

## مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



## PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00,4<sup>th</sup> March 2015 – 08:00,5<sup>th</sup> March 2015

## SUMMARY OF EVENTS

Injury	—	2	2	2 fishermen were injured by Israeli Naval fire off the shores of North Gaza.
Physical Assault	1	—	1	A resident was assaulted by Israeli forces in Jericho.
Raids	8	—	8	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Jericho and 1 in Hebron.
Detention	8	4	12	2 in Jerusalem, 5 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Hebron, and 4 in North Gaza including a child, a woman and 4 fishermen off the shores of Gaza.
Temporary Detention	7	—	7	At checkpoints and residential areas including a Security Force officer.
Closure of Checkpoints	4	—	4	Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	14	—	14	3 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqiliya, 2 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho and 4 in Hebron.
Attack	2	3	5	2 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents, 1 from Military Post and 2 from Naval vessels.
Home Demolition	4	—	4	Israeli forces demolished 4 residential tents in Jericho.
Destruction of Property	2	1	3	Israeli settlers set fire to 2 vehicles in Ramallah and Israeli Naval vessels damaged a Naval vessel off the shores of North Gaza.
Confiscation of Property	—	1	1	Israeli forces confiscated a fishing boat off the shores of North Gaza.
Closure (per District)	10	—	10	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem and 6 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	69	—	69	Including 1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 3 in Jenin, 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqiliya, 5 in Nablus, 5 in Salfit, 24 in Bethlehem and 23 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	5	5	Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.
Assault on Places of Worship	1	—	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshippers
Settler Violence	2	—	2	Israeli settlers set fire to 2 vehicles in Ramallah and stoned residents and vehicles in Nablus.
Total	132	16	148	

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<p><b>JERUSALEM</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army, intensified their restrictions at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers under the age of 40 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound.</li> <li>(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.</li> <li>(iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Ikksa villages.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba’ village.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Ikksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoints:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) 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.</li> <li>(ii) On September 19<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu’fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 08:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Ram junction.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raids:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 14:45, Israeli forces raided Bir Nabala.</li> <li>(ii) At 02:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Eizariya then stormed and searched a home.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) On the evening of March 4<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli forces detained Amal Al-Shawish (A resident of Jerusalem) as she was visiting her husband who is detained in Israeli prisons in the Naqab desert.</li> <li>(ii) At 19:00, Israeli forces positioned in Shu’fat neighbourhood detained Tariq Al-Bakhari.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u></b> At 09:00 , a group of Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound and provoked worshipers.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town.</li> <li>(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-Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
<p><b>RAMALLAH &amp; AL BIREH</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli Military continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafir Malik and ‘Ein Samiya villages.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 15:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Um Safa village, detained a resident then withdrew at 16:00.</li> </ul>

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Attack:</u></b> At 18:30, Israeli forces positioned near Turmus'aya junction fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and detained a resident.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 23:35, Israeli forces positioned near "Aterit" settlement detained two residents: Abdel-Rahman Al-Shalabi and Mohammad Al-Nubani.</li> <li>(ii) At 24:00, Israeli forces detained the child Rami Hamdan (17 years old) {A resident of Um Safa} near Deir Al-Sudan village.</li> <li>(iii) Israeli forces detained Jawdat Mazahim in Um Safa village.</li> <li>(iv) Israeli forces detained Immad Al-Shalabi in Turmus'aya.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Settler Violence:</u></b> At dawn on March 5<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli settlers stormed Al-Mughier village and set fire to two vehicles and spray painted racist graffiti.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>JENIN</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Road:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.</li> <li>(ii) Since the evening of November 25<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> Israeli forces continue too close the wall gate and only allow those holding special permits to enter through it.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>TUBAS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 07:00 on March 4<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli forces raided Tayasir village and summoned Ghassan Sabih to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>TULKAREM</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Checkpoint:</u></b> At 13:30, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic until 16:15.</li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> At 14:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Lid until 16:15.</li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 00:15, Israeli forces raided Attil until 01:30.</li> </ul>
<p style="text-align: center;"><b>QALQILIYA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Roads:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town.</li> <li>(ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village.</li> <li>(iii) Since 16:55 on December 18<sup>th</sup> 2014, Israeli forces closed an agricultural road leading to Far'ata village, which is located near "Gillad" settlement with dirt mounds.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 13:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Jit village junction, temporarily detained Tamer Yassin (an intelligent officer) then released him later.</li> <li>(ii) At 20:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east entrance of Qalqiliya until 22:00.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At 14:40, Israeli forces raided Jit village (for the allaged gun fire towards an Israeli military vehicle near the village), stormed and searched four homes in Azzun then withdrew vat 15:40.</li> <li>• <b><u>Wall Gates:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and impeded the free flow of traffic. The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Al- Rasha and to</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>deny civilian access.</p> <p>(ii) 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.</p>
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> Since December 17<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area.</li> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Til-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.</li> <li>(ii) 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.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Checkpoint:</b> Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Huwara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 13:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf junction until 15:15.</li> <li>(ii) At 13:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near “Yitsahar” settlement junction located in north Huwara until 15:30.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Settler Violence:</b> At 11:50, a group of Israeli settlers positioned near the bypass road leading to “Alon Moriya” settlement stoned residents and vehicles passing along the road.</li> </ul>
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure of Main Roads:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.</li> <li>(ii) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city to civilian, which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from 08:00 until 09:20.</li> <li>(iii) Since 11:00 on July 30<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama’ located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za’tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> </ul>
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Checkpoints:</b> Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.</li> <li>• <b>Flying Checkpoint:</b> At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho.</li> <li>• <b>Raid:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 06:00 on March 4<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli forces raided Khirbeit Ein Korziliya, which is located near Al-Jiftlik village, stormed four residentsail tents and a barracks owned by: Zuhier Zahi, Bani Mina, Yusef Bani Mina and Saleh Bani Mina for allegedly being built without a licence.</li> <li>(ii) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Jericho, clashed with several residents as they stormed and searched several homes and assaulted Khader Abu Al-Hawa and summoned Naderv Abu Al-Hawa to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 04:50.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b>Closure:</b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu’mān village, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the</li> </ul> </li> </ul>

