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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 2nd July 2012 – 08:00, 3rd July 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	2	—	2	2 residents including a child were severely beat by Israeli forces while being detained in Hebron.
Detention	13		13	1 in Ramallah, 2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqilya, 2 in Nablus, 3 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron including 3 children.
Temporary Detention	8	—	8	At checkpoints and residential area.
Raids	16	1	17	2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqilya, 2 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem, 3 in Hebron and 1 in Rafah.
Closure of Checkpoints	6	—	6	Access allowed at 2 checkpoints and impeded at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	14	—	14	2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Qalqilya, 1 in Nablus, 3 in Jericho, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	2	2	4	1 during raid, 1 during confrontations, 1 from military post and 1 from Settler attack.
Destruction of Property	1	—	1	Israeli settlers shot and killed a camel near Bethlehem.
Land Levelling		1	1	Israeli military bulldozers levelled a plot of Land in Rafah.
Wall Construction	15	—	15	3 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqilya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in 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	67	—	67	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 23 in Bethlehem and 21 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	4	4	Rafah crossing open is open for the exit of patients, students, and passengers with permits. • Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, 27 truckloads of wheat and Livestock feed, 30 newly imported vehicles, fuel supplies and construction material for internationally funded

				projects.
Settlement Activity	*	—	—	*Israeli Authorities approved the construction of a Military Academy on 14 dunums of land in the Mount of Olives in Jerusalem on land occupied in 1967.
Settler Violence	2		2	Israeli settlers opened fire on a herd of camels in Taqou and stoned several residents in Bethlehem
Demonstration	1	—	1	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees.
TOTAL	159	8	167	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
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WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continue 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 entrance and the entrance to the Old City. (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 Ikxa 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 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 Ikxa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandia checkpoint. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> 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. • <u>Raid:</u> At 16:50 and again at 02:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ram and stormed a home. • <u>Settlement Activity:</u> On July 2nd 2012, Israeli authorities approved the construction of an Israeli military Academy on 14 dunumes of land in Mount of Olives area near Augusta Victoria Hospital in Jerusalem on land occupied in 1967. • <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-Sawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs
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	<p>to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma 'ale Adumim.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. • Flying Checkpoint: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 20:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Yabrud village bridge until 21:20. (ii) At 22:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Ur Al-Tahta junction and detained a resident. • Raid: At 10:00, Israeli forces raided Awarta and Al-Nubani Mazari' village. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Fadil Atiya at Beit Ur Al-Tahta junction. • Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted 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.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. • Flying Checkpoint: At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ya'bad. • Raid: At 19:30 and again at 02:55, Israeli forces raided Nazlat Al-Sheikh Zayed village, temporarily detained and interrogated Faris Dari then withdrew at 22:30. • Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall.
TUBAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checkpoints: At 10:20, the Israeli army increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ol 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. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Raid: At 22:50 and again at 02:55, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem, stormed a coffee shop, detained 2 residents after searching their homes then withdrew at 04:15. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Rajayi Abu Hantash and Mohammad Qasim in Tulkarem. • Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, undercutting access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall. • Wall Construction: 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 will be constructed west of the village.
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Roads: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town. (ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 00:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jit village junction until 01:30. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 21:00, Israeli forces raided Far'ata. (ii) At 02:15, Israeli forces raided Jayyus, detained 2 residents after storming their homes then withdrew at 03:00. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Ahmad Khalid and Adham Shamasna in Jayyus. • <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. (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> 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.
NABLUS	<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 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 Checkpoints:</u> At 14:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sara village junction until 14:55. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on July 2nd 2012, Israeli forces raided Talluza village and detained a resident. (ii) At 03:50, Israeli forces raided Nablus, detained a resident then withdrew at 04:20. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Hussein Du'as in Talluza. (ii) Israeli forces detained Khalil Abu Liel in Nablus. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 08:00, Israeli forces temporarily detained several residents and an attorney accompanying them to their land which is under threat of settler confiscation and refused to allow them access until a later time.
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. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Jericho city and Al-Oja village with cement blocks. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access

	<p>to residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley.</p> <p>(ii) Israeli forces continue to increase its restrictions to access at the checkpoint set up on the junction to Al-Ouja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho District and others with access permits.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:10 and again at 17:30 and 06:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the southern entrance of Jericho until 06:50.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <p>(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.</p> <p>(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.</p> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <p>(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.</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> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <p>(i) At 15:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Khadr until 17:00.</p> <p>(ii) At 02:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the western entrance of Taqou until 20:35.</p> <p>(iii) At 03:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the western entrance of Beit Fajjar until 22:10.</p> • <u>Raid:</u> <p>(i) At 02:05, Israeli forces raided Husan village, searched several homes, detained 2 residents then withdrew at 03:00.</p> <p>(ii) At 03:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Doha, searched a home, detained a resident then withdrew at 03:45.</p> • <u>Detention:</u> <p>(i) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Za'oul and Ibrahim Abu Shisha in Husan village.</p> <p>(ii) Israeli forces detained Fo'ad Faraj in Al-Doha.</p> • <u>Settler Violence:</u> <p>(i) At 18:40, an Israeli settler opened fire randomly towards a herd of camels in Taqou' killing one camel which is owned by Mohammad Sawarka.</p> <p>(ii) On the evening of July 2nd 2012, Israeli settlers stoned Fa'iq Al-Hamarat and his family as they were heading towards their agricultural land in Husan village.</p> • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 10:00, a demonstration took place in the church of Nativity in Bethlehem in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued northwest of Beit Jala town.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <p>(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</p>

HEBRON	<p>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.</p> <p>(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.</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 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 the entrance to Al-Simiya village. (v) Since 17:15 on June 17th 2012, Israeli forces closed the entrance of Kalkas village located near the Israeli DCO south of Hebron city. (vi) At 00:30 on June 30th 2012, Israeli forces closed the entrance of Beit 'Un village with cement blocks and dirt mounds. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 09:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Annun. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 15:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron. (ii) At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Majd village. (iii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Sinjir area located between Hebron and Dura and stormed a vehicle spare parts shop. • <u>Detention:</u> At 15:20, Israeli forced detained 3 children Bara Jabir, Safwat Jabir and Basil Jabir in the old city of Hebron H2 area which is under Israeli control. • <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 18:00, Israeli forces detained Jawad Abu Eisha and Mohammad Abu Markhiya (Both Palestinian Security Officers) in Tel Al-Rumayda neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron. • <u>Physical Assault:</u> On the evening of July 2nd 2012, Israeli forces assaulted 2 residents including a child at a vegetable market in Beit Ummar and fired tear gas grenades towards residents as they attempted to prevent further beating of the individuals and as a result injured Moayad Al-Alami after being hit with a tear gas canister and several others suffocated from tear gas inhalation. The 2 assault victims are identified later as Mohammad Abu Ayyash (14 years) and Mohammad Ibrahim Ayyash as they were hospitalised with severe contusions. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.
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GAZA STRIP

<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, 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. The ceasefire has been further renewed on 23 June 2012 at 24:00. • On 14.12.2011, Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark. • Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards Rafah and Khan Yunis.
<p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access.
<p style="text-align: center;">GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points: <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;">KHAN YUNIS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attack: On the evening of July 2nd 2012, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire towards agricultural land in Khaz'a •
<p style="text-align: center;">RAFAH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points: • Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. • Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, and passengers with permits. • Sufa Crossing is closed. • Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, 23 truckloads of wheat and Livestock feed, 30 newly imported vehicles, fuel supplies and construction material for internationally funded projects. • Raid: On the morning of July 3rd 2012, Israeli forces escorting military bulldozers opened fire as they raided 300 meters in the vicinity of Rafah crossing as they leveled a ploy of land.