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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 10th March 2013 – 08:00, 11th March 2013

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

| EVENT | WEST BANK | GAZA STRIP | TOTAL | NOTES |
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| Detention | 22 | _ | 22 | 10 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 1 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 6 in Hebron including a National Security Officer. |
| Temporary Detention | 8 | _ | 8 | At checkpoints and residential areas. |
| Raids | 21 | 1 | 22 | 2 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Nablus, 4 in Jericho 3 in Bethlehem, 4 in Hebron and 1 in Gaza. |
| Closure of Checkpoints | 6 | _ | 6 | Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 5 others. |
| Flying Checkpoints | 21 | _ | 21 | 2 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah, 3 in Qalqiliya, 7 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho and 5 in Hebron. |
| Attack | 4 | 1 | 5 | 1 during raid and 4 during confrontations. |
| Destruction of Property | 2 | _ | 2 | Israeli forces settlers destroyed 30 Olive trees in Deir Jreir in Ramallah and, stoned and damaged a vehicle in Yatta in Hebron. |
| Assault on Property | * | _ | _ | * Israeli forces served several residents in Ras Al-Hamra orders to leave their homes for a period of 24 hours on March 12 th 2013 in order to conduct training exercises in the area |
| Land Leveling | _ | 1 | 1 | Israeli forces levelled plots of land in Gaza. |
| Wall Construction | 18 | _ | 18 | 4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarm, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron |
| Closure (per District) | 8 | _ | 8 | Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Main Roads | 75 | _ | 75 | Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Crossings | _ | 4 | 4 | Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits. |

| Settler Violence | 3 | | 3 | Israeli forces settlers destroyed 30 Olive trees in Deir Jreir, stoned vehicles in Ramallah and, stoned and damaged a vehicle in Yatta in Hebron. |
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| TOTAL | 188 | 7 | 195 | |

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• Closure:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers 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 the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town.
- (iii) 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 at 16:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic until 17:00.
- (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.

• <u>Raid:</u>

- (i) At 03:00 on March 10th 2013, Israeli forces raided Anata and summoned several residents to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- (ii) At 04:00 on March 10th 2013, Israeli forces raided Al-Isawiya, stormed several homes and detained 3 residents including a child.

• Detention:

- (i) At 04:00 on March 10th 2013, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Mu'nis in Bab Al-Zahra area in the old city of Jerusalem.
- (ii) On March 10th 2013, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Farhan, Obada Al-Qawasmi, Ali Badr and Wael Al-Rajabi in Shu'fat camp.
- (iii) On March 10th 2013, Israeli forces detained Salem Abu Naab in the old city of Jerusalem.
- (iv) At 14:00, Israeli forces positioned at Shu'fat junction detained Nasri Ghanam, a resident of Shu'fat camp.

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| | (v) Israeli forces detained Lu'ay Abu Al-Humous (17 years old), Salah Dubrus and Ahmad Abu Sneienh in Al-Isawiya village. |
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| | • Wall Gates: |
| | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. |
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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 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. |
| | Wall Construction: 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. |
| | • Flying Checkpoint: At 21:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Surda village junction. |
| | • Raid: |
| | (i) At 23:00, Israeli forces raided Ein Yabrud village and clashed with its residents. |
| RAMALLAH & AL BIREH | (ii) At 01:40, Israeli forces raided Ramallah and Beituniya and detained a resident in Ramallah. |
| | • Detention: Israeli forces detained Mohammad Dahoud in Ramallah. |
| | • <u>Settler Violence:</u> |
| | (i) On March 8th 2013, Israeli settler stormed Deir Jrier village and destroyed 30 |
| | olive trees owned by Abdel Wahab Abu Hashash. |
| | (ii) At 19:00, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles passing along the main road leading to Al- |
| | Jalazun camp. Well Construction Well construction recogned in the error west of 'Abad |
| | • <u>Wall Construction</u> : Wall construction resumed in the area west of 'Abud town in the area surrounding the illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al- |
| | Lubban Al-Gharbi and Rantis villages. |
| | 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 25 th 2012, Israeli forces closed the |
| | western entrance of Ya'bad. |
| JENIN | • Raid: At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Qabatiya, stormed 5 homes and detained 2 |
| | residents including a National Security Officer. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Vasser Ikhzimiya and Mohammad Ikhzimiya in |
| | <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Yasser Ikhzimiya and Mohammad Ikhzimiya in Qabatiya. |
| | 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. |
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| | • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to |
| | the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and prevented |
| TUBAS | residents from entering the area. |
| | • <u>Assault on Property:</u> At 09:45, Israeli forces served several residents in Ras Al-Hamra orders to leave their homes for a period of 24 hours on March 12 th 2013 in |
| | order to conduct training exercises in the area. |
| | Closure of Main Roads: |
| TULKAREM | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting |
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| | 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. Checkpoints: The Israel army continues to intensify its restrictions at Einav |
| | checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. |
| | • Raid: |
| | (i) At 22:05, Israeli forces raided Zeita. |
| | (ii) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Deir Al-Ghsuon, stormed 2 homes and served Mohammad Ghanam and A'Hed Abu Issa to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 02:15. |
| | • Wall Gates: Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision, |
| | the new Wall route is to be constructed west of the village. |
| | Closure of Roads: |
| | (i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town. |
| | (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. |
| | • Flying Checkpoints: |
| | (i) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up checkpoints at the entrances of Azzun and |
| | Izbat Al-Tabib village. |
| | (ii) At 19:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east entrance of Qalqiliya. |
| | • Wall Gates: |
| | (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to |
| | search civilians, including students, using a metal detector. |
| | (ii) 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 |
| QALQILIYA | 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: |
| | (i) Wall construction was halted 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. |
| | (ii) On January 17 th 2013, Israeli forces levelled residential land located at |
| | the eastern entrance of Azzun Atma for the purpose of constructing |
| | the Wall in the area. |
| | (iii) On February 6 th 2013, Israeli military bulldozers levelled residential |
| | land in Jayyus for the purpose of Wall construction. |
| | • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> |
| | (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. |
| | (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. |
| NABLUS | • Checkpoint: At 20:10, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Huwwara |
| NADLUS | checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 21:20. |

