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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 27 June 2010 – 08:00, 28 June 2010

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injuries	5	_	5	3 in Jerusalem & 2 in Bethlehem districts
Physical Assaults	3	_	3	Beating civilians in Silwan, Jerusalem dis.
Arrests (per person)	12	_	12	5 in Jerusalem & 4 in Nablus districts
Detentions	16	_	16	Incl. 5 Pal. officers & 3 internationals
Raids	22	_	22	Incl. 2 in Jerusalem & 1 in Ramallah
Checkpoints	10	_	10	Access impeded at 5 checkpoints
Flying Checkpoints	20	_	20	Incl. 3 in Jerusalem & 2 in Ramallah
Attacks	4	_	4	3 in confrontations & 1 in a raid
Provocation of Pal. Forces	2	_	2	Incl. taking position near Civil Police
House Occupation	1	_	1	In Al Arrub refugee camp in Hebron
Attack on Property	*	_		Notices to civilians to evacuate homes
Wall Construction	19	_	19	Jer., Raml'h., Salfit, Heb., Beth.
Closure (per District)	7	_	7	Incl. Jerusalem city & areas in Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	47	_	47	Incl. 3 in Jerusalem & 3 in Ramallah
Closure of Crossing Points	_	4	4	Partial opening of 3 crossings only
Settler Violence	1		1	Attack civilians to seize a house in Silwan
Demonstration	1		1	Against Wall in Beit Jala city, Beth. district
TOTAL	170	4	174	

DISTRICT EVENTS

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• Closure:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at checkpoints set up at entrances to the city of Jerusalem and Al Aqsa Mosque compound.
- (ii) On 05 January 2009, the Israeli army issued military order # S/02/09 closing the seam line area, an extension of the Wall.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill located in an area between the villages of Biddu and Beit Iksa.

• 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 in Jerusalem city from the town of Ar Ram.
- (iii) On 28 May 2010, the Israeli army closed the eastern entrance to the village of Beit Iksa, which leads to the city of Jerusalem, by an iron gate, and told civilians to pass through Qalandiya checkpoint to Jerusalem city.

• Checkpoints:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and only allows holders of Jerusalem IDs to access the city of Jerusalem.
- (ii) As of 11 April 2010, the Israeli army continues to close the checkpoint set up near the entrance to Shu'fat refugee camp in the city of Jerusalem and prevent daily civilian traffic access from 23:00 until 05:00. The closure of the checkpoint will continue for a week and half under the pretext of maintenance and setting up an infrastructure between the checkpoint and the road leading to Shu'fat refugee camp.
- <u>Flying Checkpoint</u>: At 11:05, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Bir Nabala and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 16:20, the Israeli army raided the town of Anata and arrested 2 civilians.
- (ii) At 03:45, the Israeli army raided Qalandiya refugee camp where confrontations took place with civilians. The Israeli army also arrested a civilian.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: At 20:40, a group of armed Israeli settlers attacked a number of civilians while attempting to seize a house belonging to the civilian Abdallah Abu Nab in Silwan neighborhood in occupied Jerusalem city. Consequently, the Israeli army intervened and fired

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rubber coated steel bullets, stun grenades and tear gas bombs towards civilians while attempting to confront the settler attack. As a result, 3 civilians sustained injuries and 1 civilian was arrested. A number of other civilians sustained contusions from severe beating and many other civilian men and women, including the pregnant woman Aala' Ahmad Abu Nab, suffered suffocation from tear gas inhalation.

• Arrests:

- (i) At 13:00 on 25 June 2010, the Israeli army arrested in the village of Beit Safafa, in addition to what was mentioned in the report of 26 June 2010, the civilian Husam Ribhi 'Eilan.
- (ii) The Israeli army arrested in 'Anata town 2 unknown civilians.
- (iii) The Israeli army arrested in Qalandiya refugee camp the civilian Ayyub Mazen Shehadeh.
- (iv) The Israeli army arrested in Silwan neighborhood the civilian Isma'il Khalil Abed Awad Samrin.

