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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 29 June 2010 – 08:00, 30 June 2010

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	_	1	1	A civilian in Northern Gaza district
Arrests (per person)	12		12	Incl. 8 in Ramallah & 2 in Hebron
Detentions	12		12	At checkpoints & in residential locales
Raids	30	3	33	Incl. 4 in Tulkarm & 2 in Qalqiliya
Checkpoints	9	_	9	Access impeded at 5 checkpoints
Flying Checkpoints	19	_	19	Incl. 7 in Qalqiliya & 2 in Nablus
Attacks	1	8	9	Incl. 2 by navy & firing 2 tank shells
Air Patrols	_	3	3	Reconn. in N. Gaza, K. Yunis & Rafah
House Demolition	*			Notices to demolish 4 houses in Hebron
Confiscation of Property	2		2	M16 & munitions from Asira Shamaliya
Attack on Property	*			Notice to cease house construction
Destruction of Property	3		3	Agricultural room, shacks & horses fold
Land Leveling	1	3	4	Incl. an area of land in Jerusalem district
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. 9 in Nablus & 1 in Qalqiliya
Closure of Crossing Points	_	4	4	Partial opening of 3 crossings only
Settler Violence	2	_	2	Incl. hurl stones at guards of water well
Demonstration	1	_	1	In Tulkarm in solidarity with prisoners
Palestinian Attacks	_	2	2	Firing 2 mortars towards the Green Line
TOTAL	165	24	189	

DISTRICT EVENTS

WEST BANK

• Closure:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at checkpoints set up at entrances to the city of Jerusalem and Al Aqsa Mosque.
- (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.
- **Flying Checkpoint:** At 16:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Al Eizariya and searched civilians and vehicles.
- Raid: On 29 June 2010, the Israeli army raided the village of Al Isawiya, leveled an area of civilian land and demolished an agricultural room, shacks and a fold for raising horses.
- Arrests: At 03:45 on 28 June 2010, the Israeli army arrested 2 civilians during a raid on Qalandiya refugee camp, in addition to what was mentioned in the report of the same day. The 2 civilians are Muhammad Khair Ad Deen Ragheb Abdulrahman and Muhammad Nayef Abdulrahman.

• Wall Gates:

(i) The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks.

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- (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.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: 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.

Raids:

- (i) At 02:30 on 29 June 2010, the Israeli army raided the town of Silwad and arrested 7 civilians, including 4 children.
- (ii) At 08:50, the Israeli army raided and patrolled El Bireh city.
- (iii) At 10:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Turmus'ayya and patrolled the area.
- (iv) At 10:50, the Israeli army raided Al Jalazun refugee camp and served a notice to cease the construction of a house belonging to the civilian Jamal Al Abed Nakhleh under the pretext of not having a construction license and because it falls in area (C).
- (v) At 02:30, the Israeli army raided the village of Kharbatha Al Misbah, stormed the office of the village council, searched 4 houses, arrested a civilian and withdrew at 04:30.
- (vi) At 04:20, the Israeli army raided the village of Mazari' An Nubani and patrolled the area.

• Arrests:

- (i) The Israeli army arrested in the town of Silwad the following civilians: Rami Radwan Hamed, 17-year-old; Hasan Dawoud Hamed, 17-year-old; Qusay Lutfi Abdulghani, 17-year-old; Ahmad Ayed Odeh Hamed, 17-year-old; Muhammad Fares Muhammad Hamed; Abdallah Munir Hamed; and Tareq Khaled Tareq Hamed.
- (ii) The Israeli army arrested in the village of Kharbatha Al Misbah the civilian Iyad Hussein Al Habal
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: 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.

