مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 25th June 2012 – 08:00, 26th June 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	1	_	1	Israeli forces assaulted a resident at the wall gate leading to Tulkarem.
Detention	4	_	4	2 in Salfit and 2 in Hebron including 2 children and a University student.
Temporary Detention	9		9	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Raids	14		14	2 in Jenin,1 in Tulkarem,2 in Qalqilya,5 in Nablus,1 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho and 2 in Hebron .
Closure of Checkpoints	6	_	6	Access allowed at 2 checkpoints & impeded at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	14	_	14	2 in Jerusalem,4 in Qalqilya,3 in Nablus,2 in Jericho and 3 in Hebron.
Attacks	3		3	During raids.
Home Demolition	4	_	4	Israeli forces demolished residential tents and barracks in Tubas.
Destruction of Property	6	_	6	Israeli forces demolished a livestock shelter in Tubas, a wall surrounding a home and a barracks in Tulkarem.
Wall Construction	15		15	3 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqilya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Incl. 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem & 5 in Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	66	_	66	3 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 4 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqilya, 8 in Nablus, 3 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho, 23 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings		5	5	Beit Hanoun crossing is open for students, merchants and those with permits.
Demonstration	2		2	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees.
Palestinian Attack	_	2	2	Projectiles launched towards the Green Line.
TOTAL	152	7	159	

DISTRICT	EVENTS		
WEST BA	NK		
JERUSALEM	 Closure: (i) The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city entrance and the entrance to the Old City. (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 the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town. (iii) 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: 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. 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-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 continued in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma'ale Adumim. 		
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages. 		
JENIN	 Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. Raid: At 15:45, Israeli forces raided Deir Abu Da'if and Beit Qad villages. Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall. 		

TUBAS	 Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to restrict Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00. Attack: At 18:00, Israeli forces fired tank artillery shells near a home in Al-Aqba village as they were conducting military exercises. Home Demolition: At 11:00, Israeli forces demolished tents, residential barracks and livestock shelters owned by Ali Al-Faqir, Ibrahim Abu Safa, Ayed Zawahra and Ibrahim Al-Faqir in the Jordan Valley.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. Checkpoints: Israeli army continues their restrictions on Palestinian access at 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. Raid: At 24:00, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem, searched a home, and imprisoned its residents into one room as they demolished homes surrounding fence and a barracks. Physical Assault: At 11:10, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Taybeh checkpoint near the wall gate entrance leading to Qalqilya, assaulted and beat Khalil Ashour for allegedly refusing to open his vehicles door leaving him hospitalised with contusions Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, undercutting access to education and health services for civilians living behind the Wall. Wall Construction: Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route continued in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision, the new Wall route will be constructed west of the village.
	Closure of Roads: Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of Azzun In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second <i>Intifada</i> , the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village.
QALQILYA	 Flying Checkpoint: At 09:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Jit village junction. At 09:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the eastern entrance of Qalqilya. At 12:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun. At 22:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Kafr Qaddum village. Raid: At 22:25, Israeli forces raided Qalqilya. At 23:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Nabi Eliyas village. Wall Gates: The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector. The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al-Rasha and to deny civilian access. 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.

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	 Wall Construction: Wall construction continued 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 Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osrin. 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: At 15:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Biet Dajjan village junction. At 01:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Furiq junction. At 01:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Shave Shomron settlement. Raids: At 09:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Nassiriya and Al-Aqrabaniya villages as they conducted military exercises. At 18:40, Israeli forces raided Beit Furiq as they conducted military exercises.
	 At 00:35, Israeli forces raided Deir Hatab village, fired stun grenades then withdrew at 00:55. At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Salem village and fired stun grenades.
	 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) Since 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years, and at 11:00, Israeli forces closed the entrance and impeded the free flow of traffic.
SALFIT	 <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army continues to restrict access at Za'tara checkpoint and impede the free flow of traffic. <u>Raid:</u> At 02:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Zawiya, stormed several homes and detained 2 children. <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Adnan Shqir (16 year) and Ihsan Maqdawi (16 years) during their raid into Al-Zawiya. <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir Istiya
	town southeast of the illegal settlement.
HEDVOVO	 Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Jericho city and Al-Oja village with cement blocks. Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access to
JERICHO	residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley area. (ii) Israeli forces continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the junction to Al-Ouja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho District and others with access permits.
	• Flying Checkpoint:

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	(i) At 08:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the southern entrance of Jericho.
	(ii) At 22:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Oja village
	junction.
	• Raid: At 02:25, Israeli forces raided Jericho.
	• 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 <i>dunums</i> of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.
BETHLEHEM	• Closure of Main Roads:
	 (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed 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. (ii) Since 14:30 on January 10th 2012, the Israeli army closed a road leading to
	Tuqu' with dirt mounds.
	• <u>Demonstration:</u> At 10:30, a demonstration took place in Bethlehem in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.
	Wall Construction: Wall construction continued northwest of Beit Jala town.
	• Closure:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close Al-Shuhada' Street, Al-Sahleh and 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.
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	(i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and 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
Hebron	the entrance to Al-Simiya village. (v) Since 17:15 on June 17 th 2012, Israeli forces continue to close the southern
	entrance to Al-Samou' with dirt mounds.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Ramadan village junction.
	(ii) At 12:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Nabi Yunis junction.(iii) At 21:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Fuwar junction

- Raids:
- (i)
- At 17:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Samou'. At dawn on June 26th 2012, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed a home, and (ii) detained 2 residents including a university student.
- **<u>Detention:</u>** Israeli forces detained Hatem Dofish and Munir Dofish in Hebron.
- **<u>Demonstration</u>**: At 11:00, a demonstration took place in front of the International Red Cross headquarters in Hebron in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.
- Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS	 At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the unilateral ceasefire declared by Israel 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 23 June 2012 at 22:00. On 14.12.2011, Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against pass beyond the mark. Palestinian gunmen broke the cease fire agreement by launching 3 projectiles towards the Green Line.
NORTHERN GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access. Palestinian Attack: At noon on June 26th 2012, Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.
GAZA	Closure of Crossing Points: Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
Khan Yunis	Palestinian Attack: At dawn on June 25th 2012, Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students and passengers with permits. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed.