

مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 6 March 2004 – 08:00 7 March 2004

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Deaths	—	14	14	Incl. 4 children
Injuries	—	71	71	Several in critical condition
Incursions	—	1	1	Bureij & Al Nuseirat camps
Attacks	6	2	8	
Raids	33	—	33	
Arrests (per person)	13	—	13	Incl. child, attorney, Nat. Sec.
Detentions	1	—	1	Incl. 100s of civilians
Land Confiscation	3	—	3	1000 <i>dunums</i> for settlement
Property Occupation	3	—	3	Incl. Al Khaduri Agri. College
Curfews	6	—	6	
Checkpoints	All	—	All	
Flying Checkpoint	16	—	16	
Closures (per District)	All	All	All	Total closure
Closure of Main Roads	Almost All	(5)	Most	Esp. roads connecting districts
Closure of Wall Gates	All	—	All	Permits required to cross
Closure of Crossing Points	—	3	3	
Settler Violence	1	—	1	Attempted land confiscation
Demonstration	1	—	1	Solidarity with prisoners
TOTAL	80	91	171	

DISTRICT	EVENT
<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: For the 3rd consecutive day, all districts of the West Bank are completely closed. Civilians, including workers, are prohibited from travelling between districts and from entering Jerusalem or the Gaza Strip. Workers are prohibited from crossing the Green Line or entering the industrial areas.

WEST BANK

<p style="text-align: center;">JERUSALEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: The Israeli army raided Dahiyat Al Barred and Dahiyat Al Ram. • Separation Wall Construction: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Construction of the separation wall continues in Al Eizariya, Abu Dis, Al Sawahira and Sur Bahir. (ii) Preparatory work, including land levelling, for construction of the separation wall in Beit Surik and Qatanna remains suspended by order of the Israeli Supreme Court.
<p style="text-align: center;">RAMALLAH & EL BIREH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separation Wall Construction: Construction of the western portion of the separation wall continues in Budrus, Rantis, Beit Liqya, near Beituniya and near the village of Midya. • Raids: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 16:55, Israeli Special Forces raided the cities of Ramallah and El Bireh and arrested 2 civilians. (ii) At 18:30, the Israeli army withdrew from the cities of Ramallah and El Bireh, after surrounding the headquarters of President Yasser Arafat, and arrested 2 member of the Palestinian National Security. (iii) At 18:45, the Israeli army raided the town of Beituniya and arrested a civilian. (iv) At 20:15, an Israeli army jeep raided the town of Deir Ghassana and the village of Kafr 'Ein. (v) 01:50, 2 Israeli army jeeps and Israeli Special Forces in civilian vehicles raided the village of Kafr 'Ein and searched a house. (vi) At 02:20, an Israeli army jeep raided the villages of Arura and Mazari' an Nubani. (vii) The Israeli army raided the village of Deir Ammar, searched 2 houses and arrested 2 civilians. • Flying Checkpoints: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the Atara

	<p>bridge and obstructed traffic movement.</p> <p>(ii) At 09:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of the village of An Nabi Salih and closed the road between Ramallah and the northern and western villages.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrests: The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians from Ramallah city: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Muhammad Rashad; and (ii) Zuheir Abu Al Jidyan. <p>The Israeli army arrested 1 civilian from the town Beituniya:</p> <p>(iii) Muhammad Sharif.</p> <p>The Israeli army arrested 3 civilians at the checkpoint near the junction of 'Ein Arik:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (iv) Said Asi; (v) Khaled Asi; and (vi) Salih Magharba. <p>The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians from the village of Deir Ammar:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (vii) Nabil Al Owda; and (viii) Hisham Owda.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Separation Wall Gates: Passage through the separation wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. The closure continues to negatively impact education, economic and livelihood activities and impede access to health facilities. • Separation Wall Construction: Construction of the separation wall continues south of Jalbun towards Al Mutilla, 'Ein al Beida and towards the Jordan River. • Land Confiscation: The Israeli army issued confiscation orders for thousands of <i>dunums</i> of land belonging to the towns of Al Yamun and Silat Al Harithiya and the village of Al 'Araqa, in preparation for the expansion of the industrial area near the settlement of Shacked. • Flying Checkpoints: The Israeli army set up 2 flying checkpoints near the southern entrance to the city, another at the entrance to the town of Kafr Ra'i and prevented civilians from entering the area.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Activities not yet reported.

