مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00 12 June 2011 – 08:00 13 June 2011

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Death		1	1	A civilian of injuries sustained in 2009
Injury 1		_	1	A civilian during confrontations, Salfit
Attacks	1	1	2	1 in confrontations and 1 by navy boats
Raids	31	_	31	Incl. 3 in Jerusalem and 4 in Ramallah
Arrests (per Person)	6	_	6	1 in Nablus and 5 in Bethlehem
Detentions	13	_	13	Incl. a Palestinian security officer
Wall Construction	14	_	14	Incl. in Jerusalem, Qalqiliya, & Tulkarem
Confiscation of Property	1	_	1	A hydraulic excavator in Nablus
Attacks on Property	*	_	_	Incl. notices to demolish a school & room
Closure of Checkpoints	8	_	8	Incl. access impeded at 5 checkpoints
Flying Checkpoints	22	_	22	Incl. 5 in Jerusalem and 4 in Bethlehem
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. humanitarian cases allowed access
Provocation of Pal. Forces	1	_	1	A National Security vehicle detained
TOTAL	150	6	156	

DISTRICT EVENTS

WEST BANK

• Closure:

- (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 Iksa villages.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (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 Iksa village and force civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.
- <u>Checkpoint</u>: 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.

JERUSALEM

• Flying Checkpoints:

- (i) At 11:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Al Khan al Ahmar area and searched civilians and vehicles. The Israeli army also detained a Palestinian National Security vehicle and allowed it to cross at 12:00 after coordination with the Israeli authorities (through the DCO).
- (ii) At 23:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Biddu town and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 23:00, the Israeli army raided Beit Duqqu village, set up a checkpoint at its entrance, searched civilians and vehicles, and patrolled the area.
- (ii) At 23:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Samir Amis area north of Jerusalem city.
- (iii) At 06:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled 'Anata town.

• 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 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.

RAMALLAH & EL BIREH	 Wall Construction: Wall construction was resumed in the area north of Qalandiya village; south of Az Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi al 'Eizariya west of Ma'ale Adumim settlement. 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 Checkpoint: At 24:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between Deir as Sudan and Um Safa villages and searched civilians and vehicles. Raids: At 11:05, the Israeli army raided and patrolled 'Arura town. At 20:55, the Israeli army raided and patrolled El Bireh city. At 00:50, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Turmus'ayya town. At 03:05, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Deir Ghassana town. Wall Construction: Wall construction was resumed in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding 'Ofarim settlement and north of Al Lubban al Gharbi and Rantis villages.
JENIN	 Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of Dotan settlement. Raids: At 22:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the area between Az Zababida and Qabatiya towns. At 01:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Qabatiya town. At 01:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Jaba' town. Wall Gates: 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	 Checkpoint: Though allowing civilian access to the Northern Jordan Valley between 06:00 and 22:00, the Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint east of the city of Tubas. Raid: At 00:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Tammun town.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: 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. 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. Flving Checkpoints: At 09:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Far'un village and searched civilians and vehicles. At 16:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Al Jarushiya village and searched civilians and vehicles.

	 Raids: At 16:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Dahiyat Shuweika in Tulkarem city. At 00:40, the Israeli army raided the area again and searched two commercial premises of vehicle spare parts. 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 was 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	 Closure of Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of 'Azzun. Flving Checkpoints: At 15:35, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Qalqiliya city and searched civilians and vehicles. At 06:55, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Jit village and searched civilians and vehicles. Raids: At 14:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Qalqiliya city. At 20:55, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Jayyus town. Wall Gates: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector. 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. Wall Construction: Wall construction was resumed 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	 Closure of Main Roads: 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. 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. Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing checkpoints set up around the city of Nablus:

- (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.
- (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 Checkpoints:

- (i) At 10:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Deir Sharaf village and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (ii) At 16:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Qusin village and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 10:45, the Israeli army raided Qusin village and searched a house.
- (ii) At 11:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Deir Sharaf village.
- (iii) At 07:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled As Sawiya village.
- Arrest/Confiscation of Property: At 11:10, the Israeli army arrested Hayel Kathem Bani Fadhel, a resident of 'Aqraba town, in the area between Majdal Bani Fadil village and 'Aqraba town and confiscated his hydraulic excavator, allegedly because he was excavating land in Area C, which is under full Israeli control.
- <u>Detention</u>: At 13:40, Israeli troops positioned at 'Awarta checkpoint detained Hamid 'Odeh and released him at a later time.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the northern entrance to Salfit city and with cement blocks the northern entrance to the Bruqin town.
- (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.
- <u>Checkpoint</u>: The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions and impede civilian access at the Za'tara junction checkpoint.

• Raids/Attacks on Property/Injury:

- (i) At 09:10, the Israeli army raided Bruqin town and delivered a notice for the demolition of a barracks belonging to Mu'ayyad Mohammed Hamdan Bakr. The Israeli army also distributed notices for the cessation of building a girls basic school as well as a room annexed to the town's mosque. At 23:40, the Israeli army raided the town again and patrolled the area.
- (ii) At 17:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Qarawat Bani Hassan village.
- (iii) At 23:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Kafr ad Dik town.

SALFIT

	(iv) At 01:00, the Israeli army raided Salfit city. While searching four houses, confrontations took place between the Israeli army and			
	civilians, during which the Israeli army injured Haytham Shawkat Khuffash.			
	<u>Wall Construction</u> : Wall construction was resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of Emmanuel settlement.			
JERICHO	 Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Jericho city and Al 'Auja village with cement blocks. Checkpoints: 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. 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. Flying Checkpoints: At 08:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance to Jericho city and searched civilians and vehicles. At 17:05, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Al Mu'arrajat road connecting Jericho and Ramallah districts and searched civilians and vehicles. At 19:55, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to Al 'Auja village and searched civilians and vehicles. Raid: At 15:05, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Al 'Auja village. 			
ВЕТНІЕНЕМ	 Closure: 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. Beginning on 15 September 2007, the Israeli army has continued to prevent civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. Closure of Main Roads: 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. Flying Checkpoints: At 12:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Nahhalin village and searched civilians and vehicles. At 12:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the eastern entrance to Beit Sahur city and searched civilians and vehicles. At 14:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance 			
	to Beit Fajjar town and searched civilians and vehicles.			

(iv) At 15:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Za'tara town and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 15:20, the Israeli army raided Za'tara town and searched two commercial premises.
- (ii) At 21:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Beit Fajjar town.
- (iii) At 04:15, the Israeli army raided Ad Duheisha refugee camp in Bethlehem city and arrested three civilians.

• Arrests:

- (i) At 13:50, Israeli troops positioned at the 'Tunnel' checkpoint north of Beit Jala city arrested Hadi Kadher Masalmeh, allegedly for locating a knife in his possession.
- (ii) At 03:30, Israeli troops positioned at As Sawahira ash Sharqiya (the 'Container') checkpoint arrested Ahmed Saya'reh.

The Israeli army arrested three civilians in Ad Duheisha refugee camp in Bethlehem city:

- (iii) Isma'il Khalil 'Iayyan;
- (iv) 'Uday Mohammed ash Sharif; and
- (v) Raed 'Uweinah.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction was resumed in the area northwest of Beit Jala city; around Al Walaja village; and east of Efrat settlement.

• Closure:

- (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.

Hebron

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (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.

• Flying Checkpoints:

- (i) At 09:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Beit Ummar town and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (ii) At 21:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in Ruq'a area east of Yatta town and searched civilians and vehicles.

(iii)	At 07:35, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the overpass to
	Halhul town and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 17:35, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Huneina area in Dura town.
- (ii) At 18:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Idhna town.
- (iii) At 21:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Yatta town.
- (iv) At 02:00, the Israeli army raided Hebron city and searched a house.
- <u>Detention</u>: At 14:50, Israeli troops detained Jihad Mohammed Manassrah, a Palestinian General Intelligence officer, near the Ibrahimi Mosque in the old city of Hebron and released him after coordination with the Israeli authorities (through the DCO).
- Wall Construction: Wall construction was resumed in the area surrounding Eshkolot settlement west of Adh Dhahiriya town.

GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS

- 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 navy fired a shell on Palestinian fishing boats at sea off the beach of Khan Yunis district.

NORTHERN GAZA

• <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 *Al Karama* (Allenby) Bridge in the West Bank.

• Closure of Crossing Points:

- (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.

• <u>Death</u>: On 12 June 2011, Mohammed Sha'ban Isleem, a resident of Gaza city, died of critical injuries sustained during an Israeli aerial attack launched on 15 January 2009 in the course of the Israeli offensive on the Gaza Strip. Then, Isleem's two children were also killed. Since he was injured, Isleem had been to several Palestinian, Egyptian, and Israeli hospitals for medical treatment.

GAZA

CENTRAL GAZA	Activities not reported.		
KHAN YUNIS	• Attack: In the evening of 12 June 2011, the Israeli navy fired a shell on Palestinian fishing boats at sea off the beach of Khan Yunis city.		
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open to civilians arriving from Egypt and those departing from Gaza Strip. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing was partially open for transportation of food supplies, goods, humanitarian aid, cooking gas, and construction cargo designated to internationally-funded projects. 		