# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



# PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

# **DAILY SITUATION REPORT**

08:00,25<sup>th</sup> July 2015 – 08:00,26<sup>th</sup> July 2015

# **SUMMARY OF EVENTS**

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injuries	1		1	A resident was injured during demonstrations in Kafr Qaddum village in Qalqiliya
Physical Assault	1		1	A resident was assaulted by Israeli forces in Bethlehem.
Raids	12		12	1 in Jerusalem, 4 in Ramallah, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 1 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Detention	9		9	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron including a University Student.
Temporary Detention	9		9	At checkpoints and residential areas including 3 Security Force officers.
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	17		17	2 in Jerusalem,2 in Ramallah,1 in Tubas,2 in Qalqiliya,2 in Nablus,4 in Jericho,2 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron.
Attack	4	2	6	4 during confrontations, 1 from Military Post and 1 from Naval Vessel.
Provocation of Palestinian Security Forces	1	_	1	Israeli forces summoned a Security Force officer in Ramallah to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.
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	_	7	7	All border crossings are closed.
Settler Violence	6	_	6	Israeli settlers stormed the 2 main gate entrances leading to Al-Aqsa mosque compound and performed Talmudic rituals, assaulted 2 residents in Azzun Attma, a n Israeli settlers vehicle ran over a resident in Al-Fanduq village in Qalqiliya, stoned residents and homes in Nablus and attempted to assault worshipers entering Al-Ibrahimimi mosque in the old city of Hebron and stormed Al-Nabi Yunis mosque in Haloul.
Demonstration	1		1	Against the closure of the east entrance of Kafr Qaddum village in Qalqiliya
Total	134	9	143	

#### **WEST BANK**

#### • Closure:

- (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.

### • Closure of Main Roads:

- (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.

## • 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 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.
- (iii) At 12:45, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Jaba' checkpoint located along the main road connecting Jerusalem, Ramallah and Jericho thus impeding the free flow of traffic.
- **Flying Checkpoint:** At 11:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in Khan Al-Ahmar area located along the main road connecting Jerusalem and Jericho and detained a University student.
- Raid: At 23:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Eisawiya village and clashed with several residents.

#### • Detention:

- (i) At 23:00, Israeli forces positioned in Silwan neighbourhood in Jerusalem detained Mustafa Margha.
- (ii) Israeli forces positioned checkpoint in Khan Al-Ahmar area located along the main road connecting Jerusalem and Jericho detained Anas Abu Qar' (A resident of Al-Mazra'a Al-Gharbiya in Ramallah).
- Attack: At 00:25, Israeli forces positioned in Silwan neighbourhood fired stun and tear gas gernade3s towards several residents for alleged stoning.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: On morning of July 25<sup>th</sup> 2015, a group of Israeli settlers positioned near Al-Malik Faysal and Al-Qatanin Gates (Main entrance gate leading to Al-Aqsa mosque compound) in the old city of Jerusalem and performed Talmudic rituals.

### **JERUSALEM**

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	Wall Gates:     (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu  Distance:
	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.
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	<ul> <li>Closure of Main Roads: <ol> <li>The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.</li> <li>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.</li> </ol> </li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: <ol> <li>At 23:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in the area between Deir Ibzi' and Ain Arik villages.</li> <li>At 02:15, Israeli force set up a checkpoint along the bypass raid leading to Ain Qinya, temporarily detained 2 National Security Force officers: Kifah</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
RAMALLAH &	Hassan and Fa'eq Abu Lutfiya.
AL BIREH	• Raid:
ALS BANGER	<ul> <li>(i) At 23:50, Israeli forces raided Silwad, clashed with several residents as they stormed a home and summoned Omar Hamad to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 03:00.</li> <li>(ii) At 01:15, Israeli forces raided Abboud and summoned two residents:</li> </ul>
	Tamer Al-Khatib and Mahmoud Arrbad to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.
	(iii) At 02:20, Israeli forces raided Mazari' Al-Nubani village, stormed a home
	and summoned Mohammad Jabri (A National Security Force Officer) to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 02:50. (iv) At 02:50, Israeli forces raided Ramallah and summoned Samer Asmar to
	report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 03:10.
	• <u>Closure of Main Road:</u>
	<ul><li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.</li></ul>
JENIN	(ii) Since the evening of November 25 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.
	Wall Gates: Israeli forces continue too close the wall gate and only allow those holding special permits to enter through it.
TUBAS	• Flying Checkpoint: At 15:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road (90) near Al-Farisiya village in the North Jordan Valley.
TULKAREM	<ul> <li><u>Checkpoint:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> </ul>
	Closure of Roads:     (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.
QALQILIYA	(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 09:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Qaddum village.

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	(ii) At 23:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Nabi Eliyas village until 00:20.
	• Settler Violence:
	(i) At 11:00, a group of Israeli settlers positioned near Azzun Atma assaulted two residents: Atef Al-Shafi'I and Mohammad Al-Shafi'I (Both residents of Al-Askar camp in Nablus) as they attempted to enter Israel for employment and as a result left them hospitalised with contusions.  (ii) At 23:30, Israeli settler vehicle ran over Ali Teim along the main road
	leading to Al-Fanduq village and as a result, left him hospitalised with contusions.
	• <b>Demonstration:</b> At 18:40, a demonstration took place in Kafr Qaddum village
	protesting against the continued closure of the villages east entrance during which Israeli forces fired live ammunition, rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards protestors and prevented them from reaching the demonstration site and as a result injured Nasser Jum'a and left several others suffocating from tear gas inhalation then withdrew at 19:45.
	• 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.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	(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 09:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at "Shave Shomron" settlement junction until 10:15.
	(ii) At 20:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Furiq junction until
NABLUS	21:45.
	• Raid: At 21:15, Israeli forces raided Azzmout village and detained a resident.
	<ul> <li><u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Fahed Sawalha in Azmout village.</li> <li><u>Settler Violence:</u> At 20:25, a group of Israeli settlers positioned near the east area</li> </ul>
	of Azmout village stoned residents and home then withdrew under the protection of
	Israeli forces.
	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
SALFIT	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 cement blocks.

	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
JERICHO	<ul> <li>Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.</li> <li>Flying Checkpoint: <ul> <li>(i) At 14:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 15:30.</li> <li>(ii) At 21:45, Israeli force set up three checkpoints at the entrance of Jericho for the alleged assault on an Israeli settler and his wife by unidentified residents then withdrew at 00:30.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Raid: At 23:00, Israeli forces raided Jericho, stormed a Date packaging factory, detained a resident, temporarily detained two residents: Tawfiq Al-Zin and Mahmoud Ali and released them after questioning.</li> <li>Detention: Israeli forces detained Basil Ismail in Jericho.</li> </ul>
BETHLEHEM	<ul> <li>Closure: <ul> <li>(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.</li> <li>(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.</li> <li>Closure of Main Roads: <ul> <li>(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 "fifrat" 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.</li> <li>(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.</li> <li>(iii) Since August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.</li> <li>(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.</li> <li>(v) Since June 3<sup>nd</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.</li> <li>(vi) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.</li> <li>(vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.</li> </ul> </li> <li>(viii) On January 28<sup>t</sup></li></ul></li></ul>

Raid: At 05:25, Israeli forces raided Husan village and detained two residents after storming and searching their home.

 Detention: Israeli forces detained two residents: Ahmad Hamarah and Ihsan Hamara in Husan village.

 Physical Assault: At 02:30, Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint in Wadi Fuqin village along the Green Line assaulted Mohammad Hamad (A resident of Nablus) and as a result, left him hospitalised with contusions.

### • 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.
- (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:

- (i) At 19:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Bani Na'im.
- (ii) At 21:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Ourub camp temporarily detained Imad Al-Teiti (a Police officer) and released him later then withdrew at 01:10.

#### • Raid:

- (i) At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Hebron and summoned Ayoub Al-Qawasmi to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 06:00.
- (ii) At 01:35, Israeli forces raided Beit Awwa, stormed a home then withdrew at 03:25.
- (iii) At 02:55, Israeli forces raided Halhoul, detained a resident and summoned Jawad Al-Zama'ra to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.
- (iv) At 03:15, Israeli forces raided Yatta, stormed and searched several homes, detained two resident including a child and summoned Majed Qattuf to report to Israeli Intellegene for questioning then withdrew at 06:00.

#### • Detention:

- (i) Israeli forces detained Zaki Al-Doudah in Halhoul.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained two residents: Mohammad Shartikh (17 years old) and Ahmad Shartikh in Yatta.

### • Settler Violence:

- (i) At 21:15, Israeli settlers attempted to storm Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron and assaulted several worshipers as they entered the mosque for evening prayers then withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces.
- (ii) At dawn on July 26<sup>th</sup> 2015, a group of Israeli settlers driving in 4 vehicles stormed Halhoul and attempted to storm Al-Nabi Yunis mosque then withdrew later.

#### **HEBRON**

#### **GAZA STRIP**

## 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 **ALL** 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 DISTRICTS held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month. Israeli forces broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards Central Gaza. Israeli Naval vessels broke the ceasefire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza. Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is closed. NORTHERN **Attack:** At 08:30, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats **GAZA** off the shores of AL-Sudaniya beach located in West Beit Lahiya. **Closure of Crossing Points:** (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. **GAZA**