<p>BETHLEHEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:10, the Israeli army raided the town of Al Ubeidiya. (ii) At 01:30, 7 Israeli army jeeps raided the city of Bethlehem and arrested a child. (iii) The Israeli army raided the village of Husan and arrested an attorney. • <u>Arrests:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army arrested Haitham Khalif, 17 years old, from the city. (ii) The Israeli army arrested Izzidin Al Hamara from the village of Husan. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 13:10, a demonstration took place in the city of Bethlehem in solidarity with political prisoners and detainees. The demonstration began at the Red Crescent Society and ended in front of the Church of the Nativity.
<p>TULKAREM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Separation Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the separation wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. The closure continues to negatively impact education, economic and livelihood activities and impede access to health facilities. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 07:15, 08:25, 09:05, 09:20, 6 Israeli jeeps raided the city of Tulkarem and opened indiscriminate fire. At 16:50, an Israeli army personnel carrier opened fire at civilians. At 21:00 and 23:15, all Israeli jeeps withdrew under the protection of Israeli helicopters. (ii) At 08:50, the Israeli army raided Tulkarem refugee camp. At 17:10, the Israeli army raided Tulkarem refugee camp, opened fire and fired sound bombs at civilians. (iii) At 17:30, the Israeli army took position at the entrance to Nur Shams refugee camp and detained a child. (iv) At 17:50 and 18:30, the Israeli army raided the village of Beit Lid. (v) At 20:00, an Israeli army jeep raided the town of Bal'a, prevented civilians from moving inside the town and tore up the ID's of 3 civilians. (vi) At 20:35, an Israeli jeep raided the village of Kafr al Labad and provoked civilians into confrontations. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 07:20, an Israeli jeep took position in the centre of the city and paralyzed traffic movement. (ii) At 08:00 and 13:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of Al Jarushiya and prevented traffic movement. (iii) At 08:15 and 15:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint east of Bal'a and another in Dahiyat Shuweika, both preventing civilians from travelling. (iv) At 12:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the junction of

	<p>the town of Baqa ash Sharqiya and searched vehicles.</p> <p>(v) At 17:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the northern entrance to the city.</p> <p>(vi) At 02:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint between the towns of Bal'a and Anabta, stopping traffic. The Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint east of Dahiyat Dhinnaba and opened indiscriminate fire.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Occupation of Private Property:</u> The Israeli army raided and occupied a house in Dahiyat Dhinnaba, a building behind the public hospital and the building of the Al Khaduri for Agricultural College. • <u>Arrest:</u> The Israeli army arrested Muayyad Nasrallah from Nur Shams refugee camp.
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> The Israeli army raided the village of Burqa, opened fire and fired sound bombs at civilians. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> The Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the Nablus/Ramallah road near the village of Al Laban ash Sharqi and detained hundreds of civilians.
HEBRON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> The Israeli army raided the town of Idhna and imposed curfew. • <u>Curfew:</u> For the 4th consecutive day, the Israeli army continues to impose curfew over the town of Beit Ummar and Al Arrub refugee camp. • <u>Land Confiscation:</u> The Israeli army confiscated 400 m² from the land of the town of Beit Ummar, adjacent to the main road belonging to Al Awqaf Ministry. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> Settlers tried to confiscate 60 <i>dunums</i> (15 acres) of land located near the settlement of Karmel.
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Separation Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the separation wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. The closure continues to negatively impact education, economic and livelihood activities and impede access to health facilities. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> The Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the eastern (and only) entrance to the city and searched vehicles.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raids:</u> <p>(i) At 19:30, the Israeli army raided the villages of Marda and Zeita, opened fire, fired sound bombs and imposed curfew.</p> <p>(ii) At 20:40, 3 Israeli jeeps raided the town of Jamma'in and imposed curfew.</p> • <u>Land Confiscation:</u> The Israeli army issued confiscation orders for 1000

	<p><i>dunums</i> (250 acres) of land located behind the separation wall, belonging to the residents of Mas-ha. The Israeli army began levelling the land for the expansion of the settlement of Elqana.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attack: At 22:30, an Israeli tank opened fire sporadically from its location at Tel Irsal towards Wadi Abdul Rahman until dawn.
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GAZA STRIP

NORTHERN GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: The Erez crossing was closed. • Attack: At 08:35, the Israeli army opened intensive fire towards Palestinian territory near the town of Beit Hanoun injuring 1 civilian.
GAZA CITY	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: The junction of Nitsareem remains closed.
CENTRAL GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Incursion: At 03:30, the Israeli army, including helicopters, raided the refugee camps of Al Bureij and Al Nuseirat, opened intensive fire towards civilian houses killing 14 civilians, including 4 children, in addition to injuring 70 others. The Israeli army continues its series of raids as of 08:00 this morning. • Deaths: The Israeli army killed 14 civilians, including 4 children: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Yunis Abdallah Yunis; (ii) Muhammad Badawi; (iii) Muhammad Al Shatti; (iv) Muhammad Ruzeiq; (v) Omar Al Jumal; (vi) Khaled Al Daqqi;; (vii) Hazim Aqil; (viii) Ahamd Harb; (ix) Musa Hamu; (x) Faris Al Hawajiri; (xi) Shadi Al Sueidni; (xii) Hasan Zahd; and (xiii) Yusif Al Sinwar.
KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closures: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Abu al Ajin road (Khan Yunis Al Sharqiya) remains closed. (ii) Western road (Khan Yunis) remains closed. (iii) Al Mawasi/Khan Yunis road (Al Tuffah checkpoint) was open to pedestrians only.

	(iv) Abu Holi road was partially open.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Closures:(i) The Gaza International Airport remains closed.(ii) Sufa crossing is closed.