	<p>village.</p> <p>(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israel army has prevented civilians from accessing or staying on 22 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b></li> </ul> <p>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road between Um Tuba and Al-Jass ; a road between Um Tuba and Khilat Nu'man: a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and the wall; the 2 by pass roads located south of Al-Walaja; a road between Talita Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road between Al-Khader and Beit Jala ; Wadi Rahal road near "Ifrat" settlement ,the road between Al-Khader and road #60 which lead to the eastern neighbourhoods of Bethlehem; a road leading to Wadi Rahal, and a road east of Beit Fajjar town with dirt mounds.</p> <p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks.</p> <p>(iii) Since August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.</p> <p>(iv) Since May 8<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires.</p> <p>(v) Since June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds.</p> <p>(vi) Since 13:20 on September 29<sup>th</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds.</p> <p>(vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.</p> <p>(viii) On January 28<sup>th</sup> 2014, Israeli forces closed the steel gate at the entrance of Nihalin { replacing the dirt mounds placed at the entrance since the year 2002} and placed time schedule for opening the gate from 06:00 until 14:00 on a daily bases.</p>
<p><b>HEBRON</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure:</u></b></li> </ul> <p>(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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Main Roads:</u></b></li> </ul> <p>(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.</p> <p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.</p> <p>(v) Since July 25<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat</p>

	<p>and closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Flying Checkpoint:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 16:30 and again at 19:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Halhul Bridge until 20:00.</li> <li>(ii) At 17:40 and again at 21:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Sa'ir until 22:30.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Raid:</u></b> At dawn on March 5<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli forces raided Safa village located in North Beit Ummar, stormed and searched several homes and detained a resident.</li> <li>• <b><u>Detention:</u></b> Israeli forces detained Yasser Khalil during their raid into Safa village located in North Beit Ummar.</li> </ul>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>ALL DISTRICTS</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• At 19:00 on August 26<sup>th</sup> 2014, Palestinian Gunmen and the Israeli military agreed to a cease fire agreement (brokered by the Arab Republic of Egypt) which includes the opening of border crossings to allow the entry of emergency supplies and humanitarian goods as well as construction material and agreed to increase the fishing limit to 6 nautical miles with possibility of increase to 12 nautical miles by the end of the year and to decrease the Military area to 100 meters, allow freedom of movement and a halt to targeted killings and assassinations and negotiations will be held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month.</li> <li>• Israeli Military Forces broke the ceasefire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards Gaza.</li> <li>• Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza and as a result injured two fishermen.</li> </ul>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>NORTHERN GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u></b> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.</li> <li>• <b><u>Attack:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) At 08:30 on March 4<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Al-Sudaniya beach located in West Beit Lahiya.</li> <li>(ii) On the morning of March 5<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Al-Sudaniya beach located in West Beit Lahiya and as a result injured 2 fishermen: Eid Baker and Ziyad Baker and also damaged a fishing boat and also detained 4 fishermen as well as confiscating a fishing boat owned by Mohammad Zidan.</li> <li>(iii) <b><u>Detention:</u></b> Israeli forces detained four fishermen: Mohammad Zidan, Rami Zidan, Mohammad Al-Najjar and Mohammad Hassouneh off the shores of Al-Sudaniya beach located in West Beit Lahiya.</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
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<p style="text-align: center;"><b>GAZA</b></p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u></b> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> <li>(i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> <li>(ii) Al-Shija'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> </li> <li>• <b><u>Attack:</u></b> On the morning of March 5<sup>th</sup> 2015, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line fired stun and smoke grenades towards several farmers in Al-Zaytouneh neighbourhood located in south east Gaza.</li> </ul>
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<b>RAFAH</b>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>• <b><u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u></b><ul style="list-style-type: none"><li>(i) Yasser ‘Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li><li>(ii) Rafah (<i>Al ‘Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed.</li><li>(iii) Sufa Crossing is closed.</li><li>(iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.</li></ul></li></ul>
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