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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 06 June 2011 – 08:00 07 June 2011

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assaults	2	—	2	Brothers beaten in Bethlehem
Attacks	3	1	4	During raids into residential areas
Raids	27	1	28	Incl. 7 in Ramallah and 6 in Hebron
Arrests (per Person)	12	—	12	Incl. 3 children and a female civilian
Detentions	12	—	12	At checkpoints and in residential areas
Wall Construction	14	—	14	Incl. in Jerusalem, Qalqiliya, & Tulkarem
Destruction of Property	1	—	1	Contents of a mosque in Ramallah
Confiscation of Property	1	—	1	A book from a print shop in Ramallah
Closure of Checkpoints	8	—	8	Incl. access impeded at 5 checkpoints
Flying Checkpoints	16	—	16	Incl. 3 in Ramallah and 5 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	8	—	8	Incl. Jerusalem and 5 areas in Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	44	—	44	Incl. 10 in Nablus and 14 in Hebron
Closure of Crossing Points	—	4	4	Incl. food supplies and aid allowed in
Attack on Religious Site	1	—	1	A mosque set on fire in Ramallah
Settler Violence	4	—	4	Incl. land levelled and civilians assailed
TOTAL	153	6	159	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
WEST BANK	
JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrances to Jerusalem city and to prevent civilians from other Palestinian districts from entering the city, only allowing access to civilians holding special permits. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the ‘demarcation area’ along the Wall in the area surrounding Jerusalem city and restrict access to the area 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. • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt barricades the entrance to the village of Jaba’. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the iron gate along the Wall section, separating the area of Dahiyat al Bareed from the town of Ar Ram. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Ikxa village and force civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. • Checkpoint: The Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a “border crossing point” and designates a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city. • Raids: At 08:50, the Israeli army raided Abu Dis town and arrested a university student. At 19:55, the Israeli army raided the town again and patrolled the area. • Arrest: The Israeli army arrested Bilal Hashem ‘Uthman in Abu Dis town. • Wall Gates: <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 Ash Shayyah road in the area between As Sawahira ash Sharqiya and As Sawahira al Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area north of Qalandiya village; south of Az Za’ayyem village; and in Wadi al ‘Eizariya west of Ma’ale Adumim settlement.
RAMALLAH & EL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil town and Saffa village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and ‘Ein Samiya villages. • Flying Checkpoints:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to An Nabi Salih village and searched civilian vehicles until 14:45. (ii) At 18:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between Silwad town and Yabrud village, searched civilians and vehicles, and arrested a civilian. (iii) At 19:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Deir as Sudan village and searched civilians and vehicles. • <u>Raids/Attack/Confiscation of Property:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 21:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Silwad town. (ii) At 21:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Um Safa village. (iii) At 23:05, the Israeli army raided the area between Beit Rim and ‘Abud towns and opened indiscriminate fire, while patrolling the area. (iv) At 23:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Beit Rima town. (v) At 02:10, the Israeli army raided Bir Zeit town, searched a house, and arrested a civilian. (vi) At 02:10, the Israeli army raided Beituniya town, raided a print shop, and arrested two civilians, including a female civilian. The Israeli army also confiscated a book of physics and chemistry. (vii) At 03:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Kobar village. • <u>Arrests:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli troops positioned at the flying checkpoint set up on the area between Silwad town and Yabrud village arrested Ala’ Walid Mousa Hamed. (ii) The Israeli army arrested Shuja’ Ibrahim Hussein in Bir Zeit town. The Israeli army arrested two civilians in Beituniya town: (iii) Samirah Huleileh, a female civilian; and (iv) Usamah ‘Iyaseh. • <u>Settler Violence/Attack on Religious Site/Destruction of Property:</u> At 02:00, a group of Israeli settlers raided Al Mughayyir village and set fire to the village’s mosque, damaging its contents. Settlers also inscribed Hebrew anti-Arab slogans on the mosque walls. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues in the area west of ‘Abud town in the area surrounding ‘Ofarim settlement and north of Al Lubban al Gharbi and Rantis villages.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road leading to the town of ‘Arraba east of Dotan settlement. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 22:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Meithalun town. (ii) At 03:00, the Israeli army raided Jenin city, fired sound grenade3s, and patrolled the area until 04:00. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which affects the educational and health conditions of civilians living behind the Wall.
TUBAS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoint:</u> Though allowing civilian access to the Northern Jordan Valley