RAMALLAH & EL BIREH

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. Flying Checkpoints: At 21:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the villages of Mesilla and Sanur and searched civilians and vehicles. At 22:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the junction leading to the town of 'Arraba and searched civilians and vehicles. At 23:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the town of Meithalun and the village of Sirees and searched civilians and vehicles. Raid: At 11:00, the Israeli army raided the towns of Al Yamun, As Silat Al Harithiya and Al 'Araqa and patrolled the area until 11:30. 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. Raids: (i) At 01:25, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Ath Thaghra village. (ii) At 02:15, the Israeli army raided the city of Tubas and patrolled the area until 02:40.
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 10:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the neighborhood of Irtah in Tulkarm city and the village of Far'un. At 23:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of Far'un. At 01:50, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the neighborhood of Shuweika in the city of Tulkarm. Demonstration: At 11:30, a sit in demonstration by families of political prisoners took place opposite the ICRC in the city of Tulkarm in solidarity with their children in Israeli jails and demanding their release. 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:

- (i) At 07:30 on 29 June 2010, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction leading to the village of Jit and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (ii) At 08:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Azzun and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (iii) At 16:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Jinsafut and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (iv) At 17:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the village of Kafr Laqif and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (v) At 18:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the villages of Hajja and Al Funduq and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (vi) At 21:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the entrance to the town of Azzun (on Qalqiliya Nablus main road) and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (vii) At 22:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the village of Izbat At-Tabib.

• Raids:

- (i) At 10:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Azzun town.
- (ii) At 00:40, the Israeli army raided Jayyus town, searched a house and withdrew at 04:30.

• Wall Gates:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a 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.

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	 (ii) Awarta commercial checkpoint is open for civilians from 05:00 until 20:00 and on Friday from 05:00 until 15:00. • Flying Checkpoints: At 08:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the town of Asira Ash Shamaliya and the village of Talluza. (ii) At 09:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the town of Asira Ash Shamaliya and the village of Yasid. • Raid: At 08:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Asira Ash Shamaliya, searched a house and 2 farms for raising poultry and confiscated an M-16 rifle, ammunition, military backpacks and a helmet. Again at 20:35, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the area. • Settler Violence: At 22:00, a group of Israeli settlers from the settlement of Shavi Shomron gained access to the area located between the villages of Burqa and Sebastia and hurled stones towards the guards at a water well in Sebastia village.
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. 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. Raids: At 09:30, the Israeli army raided the town of Kifl Hares and detained 2 civilians while patrolling the area and released them at a later time At 10:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Deir Istiya. Again at 07:00 on 30 June 2010, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the area. At 01:20, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Az Zawiya until 02:10. 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.

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. The Israeli army continues to prevent civilian access to an area that (ii) is located in the cities of Beit Sahur and Bethlehem. Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the roads of Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmad, the sideway east of **BETHLEHEM** Beit Fajjar town and the agricultural road that is located between the town of Taqu'a and the village of Khirbet Al Baq'a. Flying Checkpoint: At 15:00, 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. Wall Construction: 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 in the old city of Hebron, thereby controlling civilian access in the area. (ii) Having evacuated civilian residents and denied civilian access, the Israeli army continues to close the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. **HEBRON Closure of Main Roads:** The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the following (i) 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 travelling along Ash Shalala Old Street in the old city of Hebron. The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road (iii) between the villages of Al Karmil and At Tuwani and all roads leading to bypass Road # 60. The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades an entrance to (iv)

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 10:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Idhna and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (ii) At 11:55, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the overpass leading to Halhul town and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 11:15, the Israeli army raided Hebron city, searched a number of houses, set up a flying checkpoint, served summons to a number of civilians to report to the Israeli Intelligence agency and patrolled the area.
- (ii) At 12:30, the Israeli army raided the town of Surif where confrontations took place with civilians while patrolling the area.
- (iii) At 12:50, the Israeli army raided the town of Ash Shuyukh and searched 2 houses.
- (iv) At 13:00, the Israeli army raided the village of Al Burj and served notices for demolishing houses belonging to the civilians: Ziyad Issa At-Talahmah and his brother Hussein; Saleh Muhammad Hussein At-Talahmah; and Nidal Basem Jbarah At-Talahmah.
- (v) At 18:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Halhul.
- (vi) At 03:30, the Israeli army raided Al Arrub refugee camp and arrested a child.

