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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 8th March 2014 – 08:00, 9th March 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	1	_	1	A child was injured after being ran over by an Israeli military vehicle in Hebron
Physical Assault	1	_	1	A resident was assaulted and injured after being struck by a tear gas grenade canister in Jenin
Raids	21	_	21	2 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah,2 in Jenin,3 in Qalqiliya,4 in Nablus,1 in Jericho,4 in Bethlehem and.2 in Hebron.
Temporary Detention	14	_	14	At checkpoints and residential areas including 3 children, 3 Security force officers and a Palestine Television crew.
Detention	12	_	12	3 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah,1 in Qalqiliya, 2 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit and 3 in Bethlehem including a child and an attorney.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	_	5	1 checkpoint closed Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	20	_	20	2 in Jerusalem,2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin,1 in Tulkarem 6 in Nablus,3 in Salfit,2 in Jericho,1 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron.
Attack	5	1	6	during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents and 1 from Naval Vessel
Destruction of Property	1	_	1	Israeli settlers chopped down the limbs of several Olive trees in Hebron.
Assault on Property	*	_	_	*.Israeli forces served halt to construction orders for 2 homes in Hebron
Land Levelling	1	_	1	Israeli forces levelled 2 plots of land in Al-Khadr in Bethlehem
Wall Construction	_	_	_	Wall construction was halted for Sabbath holiday.
Closure (per District)	9	_	9	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	73	_	73	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	7	7	All border crossings are closed.
Settler Violence	4	_	4	Israeli settlers assaulted Sheppard's in Nablus, placed

				barbed wire fence around 500 dunumes of land in Bethlehem, chopped down Olive tree limbs in Beit Ummar and launched fire works toward resident and home in Hebron
Demonstration	3		3	Protesting calling for the end of the Israel Occupation of Jerusalem and in solidarity with Palestinian detainees
Total	170	8	178	

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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 dawn on March 8th 2014, Israeli forces raided Abu Dis.
- (ii) At dawn on March 8th 2014, Israeli forces raided Al-Isawiya village, stormed a home and detained an attorney.

• Detention:

- (i) At dawn on March 9th 2014, Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Moath Al-Shiekhawi and Muntaser Al-Shiekhawi after storming their home in Silwan neighbourhood.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Nadim Gharibeh in Al-Isawiya.

• Demonstration:

(i) At 11:00, a demonstration took place near Qalandiya checkpoint in commemoration of International Women's Day calling for the creation of the Capital of Palestine in Jerusalem and for the freedom of travel for all citizens during which Israeli forces fired stun and tear gas grenades towards demonstrators which left several of them suffocated from tear gas

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inhalation. (ii) On the evening of March 8 th 2014, a demonstration took plac Amoud gate in the old city of Jerusalem in solidarity wit detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons.	
Wall Gates: (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Abu Dis town.	e Wall gate in
(ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through to on Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Shar Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using devices.	rqiya and Al- ing Jerusalem
Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted in the areas nor of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi west of the illegal settlement Ma 'ale Adumim for Sabbath holiday	i Al-Eizariya
• Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil v the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. (ii) Since September 3 rd 2013, Israeli forces closed the north ear Al-Mughier village with dirt mounds. (iii) Since 00:20 on March 4 th 2014, , Israeli forces closed checkpoint located near Bet El in North of Al-Bireh then real later time.	ast entrance of Al-Makakma
• Flying Checkpoint: (i) At 14:00, Israeli forces set up checkpoint near Atara bridge detained Omar Al-Khatib (17 years old), released him at a la withdrew at 17:10. AL BIREH (ii) At 22:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Bilin and	ater time then
 Raid: (i) On the evening of March 8th 2014, Israeli forces raided stormed and searched a home and, summoned Rashad Kara to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. (ii) At 23:55, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh, stormed a Gas Star surveillance tapes, clashed with several residents then withdre (iii) At 03:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Jalazun camp and detained Detention: Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Nasser Sharaqa and Mal-Jalazun camp. Wall Construction: Wall construction halted in the area west of 	ajeh to report ation, checked rew at 01:15. I 2 residents. Malik Najla in
in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north o Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages for Sabbath Holiday. • Closure of Main Road:	
 (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the rothe town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. (ii) Since the evening of November 25th 2012, Israeli force western entrance of Ya'bad. 	_
 Flying Checkpoint: At 14:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the Al-Tayibat village junction until 15:50 Raid: (i) At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Tayebat village, stormed as 	
 (i) At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Tayebat village, stormed a shop then withdrew at 14:00. (ii) At 19:45, Israeli forces raided Ya'bad, clashed with several as a result injured Ahmad Hamarsheh after being struck grenades canister then withdrew at 24:00. 	residents and
Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civi	ilians granted

