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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00 14 March 2006 – 08:00 15 March 2006

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Deaths	2	—	2	1 security officer & 1 civilian prisoner
Physical Assaults	4	—	4	Incl. 1 female child run over, Tuqu'
Injuries	38	—	38	Incl. 8 Pal. officers & 1 peace activist
Attacks	8	5	13	Incl. 54 artillery shells fired on N. Gaza
Raids	29	—	29	Incl. 7 in Ramallah & 6 in Hebron
Air Patrols	4	—	4	Incl. helicopters over Jericho & Hebron
Arrests	25	—	25	Incl. PFLP Secretary General, Jericho
Detentions	17	—	17	Incl. children at a kindergarten
Wall Construction	28	—	28	Incl. Jer., Raml'h., Qalq., Salfit, Beth.
Destruction of Property	4	—	4	Incl. Al Muqat'a & prison demolished
Confiscation of Property	1	—	1	1 civilian's ID card in Bethlehem
House Occupation	3	—	3	In Nablus, Dura, and Hebron
Curfews	2	—	2	Over Kafr Qaddum and Jericho
Closure of Checkpoints	2	—	2	'Einav & 'Ein ad Duyuk checkpoints
Flying Checkpoints	15	—	15	Incl. 2 in Jerusalem & 3 in Qalqiliya
Closure (per District)	7	1	8	Incl. a buffer zone in Northern Gaza
Closure of Main Roads	23	—	23	Incl. Ash Shuhada' Street in Hebron
Closure of Crossing Points	—	5	5	Incl. Beit Hanun & Rafah partially
Medical Obstruction	1	—	1	Ambulances denied access, Jericho
School Disruption	1	—	1	Classes disrupted in Jericho schools
Settler Violence	2	—	2	Incl. 2 children severely beaten
Provocation of Pal. Forces	1	2	3	Incl. shelling near Pal. security posts
Palestinian Attacks	—	3	3	8 unidentified mortars fired
Pal. Security Measure	1	—	1	1 suspicious object located, Nablus
Demonstrations	7	3	10	In protest against raid on Jericho
TOTAL	225	19	244	

DISTRICT	EVENT
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<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Beginning on the evening of 11 March 2006, the Israeli army has continued to impose a complete closure over the West Bank and Gaza Strip districts and to prevent civilians, including workers, from crossing into areas inside the Green Line or into the city of Jerusalem due to Jewish holidays. The Israeli army only allows VIPs and humanitarian cases to cross after prior coordination. The closure will last until 15 March 2006.
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WEST BANK

