol> <li>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.</li> <li>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.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Raid: <ol> <li>At 17:45, Israeli forces raided Aqraba, demolished 2 barracks and a water tank owned by Bassem Jabr and Ahmad Hamdan.</li> <li>At 19:35, Israeli forces raided Burin village and clashed with its residents.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>   |

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|         | (iii) At 01:35, Israeli forces raided Nablus and detained 2 residents.                           |
|         | (iv) At 03:35, Israeli forces raided Burqa village and detained a resident.                      |
|         | • Detention:   |
|         | (i) At 14:25, Israeli forces detained Muntassir Assira and Mohammad Salah                        |
|         | at Huwara checkpoint for allegedly having a knife in their possession.                           |
|         | (ii) Israeli forces detained Hassan Al-Amoudi and Mohammad Al-Madani in                          |
|         | Nablus.  |
|         | (iii) Israeli forces detained Musa Daghlas in Burqa.   |
|         | • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 22:35, Israeli forces positioned at Huwrara checkpoint          |
|         | temporally detained Jamal Zien, Jamal Nazal, Imad Amran and Ashraf Qaddus.                       |
|         | • <b>Demonstration:</b> At 11:00, a demonstration took place in front of the headquarters        |
|         | of the international Red Cross in Nablus in solidarity with Palestinian detainees                |
|         | and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.  |
|         | Closure of Main Roads:   |
|         | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two                     |
|         | detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.   |
|         | (ii) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city             |
|         | to civilian which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from                       |
|         | 08:00 until 09:20.   |
|         | (iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to |
| SALFIT  | Abu Nasar and QatanAl-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with                          |
|         | cement blocks.   |
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|         | • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and    |
|         | impeded the free flow of traffic.  |
|         | • Raid: At 00:15, Israeli forces raided Yasuf village.   |
|         | • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya                  |
|         | town southeast of the illegal settlement.  |
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|         | • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continues to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra         |
|         | checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts and                     |
|         | imped the free flow of traffic.  |
|         | • Raid:  |
|         | (i) At 10:10, Israeli forces raided Jericho, served a demolition order for a home                |
|         | owned by Nidal Biliyat for allegedly being built without proper licencing because                |
|         | of its location in area C and gave him 3 days to leave his home and summoned                     |
|         | Hassan Taha and Yusef Abbas to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning then               |
|         | withdrew at 11:45.   |
|         | (ii) At 18:35, Israeli forces raided Fasayil village and forced several Sheppard's off           |
|         | agricultural land.   |
|         | (iii) At 00:50, Israeli forces raided Ein Al-Sultan camp in Jericho, searched a home and         |
| JERICHO | shops, detained a resident then withdrew at 01:55.   |
|         | <b>Detention:</b> Israeli forces detained Ghassan Al-Razim in Ein Al- Sultan camp in             |
|         | Jericho.   |
|         | • <u>Temporary Detention:</u>  |
|         | (i) At 15:30, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Humra checkpoint temporarily                       |
|         | detained Mahdi Assous, National Security Officer and released him at                             |
|         | 16:45.   |
|         | (ii) On January 28 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby bridge               |
|         | prevented Nihaya Mohammad, the Deputy of the Woman Association,                                  |
|         | from leaving to Jordan and detained her.   |
|         | • <u>Demonstration</u> : At 12:00, a demonstration took place in front of the International      |
|         | Red Cross headquarters in Jericho in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and                   |
|         | demanding their release from Israeli prisons.  |
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#### **Closure:** (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from (ii) accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. **Closure of Main Roads:** The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road (i) 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. The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" (ii) **BETHLEHEM** 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 Tagou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks. Since August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. (iii) Flying Checkpoint: At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Fajjar until 16:30. Raid: (i) At 11:00, Israeli, forces raided Ayda camp in Bethlehem until 12:00. (ii) At 16:45, Israeli forces raided Al-Faradis and searched a home. Attack: At 12:40, Israeli forces positioned in the vicinity of Billal Bin Rabah mosque in Bethlehem fired tear gas grenades towards several residents participating in a funeral for alleged stoning. **Demonstration:** At 12:00, a demonstration took place in the vicinity of the Nativity church in Bethlehem in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in North West of Beit Jala town. **Closure:** The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada' Street, Al-Sahleh and Khuzq (i) 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. Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the (ii) Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them access to the area. **Closure of Main Roads:** (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil **HEBRON** The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling (ii) along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City. The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as (iii) 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 |
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|      | to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of    |
|      | Beit Annun with cement blocks.  |

- (v) On 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) On December 27<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.

#### • Flying Checkpoint:

- (i) At 08:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Wadi Qaboun area in north Hebron until 09:10.
- (ii) At 19:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Fuwwar checkpoint.

#### • Raid:

- (i) At 09:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Karama village in south Yatta and clashed with its residents.
- (ii) At 16:00, Israeli forces raided Dura after being descended from military helicopters.
- (iii) At 21:15, Israeli forces raided south Dura.
- (iv) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Yatta and summoned Rateb Al-Joubar to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- <u>Assault on Property:</u> On January 28<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces prevented several farmers from reaching their agricultural land in south Yatta.
- <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:30, a demonstration took place in front of the International Red Cross headquarters in Hebron in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from prison.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

#### **GAZA STRIP**

# ALL DISTRICTS

- At 21:00 on November 21<sup>st</sup> 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 14<sup>th</sup> 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles.

| NORTHERN<br>GAZA | Closure of Crossing Point: 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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| GAZA             | <ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Points:         <ul> <li>Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> |  |  |

|       | • Closure of Crossing Points :  |
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|       | <ul> <li>Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> </ul>  |
| RAFAH | <ul> <li>Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits, the entry of 20 truckloads of construction material for internationally funded projects.</li> <li>Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas 50 truckloads of manufacturing goods and construction material for internationally funded projects.</li> </ul> |