• Wall Gates:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on al-Shayyah road in the area between the villages of al-Sawahira al-Sharqiya and al-Sawahira al-Gharbiya, 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 of al-'Eizariya to al-Shayyah, from Beit Surik village to Biddu, in the areas of al-Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina, west of al-Jib village, in the vicinity of the village of Qatanna, south of Beit Hanina village, and in the area surrounding the checkpoint set up at the entrance to Shu'fat refugee camp.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village, Safa village and the junction to the villages of Kafr Malik Ein Samiya.
- (ii) On 15 March 2010, the Israeli army issued military order declaring the area located between civilian houses and the Wall in the town of Ni'lin and the village of Bil'in as closed military zones from 08:00 until 20:00 every Friday and for a period of 6 months. Civilian access is denied during the mentioned period without a special permit in order to prevent the weekly demonstrations against the Wall.

• Flying Checkpoints:

- (i) At 09:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the junction leading to Oyoun Al Haramiyeh (on Ramallah Nablus main road) and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (ii) At 09:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the overpass leading to Atara town, detained a General Intelligence officer and released him at a later time following DCO intervention.
- <u>Raid</u>: At 01:30, the Israeli army raided the town of 'Ebwin, searched a house and withdrew at 04:30.

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	Wall Construction: Wall construction continues west of the towns and villages of 'Abud and Bil'in, and in the areas of al-Midya to Ni'lin and Ni'lin to Deir Qaddis.
JENIN	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road leading to 'Arraba town, east of the settlement of Dotan. Raids: At 11:00, the Israeli army raided the village of Al Fandaqumiya and detained a number of civilians while patrolling the area and released them at a later time. At 13:55, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city of Jenin until 14:10. 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.
TOUBAS	 Checkpoint: The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint, east of the city of Tubas, allowing civilian access from 06:00 to 22:00. Raid: At 12:00, the Israeli army raided the area of Al Farisiya that is located in the Northern Jordan valley area. The Israeli army served 24-hour notices to 9 civilians to evacuate their houses that are made of tin and tents from the area under the pretext of being a closed military zone.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road between the town of Kafr Al Labad and the village of Shofeh and the road between the villages of Shofeh and Izbat Shofeh. Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at Einav checkpoint that is set up on Tulkarm-Nablus main road. Raids: At 17:40, the Israeli army raided the town of Attil, searched a commercial shop and withdrew at 18:40. At 18:55, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Zeita. At 24:00, the Israeli army raided the city of Tulkarm and searched a house. Arrest: At 17:20, the Israeli army arrested the civilian Ali Muhammad Ali Ad Dadou from Tulkarm city while reporting to the Israeli Intelligence agency at the DCO on the basis of a prior summon. 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.
QALQILYA	 Closure of Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the agricultural roads east of the town of 'Azzun. Flying Checkpoints: At 09:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Azzun and searched civilians and vehicles.

- (ii) At 10:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Izbat At-Tabib and searched civilians and vehicles until 11:20.
- (iii) At 19:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the villages of Hajja and Al Funduq and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (iv) At 21:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the city of Qalqiliya and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Wall Gates:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector.
- (ii) On 12 May 2010, the Israeli army erected an iron gate at the entrance to the village of Wadi Ar-Rasha (after removing the iron gate erected at the entrance to the village of Ras Atiya), and prevented civilians from the village from passing through it. The Israeli army only allows the passage of students to their schools outside the village through Habla town gate, while allowing the passage of civilians through gate # 109.

Closure of Main Roads:

- (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.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to the town of Qabalan; the southern entrances to the villages of Duma and Qaryut; and the western entrance to An Naqura village opposite Shavei Shomron settlement.