| | • Flying Checkpoint: |
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| | (i) At 10:55 and again at 21:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sarah village junction. |
| | (ii) At 11:00 and again at 20:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the |
| | entrance of Beita until 21:20. (iii) At 17:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the main road connecting Nablus and Tulkarem. |
| | (iv) At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at "Yitsahar" settlement junction located in North Huwwara until 21:20. |
| | (v) At 20:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east village of Qusra village until 21:00. |
| | • <u>Raid:</u> |
| | (i) At 23:55, Israeli forces raided Nablus while escorting several Israeli settlers as they stormed Joseph's tomb, clashed with residents and temporarily detained Khalid Quran and Mohammad Odeh releasing them at a later time then withdrew at 04:00. |
| | (ii) At 00:55, Israeli forces raided Al-Nasiriya village and stormed 3 homes. |
| | Closure of Main Roads: (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. |
| SALFIT | (iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to Abu Nasar and QatanAl-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks. |
| | Checkpoints: At 08:40, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara Alcheckpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 10:50. Flying Checkpoint: At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Qarawat Bani Hassan village. Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement. |
| | • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts and imped the free flow of traffic. |
| JERICHO | Flying Checkpoint: At 10:00 and again at 21:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 22:45. Raid: |
| | (i) At 09:30, Israeli forces raided Jericho until 11:55. |
| | (ii) At 20:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Jiftlik village. |
| | (iii) At 01:25, Israeli forces raided Jericho and Aqbat Al-Jabr camp, stormed 2 |
| | merchant shops, detained a resident then withdrew at 02:40. Detention: Israeli force detained Hazim Assad in Jericho. |
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| | • 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. |
| BETHLEHEM | (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. |
| | • 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: |

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| | 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; 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 2 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. • Raid: (i) At 13:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Khadr and chased a vehicle. (ii) At 00:10, Israeli forces raided Wadi Fuqin and searched a home. (iii) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Fajjar, stormed and searched 2 homes then detained 2 residents before withdrawing at 03:00 • Detention: Israeli forces detained Oday Taqatqa and Ali Taqatqa in Beit Fajjar • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala |
| | town. |
| | • Closure: |
| HEBRON | (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) On 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) On December 27 th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks. |
| | Flying Checkpoint: At 08:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the north entrance of Hebron. At 11:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Nabi Yunis area junction (located on the main road connecting Hebron and Bethlehem). At 17:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Fuwar junction and impeded the free flow of traffic. |

- (iv) At 18:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Sa'ir.
- (v) At 22:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Yatta and Al-Samou'

• Raid:

- (i) At 17:00, Israeli forces raided Hebron.
- (ii) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Ola, stormed several homes, detained 3 residents then withdrew at 03:20.
- (iii) At 04:15, Israeli forces raided Surif and detained a resident.
- (iv) At dawn on March 11th 2013, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar and detained a resident
- <u>Attack:</u> At 15:20, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Urub camp fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and at 19:00 closed the main entrance leading to the camp and reopened it at 20:20.

• Detention:

- (i) On March 8th 2013, Israeli forces detained Hamza Nasser Al-Din near Bab Al-Zawiya in Hebron.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Rami Dabous, Foad Alama and Immad Alama in Beit Ulla.
- (iii) Israeli forces detained Mamoun Al-Hadoush in Sourif.
- (iv) Israeli forces detained Alaa Za'aqiq in Beit Ummar.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 19:30, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles passing near south Yatta and damaged Shaher Hamadna's vehicle.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya 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. Israeli forces broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Gaza.

| 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. |
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| 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. Raid: On the morning of March 11th 2013, Israeli forces escorting several bulldozers raided 200 meters into Jaher Al-Dik area and opened fire as they levelled a plot of land. |

| | • Closure of Crossing Points : |
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| RAFAH | Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits. 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 and allowed 20 truckloads of humanitarian goods. |