	special Israeli permits, which undercuts the access to education and health services
	for civilians living behind the Wall.
TUBAS	 <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 12:55, Israeli forces positioned near "Yaqout" settlement temporarily detained a Palestine Television channel crew and several residents then released them at 13:30.
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: At 20:15, Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at "Eniv" checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus. Flying Checkpoint: At 20:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Lid until 21:15. 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. At 15:10, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Funduq and Hajja villages with dirt mounds. Raid: At 13:00, Israeli forces raided Azzun until 14:05. At 21:40, Israeli forces raided Beit Amin village, fired flash grenades into the sky as the surveyed the area. At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Qalqiliya, stormed several homes, detained a resident then withdrew at 04:45. Detention: Israeli forces detained Nimer Sharim in Qalqiliya Temporary Detention: At 16:50, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate in south Qalqiliya temporarily detained Fadi Daoud and Abdel Latif Daoud then released them at a later time. 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 was halted 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 for
	 Sabbath holiday. 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. The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the (ii) **NABLUS** southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and Qaryut. Checkpoint: At 19:20, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Huwara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 20:10. **Flying Checkpoint:** (i) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Bithan village until (ii) At 10:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf junction until 11:00. (iii) At 13:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Burga village junction, temporally detained 3 Security force officers then released them at 13:45 (iv) At 13:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the main road near Huwara until 14:00. (v) At 13:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Shave Shomron settlement until 14:15. (vi) At 15:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Dajjan village junction until 16:30. Raid: (i) At 17:10, Israeli forces raided Orif village until 17:20. (ii) At 19:45, Israeli forces raided Birin village, clashed with several residents as they stormed 5 homes and temporally detained 4 residents: Jamal Jamal, Mohammad Qaddas, Ahmad Qaddas and Omar Omran, released them at a later time then withdrew at 01:00. (iii) At 20:30, Israeli forces raided Osirin village and detained a child. (iv) At 02:35, Israeli forces raided Balata camp in Nablus, stormed a home and a barber shop and detained a resident. **Detention:** (i) Israeli forces detained Amar Miflih (14 years old) in Usirin village. (ii) Israeli forces detained Atta Hashash in Balata camp in Nablus. Temporary Detention: At 16:20, Israeli forces positioned near a checkpoint in Jabal Abil in south Nablus temporarily detained 3 residents including 2 children: Mohammad Al-Fuqiya (15 years old), Walid Arrana (17 years old) and Islam Al-Masri then released them at a later time. Settler Violence: At 13:40, Israeli settlers stormed Tel village, chased several farmers: Amran Ramadan, Muntaser Ramadan and Araf Ramadan from their agricultural lands. **Demonstration:** At 12:30, a demonstration took place near Huwara checkpoint in commemoration of International Wimens Day and in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. **Closure of Main Roads:** The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two (i) detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland. On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city (ii) to civilian which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from 08:00 until 09:20. **SALFIT** Since 11:00 on July 30th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to (iii) Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks. Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara Alcheckpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. **Flying Checkpoint:**

