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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 6th March 2014 – 08:00, 7th March 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Physical Assault	2	_	2	Israeli forces assaulted and injured a resident as they detained him in Jerusalem and assaulted another in Hebron.
Raids	16	_	16	3 in Jerusalem,2 in Ramallah,1 in Tubas,4 in Nablus,2 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Temporary Detention	11	_	11	At checkpoints and residential areas including 4 children.
Detention	16	4	20	8 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah,1 in Tulkarem, ,2 in Jericho, 3 in Bethlehem,1 in Hebron and 4 in North Gaza including 2 attorneys, a resident at Allenby bridge and 4 residents as they attempted to climb the border fence in into Israel
Closure of Checkpoints	6	_	6	1 checkpoint closed, Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	11		11	2 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah,1 in Qalqiliya,2 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Jericho and 1 in Bethlehem.
Attack	3	_	3	During confrontations between Israeli forces and residents
Confiscation of Property	7	_	7	Israeli forces confiscated a computer, several files for lawyers after storming and searching his home and confiscated 4 computers and several surveillance tapes for an association in Jerusalem.
Assault on Property	1	_	1	Israeli forces discontinued broadcast for several radio stations in Hebron for allegedly interference with Israeli Radio station frequency
Land Levelling	2	_	2	Israeli forces levelled a plot of land in Al-Fasayil village in Jericho and another plot of land in Irtas village in Bethlehem
Wall Construction	14	_	14	4 in Jerusalem. 3 in Ramallah, 4 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	9	_	9	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	73	_	37	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.

Closure of Crossings		5	5	Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination and Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination, diesel fuel, construction material for Internationally funded projects.
Assault on Places of Worship	1	_	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem.
Settler Violence	3	_	3	Israeli settlers assaulted 3 residents in Al-Mughier village in Ramallah, Levelled several plots of land in Nablus and stormed Hebron.
Total	175	9	184	

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• Closure:

- (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 50 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound.
- (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 with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint.

• Checkpoints:

- (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 and impeded the free flow of traffic.
- (ii) On September 19th 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall.

• Raid:

(i) At 18:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Eisawiya village, stormed the home of ex-detainee Samer Al-Eisawi, detained 2 residents including an attorney and summoned another to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning and again at 20:30, clashed with several residents and detained 2 residents.

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(ii) At 19:15, Israeli forces raided Qutna village, temporarily detained Omar Eliyan (12 years old) then released him at 05:00.

• Detention:

- (i) At 04:15 on March 6th 2014, Israeli forces detained Lu'ay Abdel Jawad during their raid into Anata.
- (ii) On March 6th 2014, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Hussan after assaulting him in Jerusalem.
- (iii) On March 6th 2014, Israeli forces detained Amjad Al-Safadi (An Attorney) as he was visiting a Palestinian Detainee in "Haradim" prison and Israeli forces stormed his home in the old city of Jerusalem and confiscated a computer and several personal files.
- (iv) At 22:00, Israeli forces detained Tawfiq Abu Sneneh in Al-Thouri neighbourhood in Jerusalem.
- (v) Israeli forces detained 4 residents: Shirin Al-Eisawi (An Attorney), Shadi Al-Eisawi, Amar Oday and Fadi Obeid in Al-Isawiya
- <u>Confiscation of Property:</u> At 18:30, Israeli forces stormed an Association located on Salah Al-Din road in the old city of Jerusalem and confiscated 4 computers and surveillance tapes after temporarily detaining several residents then released them after questioning.
- <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> At 09:00, Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and temporarily detained several worshipers inside the mosque.

• 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-Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed 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.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.
- (ii) Since September 3rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the north east entrance of Al-Mughier village with dirt mounds.
- (iii) Since 00:20 on March 4th 2014, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Al-Jalazun camp and Bet El settlement with cement blocks.
- (iv) At 21:45, Israeli forces closed Al-Makakma checkpoint located near Bet El in North of Al-Bireh then reopened it at a later time.
- **Flying Checkpoint:** At 00:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ras Karkar village.

• Raid:

- (i) At 14:30, Israeli forces raided Deir Nathim village.
- (ii) At 01:15, Israeli forces raided Bir Zeit, stormed and searched a home then withdrew at 02:25.
- <u>Detention:</u> At 03:50 on March 6th 2014, Israeli forces detained Basel Assi during their raid into Beit Liqya.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 08:45, Israeli settlers stormed Al-Mughier village, assaulted 3 residents: Thiyab Na'san, Assad Na'ssan and Haytham Mohammad leaving them hospitalised with contusions.
- Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area west of 'Abud

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	town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al- Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages.
JENIN	 Closure of Main Road: (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. (ii) Since the evening of November 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the western entrance of Ya'bad. 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	Raid: At 18:00, Israeli forces raided Bardala village.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. Checkpoint: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic. Detention: At 11:40, Israeli forces detained Abed Abu Shanab in Khirbeit Al-Jabra village. 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.
QALQILIYA	 Closure of Roads: Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town. 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. Flying Checkpoint: At 13:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Azzun and Al-Nabi Elisa's village. Wall Gates: 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 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. Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Immanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma 'ale Shomron settlement. Closure: Since December 17th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area. Closure of Main Roads: 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.

