# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



# PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

# **DAILY SITUATION REPORT**

 $08{:}00{,}14^{th}\ July\ 2015-08{:}00{,}15^{th}\ July\ 2015$ 

## **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	2		2	A resident was injured after a tear gas grenade canister fired by Israeli forces stuck him during confrontations in Silwad town in Ramallah district and Israeli forces assaulted a resident in the old city of Hebron.
Raids	6	_	6	2 in Ramallah, 1 in Tubas, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit and 1 in Bethlehem.
Detention	11		11	3 in Ramallah, 3 in Jenin, 2 in Nablus, 2 in Salfit and 1 in Bethlehem.
Temporary Detention	6		6	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Closure of Checkpoints	4	_	4	Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	12	_	12	2 in Jerusalem,2 in Ramallah,2 in Qalqiliya,2 in Nablus,1 in Salfit,2 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Destruction of Property	*	-	_	*Israeli forces served military orders for the demolition of a barracks in Ain Al-Bayda village located in the North Jordan valley of Tubas District.
Assault on Property	1		1	Israeli forces removed several families from their homes in Humsa village located in the North Jordan valley foor alleged military training.
Attack	1	1	2	1 during confrontations and 1 from Naval Vessel.
Closure (per District)	8		8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, and 4 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	61	_	61	Including1 in Jerusalem,3 in Ramallah,3 in Jenin, 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus, 5 in Salfit, 22 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	5	5	Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.
Total	112	6	118	

## WEST BANK

	• <u>Closure:</u> (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 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.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba' village.
JERUSALEM	(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.
	• Checkpoints:
	(i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another
	for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city.
	(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.
	• Wall Gates:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town.
	(ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Al-
	Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Slewahira
	Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross,
	after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	<ul><li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.</li></ul>
	(ii) At 21:40 on June 30 <sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli forces closed the main road near "Bet
	El' settlement leading to Al-Jalazoun camp with cement blocks.
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	• Flying Checkpoint:  (i) At 21.15 Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Atora bridge legeted in
RAMALLAH &	<ul><li>(i) At 21:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Atara bridge located in North Bir Ziet and detained a resident.</li></ul>
AL BIREH	
	<ul><li>(ii) At 22:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in the area between Turmus'aya and Al-Mughier village and detained two residents.</li></ul>
	• Raid:
	(i) At 22:15, Israeli forces raided Turmus'aya until 22:30.
	(ii) At 02:50, Israeli forces raided Silwad, clashed with several residents as
	they stormed two homes and as a result injured Imad Hamad hospitalised
	with contusions after a tear gas grenade struck him then Israeli forces
	withdrew at 04:00.

	• <u>Detention:</u>
	(i) Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint near Atara Bridge located in North
	Bir Ziet a detained Thaer Abu Haniya (A resident of Huwara Nablus).
	(ii) Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint in the area between Turmus'aya
	and Al-Mughier village detained two residents: Basel Yusef Al-Na'san and
	Basel Faris Al-Na'san {Both residents of Al-Mughier village}.
	• <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.
	• <u>Detention:</u>
	(i) At 11:15, Israeli forces positioned at "Salem" military base
JENIN	detained two residents: Tarik Dabaq and Samer Subieh {Both
	residents of Tayassir village in Tubas} as they were attending a
	court hearing for one of their relatives.
	(ii) On the evening of July 14th 2015, Israeli forces detained Ahmad
	Na'irat {A resident of Maythaloun} as he was passing through a
	flying checkpoint to enter Qalqiliya.
	• Wall Gates: Israeli forces continue too close the wall gate and only allow those
	holding special permits to enter through it.
	• Raid: At 10:00, Israeli forces raided Ein Al-Bayda village in the North Jordan valley
	and served a military order for the demolition of a barracks owned by Ziyad
TUBAS	Shihadeh for allegedly being built without a licence.
102110	• Assault on Property: At 06:00 on July 14th 2015, Israeli forces removed several
	families from their homes in Humsa village located in the North Jordan valley for
	alleged military training.
	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 17:30, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at "Eniv"
TULKAREM	checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and
	impeded the free flow of traffic.
	• <u>Closure of Roads:</u>
	(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 18 <sup>th</sup> 2014, Israeli forces closed an agricultural
	road leading to Far'ata village, which is located near "Gillad" settlement with dirt mounds.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Qaddum
	village.
	(ii) At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Al-Fanduq and
QALQILIYA	Immatin village.
\ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \ \	Wall Gates:
	(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.

	• <u>Closure:</u> Since December 17 <sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes				
	of land in Qusra village as a closed military area.				
	• <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>				
	(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.				
	• Flying Checkpoint:				
	(i) At 20:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Dajjan village junction until 05:30.				
	(ii) At 21:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Furiq junction until 05:30.				
NABLUS	• Raid: At 22:15, Israeli forces raided Tel village, detained a resident then withdrew at 22:25.				
	• Detention:				
	(i) At 01:15, Israeli forces positioned in the area located between Jamma'in				
	and Orif village detained Mohammad Al-Safadi (A resident of Orif				
	village).				
	(ii) Israeli forces detained Hilmi Ramadan in Tel village.				
	• 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 Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with				
SALFIT	cement blocks.				
	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and				
	impeded the free flow of traffic.				
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 23:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the West entrance				
	of Harris village until 00:40.				
	• Raid: At 20:15, Israeli forces raided Salfit until 21:30.				
	• <u>Detention</u> : At dawn on July 14 <sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli forces positioned at Za'tara				
	checkpoint detained two residents: Ahmad Mahmoud and Nour Obied {both				
	residents of Al-Eisawiya village in Jerusalem}.				
JERICHO	Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set      class the read correcting Israeli post Nahlus District				
	up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District				

### • 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 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.

## • Closure of Main Roads:

- (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; 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.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks.
- (iii) Since August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
- (iv) Since May 8<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires.
- (v) Since June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds.
- (vi) Since 13:20 on September 29<sup>th</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds.
- (vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.
- (viii) On January 28<sup>th</sup> 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.

## • Flying Checkpoint:

- (i) At 14:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the North entrance of Taqou' until 15:15
- (ii) At 21:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west entrance of Taqou' until 23:50.
- **Raid:** At 02:40, Israeli forces raided Nihalin and detained a resident.
- **Detention:** Israeli forces detained Abdel-Kareem Shakarneh in Nihalin village.

#### **BETHLEHEM**

## **Closure:** (i) The Israeli army continues to close 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:** (i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town. (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks. **HEBRON** (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. Flying Checkpoint: At 17:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Jabal Al-Rahma Circle in the old city of Hebron until 17:55. Physical Assault: At 19:00, Israeli forces positioned in Al-Zahed area in the old city of Hebron assaulted Yahya Yaghmour.

#### **GAZA STRIP**

ALL DISTRICTS	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.  • Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Gaza.
NORTHERN GAZA	Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.
GAZA	<ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Points:         <ul> <li>(i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> <li>(ii) Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Attack: At 16:00 on July 14th 2015, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores Gaza.</li> </ul>

At 19:00 on August 26<sup>th</sup> 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

	Closure of Crossing Points :	
	(i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.	
	(ii) Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is closed.	
RAFAH	(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.	