	<p>between 06:00 and 22:00, the Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint east of the city of Tubas.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: At 04:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Tubas city.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road connecting Kafr al Labad town to Shufa village as well as the road connecting Shufa and ‘Izbat Shufa villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. • Checkpoint: The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions and impede civilian access at ‘Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. • Raids/Detentions: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:40, the Israeli army raided ‘Anabta town, took photographs of a high-voltage electricity grid, and detained two staff members of the ‘Anabta Municipality. Having taken them ‘Einav checkpoint, the Israeli army detained both civilians at a later time. These were: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Ibrahim Hannoun; and (ii) Mohammed Shihab. (ii) At 02:25, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Deir al Ghusun town. • Wall Gates: Passage through the wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. • Wall Construction: Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route continues 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: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of ‘Azzun. • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Qalqiliya city and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 20:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between Jayyus and ‘Azzun towns and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled ‘Azzun town. (ii) At 21:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Kafr Qaddum village. (iii) At 23:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Jit village. (iv) At 00:20, the Israeli army raided Habla town and searched a house. • Settler Violence: At 19:10, a group of Israeli settlers prevented civilians from accessing their land south of Far’ata village. The Israeli army evacuated settlers from the area at a later time. • Wall Gates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal

	<p>detector.</p> <p>(ii) The Israeli army continues close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi ar Rasha and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army allows residents to access the village through Gate #109. Having removed the iron 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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement.
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <p>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Till-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 Osarin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osarin.</p> <p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to the town of Qabalan; the southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut; and the western entrance to An Naqura village opposite the settlement of Shavei Shomron.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing checkpoints set up around the city of Nablus: <p>(i) At Tur neighbourhood checkpoint (set up on Jerzim Mount) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On all other days, it is open for civilian residents of the neighbourhood only between 07:00 and 02:00.</p> <p>(ii) At 'Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are allowed to cross between 05:00 and 20:00, but between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All vehicles can access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint. • Flying Checkpoint: At 17:35, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Beita town and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids: <p>(i) At 23:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled An Naqura village.</p> <p>(ii) At 01:50, the Israeli army raided Nablus city, searched three buildings, and arrested two civilians, including a member of the Palestinian Legislative Council (PLC).</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrest: The Israeli army arrested two civilians in Nablus city: <p>(i) Ahmed al Hajj Ali, a PLC member; and</p> <p>(ii) Dr. Mustafa Shanar. • Settler Violence: On 06 June 2011, a group of Israeli settlers levelled civilian land for construction of a settlement outpost in Ras Hazim area northeast of Deir al Hatab village. </p></p>
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <p>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the northern</p>

	<p>entrance to Salfit city and with cement blocks the northern entrance to the Bruqin town.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to respective farmland. (iii) Beginning on 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has continued to open the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoint:</u> The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions and impede civilian access at the Za'tara junction checkpoint. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of Emmanuel 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 'Auja village with cement blocks. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at Al Hamra checkpoint set up along Al Badhan road connecting Jericho and Nablus districts, only allowing access to residents of Jericho district of the Jordan Valley area. (ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the junction to Al 'Auja village along Al-Mu'arrajat road connecting Jericho and Ramallah districts, only allowing access to residents of Jericho district as well as to others holding access permits. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 08:30, again at 23:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance to Jericho city and searched civilians and vehicles. • <u>Arrest:</u> At 18:35 on 05 June 2011, the Israeli army arrested Mohammed Ibrahim Zawahreh at the southern entrance to Jericho city.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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) Beginning on 15 September 2007, the Israeli army has continued to prevent civilians from accessing or staying on 22 <i>dunums</i> of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmad road; a road east of Beit Fajjar town; the road connecting Tuqu' town to Khirbet al Baq'a village; and the detour road connecting Wadi Fukin and Al Jab'a villages. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 14:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on An Nashash junction (the southern entrance to Bethlehem city) and searched civilians and vehicles until 15:00. • <u>Physical Assaults:</u> At 10:00, Israeli troops severely beat two civilians (brothers), while they were attempting to gain access to their workplaces in Israel:

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Ali Rafe' Ali Jaradat; and (ii) Mohammed Rafe' Ali Jaradat. <p>Both civilians were transported to hospital for medical treatment.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: At 02:55, the Israeli army raided Husan village, searched a number of houses, and arrested three civilians, including two children. • Arrests: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 23:50, Israeli troops positioned at As Sawahira ash Sharqiya (the 'Container') checkpoint arrested Malek Ahmed ash Sharif, 17 years old. <p>The Israeli army arrested three civilians in Husan village:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (ii) Mohammed Ramadan Hamid Hamamreh, 17 years old; (iii) Haytham Mahmoud Hamamreh, 16 years old; and (iv) Isma'il Husni Salem Hamamreh. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area northwest of Beit Jala city; around Al Walaja village; and east of Efrat settlement.
<p style="text-align: center;">Hebron</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close Ash Shuhada' Street, As Sahleh and Khuzq al Far areas, and the old gold market in the old city of Hebron. 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 iron gate and Al Laban Market with iron plates. (ii) Beginning on 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has continued to close the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evacuated residents and denied civilian access to the area. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Adh Dhahiriya and As Samoa' towns, Al 'Arrub refugee camp, and At Tuwani and Al Karmil villages. (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along Ash Shalala Old Street in the old city of Hebron. (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. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the northern entrance to Hebron city (along Road # 35 near the overpass to Halhul town) and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 12:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to As Samoa' town and searched civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 14:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to An Nabi Yunis area on the Hebron-Bethlehem main road and searched civilians and vehicles. (iv) At 14:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Ash Shalala Street in the old city of Hebron and searched civilians and vehicles. (v) At 18:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to

	<p>Kharas town and searched civilians and vehicles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raids/Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Adh Dhahiriya town. (ii) At 21:10, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Deir Samit village. (iii) At 21:20, the Israeli army raided Idhna town and fired sound grenades, while patrolling the area. (iv) At 21:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Hebron city. (v) At 22:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Huneina area in Dura town. (vi) At 02:15, the Israeli army raided Beit 'Awwa town and searched a house. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 08:00, a group of Israeli settlers from Karmel settlement assaulted civilians and shepherds in Khirbet Um al Kheir village east of Yatta town. Settlers also prevented shepherds and civilians from grazing their sheep or accessing their land near the settlement. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues in the area surrounding Eshkolot settlement west of Adh Dhahiriya town.
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GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the unilateral ceasefire declared by the Israeli authorities 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 10 April 2011. • <u>Violation of the Ceasefire:</u> The Israeli army raided Palestinian territory in Central Gaza district and opened fire on civilian property.
NORTHERN GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing was partially open to previously-coordinated critically ill civilians, foreign journalists, international organisations staff, merchants, businesspeople, and civilians intending to travel to Jordan through <i>Al Karama</i> (Allenby) Bridge in the West Bank.
GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Al Muntar (Karnei) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed upon an Israeli unilateral decision. (ii) Ash Shuja'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed upon an Israeli unilateral decision.
CENTRAL GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid/Attack:</u> At 21:40, the Israeli army, including several armoured

	vehicles, raided Palestinian territory east of Al Bureij refugee camp and opened fired on agricultural land.
KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not reported.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. (ii) Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for civilians arriving from Egypt. (iii) Sufa Crossing is closed. (iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing was partially open for transportation of food supplies, goods, humanitarian aid, and cooking gas. In addition to 20 vehicles imported by the private sector, 28 truckloads of animal feed as well as construction cargo designated to internationally-funded projects were transported through the Crossing.