• Checkpoints:

- (i) At Tur neighborhood checkpoint (set up on Jerzim Mount) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On other days, it is open for civilian residents of the neighborhood only from 07:00 until 02:00.
- (ii) Awarta commercial checkpoint is open for civilians from 05:00 until 20:00 and on Friday from 05:00 until 15:00.
- (iii) At 21:10, the Israeli army closed Huwwara checkpoint, prevented civilian access and arrested 2 civilians under the pretext of finding an explosive device in their possession. The Israeli army re-opened the checkpoint at 21:50.

• Flying Checkpoints:

- (i) At 10:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the city of Nablus and the town of Asira Ash Shamaliya.
- (ii) At 10:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Iraq Burin.
- (iii) At 16:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Till and searched civilians and vehicles.

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	 Raids: At 00:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Asira Ash Shamaliya. At 02:05, the Israeli army raided the city of Nablus, fired stun grenades, arrested 2 civilians and detained the civilian Raed Zahi Al 'Affouri and released him at a later time. The Israeli army withdrew at 03:30. Arrests: The Israeli army arrested at Huwwara checkpoint 2 unknown civilians. The Israeli army arrested in Nablus city the civilians Adnan Zahi Adnan Istaitiyeh and Anan Muhammad Nazih Fuad Al 'Affouri.
SALFIT	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the northern entrance to the city of Salfit, and continues to close with cement blocks and iron gates the northern entrance to the town of Bruqin and the western entrance to the town of Kafr Ad Dik. The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrances of 2 side roads between the village of Marda and its agricultural land. Checkpoint: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impede civilian access. Flying Checkpoint: At 09:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the town of Kifl Hares and the village of Hares. Raid: At 12:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Biddya town. Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area northwest of the city of Salfit, and in the village of Marda and the town of Kifl Hares north of the settlement of Ariel.
JERICHO	 Closure: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of al-'Auja with cement blocks. Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at al-Hamra checkpoint and allow civilian access from 06:00 until 22:00. The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions on the checkpoint set up on the junction to the village of al-'Auja and allow access only to civilians holding Jericho and Jordan Valley IDs and those with permits. Detentions: At 08:40, the Israeli army detained at Al Auja checkpoint 3 Palestinian officers, including 2 Civil Police officers, and released them at a later time after serving summon to the General Intelligence officer Ala' Habaybeh to report to the Israeli Intelligence agency.
BETHLEHEM	• Closure: (i) 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.

- (ii) The Israeli army continues to prevent civilian access to an area that is located in the cities of Beit Sahur and Bethlehem.
- <u>Closure of Main Roads</u>: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the roads of Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmad, the sideway east of Beit Fajjar town and the agricultural road that is located between the town of Taqu'a and the village of Khirbet Al Baq'a.
- <u>Flying Checkpoint</u>: At 13:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on An Nashash area junction (the southern entrance to the city of Bethlehem) and searched civilians and vehicles.
- Raid: At 13:25, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city of Beit Jala.
- <u>Demonstration</u>: At 11:40, a mass demonstration, with the participation of international peace activists, took place in the area of Al Kreimazan, northwest of Beit Jala city, against leveling civilian land for completing Wall construction. Confrontations took place with the Israeli army injuring 2 civilians and causing suffocation to a number of demonstrators from tear gas inhalation. The Israeli army detained 3 international peace activists.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction continues in the area northwest of the town of al-Khadr and Beit Jala city; in the area of Wadi Rahhal east of Ephrata settlement; and in the area surrounding al-Walaja village.