	(1) At 10.0% X 11.6
	(i) At 19:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Deir Ballout and
	Rafat village until 22:30. (ii) At 19:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Harris
	village until 20:55.
	(iii) At 07:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Bruqin and Qarwat
	Bani Zied.
	• Detention: At 13:40, Israeli forces positioned at Za'tara checkpoint detained Zied
	Sheikhiya, a resident of Nablus for allegedly carrying a knife.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted in the area north of Deir
	Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement for Sabbath holiday.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 09:40, Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-
	Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District
	until 13:50.
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JERICHO	(i) At 09:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho
	until 10:25.
	(ii) At 12:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the north entrance of Jericho
	until 13:45. • Raid: At 21:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Fasayil village until 21:45.
	• Closure:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the
	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
BETHLEHEM	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 Tagou and Khirbet Al-Deir with
	cement blocks.
	(iii) Since August 2 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
	(iv) Since May 8 th 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 3 rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and
	(v) Since June 3 rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds.
	(vi) Since 13:20 on September 29 th 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 28 th 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
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on a daily bases.

• **Flying Checkpoint:** On the evening of March 8th 2014, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Rashaydeh village and detained 2 residents.

• Raid:

- (i) At 23:40, Israeli forces raided Taqou', clashed with its residents then withdrew at 23:55.
- (ii) At 01:45, Israeli forces raided Bethlehem and Dar Ali village, stormed 4 homes, summoned 3 residents: Yusef Suliman, Ahmad Ali and Kamal Shawahneh to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.
- (iii) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ayda camp in Bethlehem, stormed a home and summoned Ahmad Al-Shiekh to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.

• Detention:

- (i) At 18:15, Israeli forces positioned near Jabal Al-Faradis detained Ali Abu Mahaydeh, a resident of Bethlehem.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained 2 residents: Salameh Rashaydeh and Faysal Rashaydeh in Al-Rashaydeh village.
- <u>Land Levelling:</u> On March 8th 2014, Israeli forces stormed Al-Khadr village and levelled a plot of land located near "Eliezar" settlement in an attempt to sieaze the land for settlement construction.
- <u>Settler Violence</u>: On March 8th 2014, Israeli settlers stormed Al-Kahdr and placed barbed wire fence around 500 dunmes (Acres) of land in an attempt to confiscate it

Wall Construction:

- (i) Wall construction is halted in North West of Beit Jala town for Sabbath Holiday.
- (ii)On May 1st 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

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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.

• Flying Checkpoint:

- (i) At 11:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Karmel village located in south Yatta until 12:00.
- (ii) At 20:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Kahil.

• Raid:

- (i) At 17:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar stormed a home, and summoned Ahamd Awad to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning.
- (ii) At 00:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron until 05:10
- <u>Injury:</u> At 10:50, the child Samira Awad (16 years old) was hospitalised with contusions after being ran over by an Israeli military vehicle near Sah'ab Al-Batem area in south Yatta.
- Assault on Property: On March 7th 2014, Israeli forces stormed Ithna, served 2 halt to construction orders for homes owned by Wissam Hitawi and Wassil Suliymeh for allegedly being built without licence because of it location in area C which is under Israeli military and administrative control.

• Settler Violence:

- (i) At 17:20, Israeli settlers stormed agricultural land in Wadi Abu Rish area in Beit Ummar and chopped off the limbs of several Olive trees owned by Mohammad Al-Salaibi.
- (ii) At 04:45, Israeli settlers stormed Al-Shuhada road in the old city of Hebron and launched fireworks towards several residents and homes.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction was halted in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town for Sabbath Holiday.

GAZA STRIP

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. Israeli Naval vessels broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza.

NORTHERN GAZA • Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is closed • Attack: At 20:00, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya • Closure of Crossing Points: (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. (ii) Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.

	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.
	• Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is closed.
RAFAH	Sufa Crossing is closed.Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed