

## مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

**DAILY SITUATION REPORT**  
 08:00 03 June 2006 – 08:00 04 June 2006

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	1	—	<b>1</b>	1 civilian severely beaten in Hebron
Injuries	4	3	<b>7</b>	Incl. a 60-year-old civilian & 4 children
Attacks	9	9	<b>18</b>	Incl. 7 in raids & 10 from mil. posts
Raids	20	—	<b>20</b>	Incl. 4 in Jenin & 5 in Tulkarem
Arrests	3	—	<b>3</b>	Incl. 1 Palestinian security officer
Detentions	24	—	<b>24</b>	At checkpoints & in residential areas
Wall Construction	32	—	<b>32</b>	Incl. Jer., Raml'h., Qalq., Salfit, Beth.
Destruction of Property	1	—	<b>1</b>	Content of a cultural centre damaged
House Occupation	1	—	<b>1</b>	Converted into a military post in Nablus
Closure of Checkpoints	9	—	<b>9</b>	Incl. 'Atara and Za'tara partially
Flying Checkpoints	25	—	<b>25</b>	Incl. 4 in Jerusalem and 4 in Ramallah
Closure (per District)	6	1	<b>7</b>	Incl. a buffer zone in Northern Gaza
Closure of Main Roads	34	—	<b>34</b>	Incl. 3 in Jerusalem & 6 in Tulkarem
Closure of Crossing Points	—	4	<b>4</b>	Incl. Beit Hanun and Rafah partially
Provocation of Pal. Forces	2	4	<b>6</b>	Incl. fire opened towards 3 Pal. posts
Palestinian Attack	1	—	<b>1</b>	Fire opened towards 1 Israeli mil. post
Pal. Security Measure	—	1	<b>1</b>	1 explosive device detonated, Gaza
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>172</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>194</b>	

DISTRICT	EVENT
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ALL DISTRICTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>Beginning on 17 April 2006, and following the suicide attack carried out in the city of Tel Aviv inside the Green Line, the Israeli army has intensified its restrictions at checkpoints set up on the main roads connecting the West Bank districts, thereby isolating the northern districts from the southern districts as well as the Jericho district and the Jordan Valley from the remainder of the West Bank.</li> </ul>
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### WEST BANK