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NABLUS	(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.
	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 19:25, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Huwara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 21:05
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Burin village until 09:40.
	(ii) At 19:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Labban Al-Sharqiya village junction until 20:35.
	 Raid: At 10:35, Israeli forces raided Beit Dajjan village until 11:30. At 14:35, Israeli forces raided Madama village.
	(iii) At 18:00, Israeli forces raided Qusara village until 18:30.
	(iv) At 23:00, Israeli forces raided Beita, clashed with several residents then withdrew at 23:15
	• <u>Settler Violence:</u> On the morning of March 6 th 2014, Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces levelled plots of land owned by Al-Masri family in Beit
	Husan village in an attempt to confiscate it.
	• <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.
	(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.
	(iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to
SALFIT	Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with
	cement blocks. Checkmoints Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at 7e'ters Al
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara Alcheckpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 10:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east
	entrance of Yassuf village until 12:00.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya
	town southeast of the illegal settlement.
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	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 08:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 12:00.
	(ii) At 10:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Ein Dweik village located
	in north Jericho until 11:00
JERICHO	(iii) At 16:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road (90) near Nu'emeh village located on the north entrance of Jericho.
	• <u>Detention:</u> (i) On March 6 th 2014, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby Bridge detained
	Mervat Al-Qumi, a resident of Al-Fuwar camp in Hebron as she was
	returning from Jordan.
	(ii) At 01:05 on March 6 th 2014, Israeli forces detained Amar Jahalin during
	their raid into Jiftlik village.
	• Land Levelling: At 12:00, Israeli forces stormed Fasayil village and levelled a
BETHLEHEM	plot of land near an Islamic cemetery located near "Nivit" settlement.
DEINLEHEN	• <u>Closure:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the
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- 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 dunumes of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (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.
- (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.
- (iii) Since August 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
- (iv) Since May 8th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires.
- (v) Since June 3rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds.
- (vi) Since 13:20 on September 29th 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds.
- (vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.
- (viii) On January 28th 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.
- <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Dar Salah village located at the east entrance of Beit Sahur until 10:00.

• <u>Raid:</u>

- (i) At 01:45, Israeli forces raided Bethlehem, detained 2 residents then withdrew at 04:55.
- (ii) At 06:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Sahur, stormed 2 homes, detained a resident and summoned Khaled Awad to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.

• <u>Detention:</u>

- (i) Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Jafar Al-Arouj and Munir Al-Tama'ra in Bethlehem.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Fo'ad Zablah in Beit Sahur.
- <u>Land Levelling</u>: On the morning of March 6th 2014, Israeli forces stormed Irtas village and levelled a plot of land owned by Abu Sayi Family.

• Wall Construction:

- (i) Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala town.
- (ii)On May $1^{\rm st}$ 2103, an Israeli court ordered the halt of wall construction near Betar village.
- (iii) On July 21st 2013, Israeli courts ordered the halt of construction of the wall in Al-Carmisan area in the west area of Beit Jalla.

• 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.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (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 e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.
- (v) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.
- (vi) Since December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.
- (vii) Since 09:45 on September 23rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the main road leading to "Haji" settlement and impeded the free flow of traffic

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Raid:

- (i) At 16:00 and again at 22:45, Israeli forces raided Hebron.
- (ii) At 18:50, Israeli forces raided Halhul.
- (iii) At 02:25, Israeli forces raided Dura, stormed and searched a home and summoned Mohammad Amro to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 17:20, Israeli forces positioned in the old city of Hebron temporarily detained 3 children: Taha Al-Atrash (9 years old), Ahmad Al-Atrash (12 years old) and Mohammad Al-Atrash (14 years old).
- Attack: At 17:30, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Tabaqa village junction fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning.
- Assault on Property: At 15:00, Israeli forces closed down broadcast of several local radio stations {Al-Rif, Al-Watan} in Hebron for allegedly interfering with several Israeli station frequencies.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: At 18:30, Israeli settlers stormed east Yatta under the protection of Israeli forces and assaulted a sheppard leaving him hospitalised with contusions during which Israeli forces detained him.
- **Detention:** Israeli forces detained Anan Al-Najjar in east Yatta.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town.

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- At 21:00 on November 21st 2012, 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.
- On November 14th 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24th 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21st 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles.

NORTHERN GAZA	 <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.
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.
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for tourists, residents, and students. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination, diesel fuel, truckloads of construction material for Internationally funded projects and UNRWA.