• Closure:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the following locales in the old city of Hebron: al-Shuhada' Street and the area of al-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 al-Sahleh. The Israeli army continues to close the entrance to al Laban Market by iron boards. The Israeli army also continues to install an iron gate at the entrance to the area of al-Hisba (the fruits and vegetables market) in the old city of Hebron, thereby controlling civilian access in the area.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the area located near the Green Line, south of Yatta town, evacuating the area of those inside it and denying them access to it.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the following locales: the entrance to the town of al-Samoa'; the area of al-Hawawir leading to the town of Halhoul; the road connecting the town of Surif to the village of al-Jab'a; and the eastern entrance to the village of Kharsa; the entrance to al-Qeisi neighborhood in the old city of Hebron; the main entrance to al-'Arrub refugee camp; the village of At Tuwani as well as the entrance to the town of Adh Dhahiriya.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from

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- traveling along Shalala Old Street that leads to the old city of Hebron, only allowing Israeli vehicles as well as Israeli army vehicles to travel along this street.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road between the villages of Al Karmil and At Tuwani and all roads leading to bypass Road # 60.
- (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades one of the entrances to the town of Beit Ummar near the town's cemetery.
- (v) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road connecting the city of Hebron to the town of Adh Dhahiriya, the road leading to the town of As-Samoa', the entrance to the village of Abda and the road between the town of Dura and the village of Wadi Ash Shajina.

• Flying Checkpoints:

- (i) At 13:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the area of Al Hawawer (the northern entrance to Halhul town) and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (ii) At 13:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Beit Ummar town and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (iii) At 18:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction leading to Khursa village and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 13:00, the Israeli army raided Hebron city, set up a flying checkpoint and patrolled the area. Again at 15:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city.
- (ii) At 13:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of Khirbet Safa.
- (iii) At 15:15, the Israeli army raided Al Arrub refugee camp, occupied the roof of a house and converted it into a military post, patrolled the area and withdrew at 20:00.
- (iv) At 16:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Dura town.
- (v) At 22:30, the Israeli army raided the town of Beit Awwa and the village of Deir Samit and searched a house.
- (vi) At 00:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Adh Dhahiriya.
- (vii) At 01:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Halhul, set up a flying checkpoint near the Civil Police station and patrolled the area.

Arrests:

- (i) At dawn on 24 June 2010, the Israeli army arrested during a raid on the town of Adh Dhahiriya (in addition to what was mentioned in the report of 25 June 2010) the civilian Ala' Ibrahim Mutlaq Al Jabbarin.
- (ii) At 19:00, the Israeli army arrested in the old city of Hebron the civilian Yousef Ghazi Salhab.
- <u>Detention</u>: At 14:30, the Israeli army positioned in the periphery of Al Ibrahim Mosque in the old city of Hebron detained the Preventive

Security officer Ya'koub Muhammad Abu Sha'ban and released him at a later time.

• <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction continues in the section of Tarqumiya checkpoint terminal, in the periphery of Eshkolot settlement southwest of Adh Dhahiriya town and between southwest of Arab Ar Ramadin village and the village of Imneizil.

GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS

 At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the Israeli army declared a unilateral ceasefire. In the meantime, armed Palestinian groups declared a oneweek-long ceasefire. Meanwhile, the ceasefire was extended until 05 February 2009. The ceasefire is holding despite the end of the specified period.

NORTHERN GAZA	Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is partially open for previously coordinated humanitarian cases and foreign nationals.			
GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Points: (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. (ii) Al-Shuja'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing for fuel transport is closed since 04 January 2010 by an Israeli unilateral decision. 			
CENTRAL GAZA	Activities not reported.			
KHAN YOUNIS	Activities not reported.			
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al Awdah) Crossing is open for the departure of 205 civilian patients, students and visa holders, and for the entry of 365 civilians and patients who received treatment at Egyptian hospitals. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salim (Karem Shalom) Crossing is partially open for the transport of food, humanitarian assistance, a quantity of industrial diesel for the electricity plant and cooking gas. 			

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POLITICAL PRISONERS

• <u>Prison Sentences</u>: The Israeli military court passed 9-year-long prison sentences against the following political prisoners from the town of Bani Na'im in the district of Hebron: Abdallah Mahmoud Muhammad Al Khadour; Rami Hasan Muhammad Al Khadour; Hazem Abdallah Manasreh; and Muhammad Mousa Muhammad Abu Al Adas.