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>JERUSALEM</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li><b>Closure:</b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrances to the city of Jerusalem, in the old city of Jerusalem, and around Al Aqsa Mosque compound.</li> <li><b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Israeli army continues to close the entrance opposite the junction to Dahiyat Al Bareed in the city of Jerusalem with barbed wire and has denied civilian access.</li> <li>The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the main road leading to Dahiyat al Bareed checkpoint towards the town of Beit Hanina and the settlement of Neve Ya'akov. The Israeli army only allows access to vehicles belonging to civilian residents of Dahiyat al Bareed and the town of Ar Ram who possess permits or hold Jerusalem IDs. To access Dahiyat al Bareed checkpoint, civilians must first travel through the centre of Dahiyat al Bareed, passing through Rosary Sisters' School.</li> <li>The Israeli army closed the eastern entrance to Dahiyat Bir Nabala with cement slabs, thereby completing the Wall section in the area.</li> </ol> </li> <li><b>Checkpoint:</b> According to new measures implemented at Qalandiya checkpoint, which the Israeli army has converted into a "border crossing point", the Israeli army has designated a special crossing for civilians holding Jerusalem-issued IDs and those possessing permits to access the city of Jerusalem. The Israeli army has allowed other civilians to access the main road leading to the junction to the village of Jaba', which branches off to other districts.</li> <li><b>Wall Gates:</b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks.</li> <li>The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Ash Shayyah road in the area between the villages of As Sawahira ash Sharqiya and As Sawahira al Gharbiya, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem-issued IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</li> </ol> </li> <li><b>Wall Construction:</b> Wall construction was resumed in Dahiyat al Aqbat, from the village of Hizma to 'Anata, along the Hizma-Jaba' road, the area of Al 'Eizariya to Ash Shayyah, near Al Quds University, in the town of As</li> </ul>
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	<p>Sawahira ash Sharqiya, from the village of Beit Surik to Biddu, in the areas of Al Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina, west of the village of Al Jib, and in the vicinity of the village of Qatanna.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 10:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Qalandiya junction, searched civilian vehicles, and impeded civilian access.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army set up 3 flying checkpoints on the junctions to the town of Bir Nabala as well as the villages of Jaba' and Hizma, searched civilian vehicles, and impeded civilian access.</li> </ol> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 01:30, the Israeli army raided the village of Shu'fat and searched a number of houses.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army raided the village of 'Anata, searched 1 house, and served a summons to 1 civilian to report to the Israeli Intelligence Service.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
<b>RAMALLAH &amp; EL BIREH</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the eastern entrance to the village of Sinjil with dirt barricades.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to the town of Silwad with dirt barricades.</li> </ol> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the overpass to the town of 'Atara and to deny access to the city of Ramallah for civilians holding IDs issued in the northern districts of the West Bank. At 08:30, the Israeli army closed the checkpoint, denying civilian access in both directions and reopened it at a later time.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction was resumed in the areas of Al Midya to Budrus, Al Midya to Ni'lin, Bil'in to Saffa, in the village of Beit Liqya, in the town of Beituniya, and west of the town of 'Abud and the village of Beit Sira.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints/Detention:</u></b> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on 'Uyun al Haramiya junction on the Ramallah-Nablus main road and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(ii) At 10:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the village of Um Safa and prevented civilians from entering the village.</li> <li>(iii) At 11:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the road connecting the villages of Deir Abu Mash'al and Shuqba, searched civilian vehicles, detained 1 civilian, and served him a summons to report to the Israeli Intelligence Service.</li> <li>(iv) At 12:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the village of Shuqba and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ol> </li> </ul>
<b>JENIN</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Road:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the unpaved detour road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the settlement of Dotan.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close Tayasir checkpoint east of the town of Tubas, denying civilian access to the Northern Jordan Valley, except for holders of IDs issued in the Northern Jordan Valley. The Israeli army also continues to demand that drivers of commercial trucks obtain access permits to cross the checkpoint. In addition, the Israeli army continues to install a surveillance camera in order to observe the area surrounding the checkpoint.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 08:00, the Israeli army set up 3 flying checkpoints: on the junction to the town of 'Arraba on the Jenin-Nablus main road; at the eastern entrance to the town of Tubas; and on the junction to the village of Al Mansura. Israeli troops positioned at these flying checkpoints searched civilian vehicles and impeded civilian access.</li> <li>(ii) At 10:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Tammun and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>(iii) At 12:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the road connecting the villages of Al Far'a and Al Badhan and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Attack:</u></b> At 14:00 and while patrolling the road connecting the town of Tubas to the village of Al Far'a, the Israeli army fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards civilians, allegedly for throwing stones, which resulted in the injury of 2 children. In addition, the Israeli army arrested 1 civilian.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids/Detention:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 00:30, the Israeli army raided the town of Tubas as well as opened fire and fired sound grenades while it was patrolling the area.</li> <li>(ii) At 02:30, the Israeli army raided the city of Jenin and Jenin refugee camp, opened indiscriminate fire, and surrounded a number of buildings. An armed confrontation took place between the Israeli army and armed Palestinian individuals. At 05:30, the Israeli army withdrew from the area.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army raided the village of Az Zawiya, detained 1 civilian, and released him at a later time.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Arrest:</u></b> The Israeli army arrested Mohammed Adam Sidqi Dharaghmeh in the area between the town of Tubas and the village of Al Far'a.</li> </ul>
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to impose a complete closure on the district of Tulkarem and to declare it a closed military zone following a suicide attack carried out on the junction to the village of Far'un. The Israeli army continues to impede civilian access to and from the district.</li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the following roads: the road connecting Dahiyat Dhinnaba in the city of Tulkarem to the town of Kafr al Labad; the road connecting the town of Kafr al Labad to the village of Shufa; the southern entrance to the town of Baqa ash Sharqiya; the Kafr Sur-Wadi at Tin road; and the road</li> </ul>

	<p>connecting the town of Deir al Ghusun to 'Attil plain. The Israeli army also continues to close with cement blocks the road connecting the town of Beit Lid to the village of Kur.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus road, denying access to civilian vehicles. The Israeli army prevents civilian residents of the Tulkarem district from leaving the district, except for those residing in towns and villages east of the checkpoint.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Jubara checkpoint (the southern entrance to the city of Tulkarem) and to impede civilian access.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints:</u></b> At 11:00, the Israeli army set up 2 flying checkpoints, one on the junction to the town of Bal'a and the other at the entrance to the town of Deir al Ghusun, and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids/Destruction of Property/Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 18:30, the Israeli army raided Dahiyat Iktaba in the city of Tulkarem, took position near the area Al Kassarat, and opened indiscriminate fire.</li> <li>(ii) At 19:30, the Israeli army raided the city of Tulkarem and Tulkarem refugee camp. Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians. The Israeli army also set up a number of checkpoints in Tulkarem refugee camp, searched civilians and vehicles, and opened indiscriminate fire, injuring 60-year-old Fakhri Abdul Rahman al 'Ardhah. In addition, the Israeli army set up a number of checkpoints on road junctions in the city of Tulkarem and searched civilians and vehicles. In addition, the Israeli army searched a number of houses. The Israeli army remains positioned in the area as of 08:00 this morning.</li> <li>(iii) At 20:05, the Israeli army raided the town of 'Anabta as well as raided and searched a cultural centre, causing damage to its contents.</li> <li>(iv) At 08:00, the Israeli army raided Dahiyat Shuweika in the city of Tulkarem and took position near a Palestinian Police station.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>QALQILIYA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Land levelling for Wall construction was resumed in the village of Immatin and east of the towns of Kafr Thulth and 'Azzun.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 12:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of An Nabi Elyas and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul>

<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NABLUS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the Jenin-Nablus main road between the junction to the village of Deir Sharaf and the settlement of Shavei Shomron.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades Al Badhan road, which is the north-eastern entrance to the city of Nablus.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close the road connecting the city of Nablus to the town of 'Asira ash Shamaliya.</li> <li>(iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road connecting the villages of Beita and Osarin.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing Huwwara, Beit Iba, At Tur Mountain, and Beit Furik checkpoints around the city of Nablus. The Israeli army closes the checkpoints overnight and reopens them at various morning hours.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Beit Iba and Huwwara checkpoints and to deny access to civilians between 15 and 30 years of age as well as holders of IDs issued in the districts of Jenin and Tulkarem.</li> <li>(iii) At 07:00 on 03 June 2006, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at the checkpoint set up in the area between the city of Nablus and the town of 'Asira ash Shamaliya and denied access to private civilian vehicles.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raids/House Occupation:</u></b> At 22:30, the Israeli army raided the city of Nablus and Balata refugee camp, occupied 1 building, and converted it into a military post. The Israeli army also patrolled the area until 06:00.</li> <li>• <b><u>Arrests:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:00, Israeli troops positioned at Huwwara checkpoint arrested Isma'il Hamad 'Udeili.</li> <li>(ii) At 20:25, Israeli troops positioned at Beit Iba checkpoint arrested Khaled 'Isam Hajjeh, a Palestinian National Security officer.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Palestinian Attack:</u></b> At 21:40, armed Palestinian individuals opened fire towards the Israeli army troops positioned at the military post on At Tur (Jirzim) Mount. Consequently, the Israeli army opened indiscriminate fire.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>SALFIT</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army has continued to close the main north-western entrance to the city of Salfit with dirt barricades since the beginning of the current <i>Intifada</i> (Uprising).</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the western entrances to the town of Bruqin and the village of Marda. The Israeli army also continues to close with cement blocks the western entrance to the town of Kafr ad Dik and with an iron gate the northern entrance to the village of Qarawat Bani Hassan.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road connecting the settler bypass road near the settlement of 'Eli Zahav to the town of Kafr ad Dik.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Deir Ballut checkpoint and to deny civilian access to the town of Kafr ad Dik.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the Za'tara junction checkpoint and to prevent civilians holding IDs issued in the districts of Jenin and Tulkarem from crossing towards the southern districts of the West Bank.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction was resumed near the Green Line in the town of Deir Ballut and the villages of Az Zawiya and Rafat, northwest of the city of Salfit, and in the village of Marda and the town of Kifl Haris north of the settlement of Ari'el.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Az Zawiya, searched civilian vehicles, and impeded civilian access.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> At 14:30, the Israeli army, including 4 jeeps, raided the city of Salfit and the town of Kafr ad Dik as well as patrolled the area until 16:20.</li> </ul>
<b>JERICHO</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of Al 'Auja with cement blocks and to prevent farmers not holding Jericho-issued IDs from reaching their land, forcing them to apply for access permits. The Israeli army also continues to deny access to the city to holders of Israeli-issued IDs.</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close Al Hamra checkpoint set up on the Jericho-Nablus road, denying civilian access, except for farmers holding Jericho-issued IDs. The Israeli army also continues to install a surveillance camera in order to observe the area surrounding the checkpoint.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 11:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the village of Al 'Auja on Al Mu'arrajat road connecting the districts of Jericho and Ramallah and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> </ul>
<b>BETHLEHEM</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close the roads to the village of An Nu'man, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village. The Israeli army considers the civilians' residence in the village illegal because they hold West Bank identity cards while their village is located within the Israeli-defined municipal boundaries of Jerusalem.</li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to close all roads to Road # 60 leading to the city of Jerusalem, thereby isolating the city of Bethlehem from its towns and villages located west of Road # 60.</li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at As Sawahira ash Sharqiya (the "Container") checkpoint and to deny access to civilian vehicles, except for those possessing access permits.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction was resumed north of 'Ayda refugee camp and in the Everest area, northwest of the city of Beit Jala.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 20:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Beit Fajjar, opened indiscriminate fire, and searched a number of houses. The Israeli army</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>also set up checkpoints at the entrances to the town and searched civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(ii) At 20:20, the Israeli army raided the town of Al Khadr, set up a checkpoint, and patrolled the area.</p> <p>(iii) At 01:00, an Israeli army patrol raided the city of Beit Jala and patrolled the area.</p>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>HEBRON</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the following locales in the old city of Hebron: Ash Shuhada' Street and the area of As Sahleh with cement blocks and barbed wire; the old gold market with an iron gate; the area of Khuzq al Far near the settlement of Abraham Avino with a dirt barricade and an iron gate; and the entrance to the area of Al Khan with an electronic gate, isolating the area from Al Laban Market and the area of As Sahleh.</li> <li>(ii) Although it expired on 07 May 2006, the Israeli army continues to implement a military order stipulating the closure of civilian commercial shops on both sides of the road connecting the settlement of Kiryat Arba' to the Ibrahimi Mosque in the old city of Hebron. Civilian vehicles continue to be prohibited from travelling along the road unless they possess access permits. Only Israeli settler vehicles are allowed unrestricted access on the road.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the following locales: the area of Al Hawawir leading to the town of Halhul; the area of Al Fahs south of the city of Hebron; the junction to the area of Farsh al Hawa leading to Road # 35 northwest of the city of Hebron; the entrance to the village of Beit 'Einun; Al Baq'a junction south of the town of Beit 'Awwa; and the entrance to the village of 'Arab ar Ramadin.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the entrance to Al Qeisi neighbourhood in the old city of Hebron with cement blocks.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Construction:</u></b> Wall construction was resumed west of the towns of Surif and Beit Ula, south of the towns of Adh Dhahiriya and As Samoa', and southeast of the town of Yatta. The Israeli army has also completed construction of most sections of the Wall in the town of Idhna, from the village of Deir Samit to the town of Beit 'Awwa, from Beit 'Awwa to the village of Al Burj, and in the village of Ar Ramadin.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoints/Provocation of Palestinian Forces/Physical Assault:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 09:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Al Fawwar junction, searched civilian vehicles, and detained as well as searched a number of Palestinian National Security officers travelling to their workplaces, after halting their vehicle. Following liaison through the DCO, the Israeli army released the detained Palestinian National Security officers.</li> <li>(ii) At 22:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Surif, searched civilian vehicles, and severely beat Ramzi Yousef 'Alyeh, leaving him with injuries.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>