• Arrests:

- (i) In the evening of 28 June 2010, the Israeli army arrested at the entrance to the area of Al Fahs, south of Hebron city, the civilian Firas Awad Zawahrah.
- (ii) The Israeli army arrested in Al Arrub refugee camp Qusay Hasan Ash Shareef, 17-year-old.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: At 19:40, a group of Israeli settlers gained access to the previously evacuated military camp of Al Majnouna, that is located near the village of At Tarama, and withdrew at 21:00.
- <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

specified period. ALL **DISTRICTS Attacks:** (i) **NORTHERN GAZA** (ii)

- At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the Israeli army declared a unilateral ceasefire. In the meantime, armed Palestinian groups declared a one-week-long ceasefire. Meanwhile, the ceasefire was extended until 05 February 2009. The ceasefire is holding despite the end of the specified period.
- The Israeli army violated the ceasefire by raiding Palestinian territory, opening fire intensively in Northern Gaza, Khan Yunis and Rafah districts and opening fire intensively and firing 2 tank shells from its locations on the Green Line in the districts of Northern Gaza and Khan Yunis. Israeli navy boats also opened machine gunfire towards Palestinian fishing boats at sea in the districts of Northern Gaza and Khan Yunis injuring a civilian in Northern Gaza district.
- Armed Palestinian groups breached the ceasefire by firing 3 mortars towards the Green Line.

• <u>Closure of Crossing Point</u>: Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is partially open for previously coordinated humanitarian cases and foreign nationals.

- Raid: In the morning of 29 June 2010, the Israeli army, including a number of armored vehicles and bulldozers covered by reconnaissance aircrafts, raided the area of Abu Samra that is located northwest of Beit Lahiya town and opened fire intensively towards agricultural land while leveling an area of land.
- (i) In the afternoon of 29 June 2010, Israeli navy boats opened machine gunfire intensively towards Palestinian fishing boats at sea opposite As-Sudaniya area beach, west of Beit Lahiya town.
- (ii) In the evening of 29 June 2010, the Israeli army opened fire intensively and fired 2 tank shells from its locations on the Green Line towards Palestinian territory east of Al Maqbarah Ash Sharqiya, that is located east of Jabalya town, injuring a civilian.

• Palestinian Attacks:

- (i) At 09:55, 2 mortars were fired towards the periphery of Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing on the Green Line.
- (ii) At 04:00, 1 mortar was fired towards the Green Line.

• 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.
- <u>Attack</u>: In the afternoon of 29 June 2010, the Israeli army opened fire intensively from its locations on the Green Line towards Palestinian territory northeast of Al-Shuja'iya neighborhood located east of Gaza city.

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CENTRAL GAZA	Activities not reported.
KHAN YOUNIS	 Raid: In the morning of 29 June 2010, the Israeli army, including a number of armored vehicles and bulldozers covered by reconnaissance aircrafts, raided northeast of Al Qarara town and opened fire intensively towards agricultural land while leveling an area of land. Attack: In the afternoon of 29 June 2010, Israeli navy boats opened machine gunfire intensively towards Palestinian fishing boats at sea opposite Khan Yunis city beach.
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al Awdah) Crossing is open. It allowed the departure of civilian patients, students and visa holders, and the entry of 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 and cooking gas. Raid: In the morning of 29 June 2010, the Israeli army, including a number of armored vehicles and bulldozers covered by reconnaissance aircrafts, raided an area located east of An Nahda neighborhood that is located east of Rafah city and opened fire intensively towards agricultural land while leveling an area of land.

GENERAL

POLITICAL PRISONERS	• <u>Prison Sentence</u> : The Israeli military court at Ofer Military Camp sentenced political prisoner Nayef Ahmad Salem 'Ebayyat from Bethlehem city to 2 life imprisonments and additional 25 years in prison.
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