	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(iii) At 08:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Deir Samit and searched civilians and vehicles.</li> <li>• <b>Raids:</b></li> <li>(i) At 13:00, Israeli army infantry forces raided and patrolled the area of Bab az Zawiyah in the city of Hebron.</li> <li>(ii) At 23:30, the Israeli army, including 3 jeeps, raided and patrolled the city of Hebron.</li> </ul>
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### GAZA STRIP

<b>ALL DISTRICTS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Beginning on 16 December 2005, the Israeli army has continued to impose a complete closure on the Gaza Strip ostensibly due to Palestinian individuals' firing of mortars towards the Green Line.</li> </ul>
<b>NORTHERN GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> Beginning at 18:00 on 28 December 2005, the Israeli army has continued to impose a buffer zone (through open fire as well as artillery and air attacks) in the area near the Green Line, including the area of the debris of evacuated settlements.</li> <li>• <b>Closure of Crossing Point:</b> Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is partially open to foreign nationals, VIPs, and humanitarian cases after prior coordination.</li> <li>• <b>Attacks/Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</b></li> <li>(i) Between 09:00 and 21:00, the Israeli army fired 81 artillery shells from its locations inside the Green Line towards Palestinian territory east of the town of Beit Lahiya as well as near Palestinian National Security locations east of the town of Beit Hanun, injuring 2 female children (sisters): <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Nawal Mohammed Abu 'Uzoum, 1.5 years old; and</li> <li>(ii) Sabreen Mohammed Abu 'Uzoum, 3 years old.</li> </ul> Of those fired, 2 artillery shells did not explode. </li> <li>(ii) At 21:35, the Israeli army opened fire from its location on the Green Line towards 2 Palestinian National Security locations south of Beit Hanun (Erez) Industrial Zone.</li> <li>(iii) At 02:40, the Israeli army opened fire from its location on the Green Line towards 1 Palestinian National Security location north of the town of Beit Lahiya.</li> </ul>
<b>GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Attacks:</b></li> <li>(i) At 20:30, the Israeli army fired flares from Point 98 on the Green Line over Palestinian territory east of Gaza city.</li> <li>(ii) At 00:30, the Israeli army opened fire and fired flares from its location on the Green Line towards Palestinian territory opposite As Shuja'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing east of Gaza city.</li> <li>• <b>Palestinian Security Measure:</b> At 11:30 and following liaison with the Israeli authorities (through the DCO), the Palestinian Engineering Unit combed the area near the Green Line east of Gaza city. The Palestinian Engineering Unit detonated 1 explosive device located at a distance of 50 metres from the Green Line.</li> </ul>

<b>CENTRAL GAZA</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Attack:</b> At 01:50, the Israeli army fired flares from Point 112 on the Green Line towards Palestinian territory north of Al Bureij refugee camp.</li> </ul>
<b>KHAN YUNIS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• Activities not reported.</li> </ul>
<b>RAFAH</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Crossing Points:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> <li>(ii) Rafah Crossing is partially open in both directions to passengers holding Palestinian IDs, humanitarian cases, as well as Arab and foreign diplomatic missions.</li> <li>(iii) Karm Abu Salim (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Attack/Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</b> At 15:20, the Israeli army opened fire from its location near Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) gate on the Green Line towards 1 Palestinian National Security location, injuring 1 Palestinian National Security officer while he was present at the location.</li> </ul>

**GENERAL**

<b>WORK PERMITS</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>West Bank:</b> The Israeli authorities issued new work permits to Palestinian workers for crossing the Green Line; however, there is no confirmation of the number of permit-holding workers who were allowed to access areas inside the Green Line because the Israeli authorities have suspended contacts with the Palestinian employment offices and have instead delivered the issued permits directly to the Palestinian Chambers of Commerce and Workers' Unions.</li> <li>• <b>Gaza Strip:</b> Valid work permits that have been issued by the Israeli authorities for crossing the Green Line total 11. All the Palestinian workers possessing the valid work permits (11) were allowed to access areas inside the Green Line.</li> </ul>
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