<p style="text-align: center;">JERUSALEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrances to the city of Jerusalem and has set up checkpoints in the old city of Jerusalem and around Al Aqsa Mosque compound. • Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close the eastern entrance to Dahiyat Bir Nabala northwest of the city of Jerusalem with cement blocks. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Qalandiya and Beit Iksa checkpoints and to impede civilian access. • Wall Gates: The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks. • Wall Construction: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Wall construction continues in Dahiyat al Aqbat, from the village of Hizma to 'Anata, along the Hizma-Jaba' road, the area of Al 'Eizariya to Ash Shayyah, near Al Quds University, in the town of As Sawahira ash Sharqiya, from the village of Beit Surik to Biddu, in the areas of Al Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina, and west of the village of Al Jib. (ii) On 03 March 2006, the Israeli High Court issued a precautionary decision to suspend Wall construction around the settlement of Ma'ale Adumim on land belonging to the towns of Abu Dis and As Sawahira ash Sharqiya for a period of 14 days. • Flying Checkpoint: The Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to 'Atarot Industrial Zone in Dahiyat ar Ram and searched civilian vehicles. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:20, the Israeli army raided the town of Abu Dis and arrested 2 civilians. (ii) The Israeli army raided the village of Al 'Isawiya, set up a checkpoint at its entrance, and searched a number of houses. • Arrests: The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians in the town of Abu Dis: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Marwan Hasan Jaffal; and (ii) Mohammed 'Odeh 'Ureiqat.
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<p style="text-align: center;">RAMALLAH & EL BIREH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> The Israeli army continues to close the eastern entrance to the village of Sinjil with dirt barricades. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues in the areas of Al Midya to Budrus, Al Midya to Ni'lin, Bil'in to Saffa, in the village of Beit Liqya, in the town of Beituniya, and west of the town of 'Abud and the village of Beit Sira. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 07:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to the village of Um Safa and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 21:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Beit Rima, searched civilian vehicles, and arrested 1 civilian. • <u>Raids/Air Patrol:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:25, the Israeli army raided the city of El Bireh and searched a number of houses. At 18:00, and again at 23:30, the Israeli army raided the city again, searched a number of houses, arrested 2 civilians, and withdrew at 03:50. (ii) At 19:10, Israeli troops, dispatched by 2 Israeli army combat helicopters, raided and combed an uninhabited area near the settlement of Psagot. (iii) At 21:30, the Israeli army, including 2 jeeps, raided and patrolled the town of Beit Rima and the village of Kafr 'Ein until 21:55. (iv) At 23:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled Al Jalazun refugee camp. • <u>Arrests:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli troops positioned at the flying checkpoint set up at the entrance to the town of Beit Rima arrested Ala' Jamal Hjeiji. <p>The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians in the city of El Bireh:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (ii) Firas al Barghouthi; and (iii) Saed at Toukhi. • <u>Air Patrol:</u> At 01:35, an Israeli army reconnaissance aircraft patrolled the skies over the cities of Ramallah and El Bireh. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:20, a mass demonstration took place in the city of Ramallah in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho.
<p style="text-align: center;">JENIN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Road:</u> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the detour road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the settlement of Dotan. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint east of the town of Tubas and to impede civilian access. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 14:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the town of Tubas and the village of 'Aqqaba and searched civilians and vehicles.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 17:20, the Israeli army, including 6 jeeps, raided and patrolled the town of Al Yamun until 17:30. (ii) At 01:00, the Israeli army, including 20 jeeps, raided the city of Jenin and Jenin refugee camp and patrolled the area until 02:50. (iii) At 02:00, the Israeli army, including 15 jeeps, raided the town of Qabatiya and arrested 5 civilians, including 2 children. • <u>Arrests:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 01:00 on 14 March 2006, the Israeli army arrested Fadi Mohammed al Hourani during its raid on the city of Jenin. <p>The Israeli army arrested 5 civilians in the town of Qabatiya:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (ii) Ala' Yousef Nasser, 17 years old; (iii) Bilal Abdul Rahman 'Assaf, 17 years old; (iv) Ala' Mohammed Yousef; (v) Yaser Yousef Nasser; and (vi) Saleh Mahmoud Abdul Fattah. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 12:30, a mass demonstration took place in the city of Jenin in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> The Israeli army continues to impose a complete closure on the district of Tulkarem and to declare it a closed military zone following a suicide attack carried out on the junction to the village of Far'un. The Israeli army continues to impede civilian access to and from the district. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the roads connecting the town of Bal'a to Dahiyat Iktaba, the town of Kafr al Labad to the village of Shufa, and the town of Deir al Ghusun to the town of 'Attil. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up near the settlement of 'Einav on the road connecting the districts of Tulkarem and Nablus, denying access to civilian vehicles. (ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Jubara checkpoint south of the city of Tulkarem and to impede civilian access. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 08:30, the Israeli army set up 2 flying checkpoints, one on the junction to the town of Bal'a and the other between the town of Deir al Ghusun and the village of Al Jarushiya, and searched civilians and vehicles. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 15:30, a mass demonstration took place in the city of Tulkarem in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho.
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits.

	<p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Land levelling for Wall construction continues in the village of Immatin and east of the towns of Kafr Thulth and ‘Azzun. • Flying Checkpoints: <p>(i) At 12:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the eastern entrance to the city of Qalqiliya and searched civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(ii) At 09:35, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Wadi Qana road and searched civilians and vehicles.</p> • Raids/Curfew: <p>(i) At 12:50, the Israeli army raided the village of Kafr Qaddum, imposed curfew, opened indiscriminate fire, and searched 2 houses.</p> <p>(ii) The Israeli army raided the town of ‘Azzun, set up a checkpoint at its entrance, and prevented civilians from entering or exiting the town. Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians, during which the Israeli army injured a number of civilians as a result of tear gas inhalation.</p> • Demonstration: At 13:00, a mass demonstration took place in the city of Qalqiliya in protest against the Israeli army’s raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata’a in the city of Jericho.
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <p>(i) The Israeli army continues to close the main road leading to the district of Jenin between the junction to the village of Deir Sharaf and the settlement of Shavei Shomron. Instead, the Israeli army has forced civilians to travel along an unpaved 1.5-km-long road, which branches off from the Nablus-Tulkarem road and intersects with the Nablus-Jenin road opposite the village of Sabastiya.</p> <p>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road connecting the villages of Odala and Beita with dirt barricades.</p> • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing Huwwara, Beit Iba, At Tur Mountain, and Beit Furik checkpoints around the city of Nablus. The Israeli army closes the checkpoints overnight and reopens them at various morning hours. • Raid/House Occupation/Detention/Physical Assaults: At 15:00, the Israeli army raided the city of Nablus, occupied 1 house, and converted it into a military post. The Israeli army also searched 4 buildings after forcing residents to evacuate, detained them outside, and arrested 1 civilian. Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians, during which the Israeli army injured 7 civilians, including 2 children. Additionally, the Israeli army severely beat 1 civilian. 2 other civilians sustained contusions when they fell while the Israeli army was pursuing them. At 16:45, the Israeli army withdrew from the area. • Arrest: The Israeli army arrested Samer as Sarrawi in the city of Nablus. • Palestinian Security Measure: At 09:30, a suspicious object was located near the village of Beit Iba. Consequently, Palestinian security forces

	<p>requested (through the DCO) that the Israeli authorities coordinate for them to dispatch an engineering unit belonging to Palestinian security forces to examine the suspicious object. The Israeli authorities, however, rejected the request, claiming that the Israeli army will examine the object.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstration: At 14:35, a mass demonstration took place in the city of Nablus in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the main north-western entrance to the city of Salfit with dirt barricades. The road has been closed since the beginning of the current <i>Intifada</i> (Uprising). (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the western entrances to the town of Bruqin and the village of Marda and the road connecting the town of Deir Istiya to the village of Haris. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close the western entrance to the town of Kafr ad Dik with cement cements. • Checkpoints: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close Deir Ballut checkpoint overnight and open it at various morning hours. The Israeli army also prevents civilians from crossing eastwards towards the town of Kafr ad Dik. (ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the Za'tara junction checkpoint and to impede civilian access. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues near the Green Line in the town of Deir Ballut and the villages of Az Zawiya and Rafat, northwest of the city of Salfit, and in the village of Marda and the town of Kifl Haris north of the settlement of Ari'el. • Flying Checkpoint: At 20:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the villages of Iskaka and Yasuf and searched civilians and vehicles.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of Al 'Auja is closed with cement blocks. The Israeli army prevents farmers not holding Jericho ID cards from reaching their land, forcing them to apply for access permits. The Israeli army also sporadically impedes civilian movement into the city of Jericho, except for Jerusalem and Jericho ID holders. • Checkpoints: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Al Hamra checkpoint on the road connecting the districts of Jericho and Nablus, impeding civilian access. (ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up at the entrance to the village of 'Ein Ad Duyuk on the road connecting the districts of Jericho and Ramallah, to search civilians and vehicles, and to deny civilian access in both directions between 20:00 and 05:00 on a daily basis.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid/School Disruption/Curfew/Provocation of Palestinian Forces:</u> At 09:40, the Israeli army raided the city of Jericho, after the American and British security personnel, who were assigned to guard Palestinian political prisoners, had withdrawn from the area. Meanwhile, Israeli army combat helicopters patrolled the skies over the area. The Israeli army imposed curfew, disrupting classes at schools, and prevented children at a kindergarten from going home. Additionally, the Israeli army surrounded the building housing Al Muqata'a and the civil prison, opened intensive fire, and fired tank shells, killing 1 civilian prisoner and 1 Palestinian security officer and injuring 8 Palestinian security officers. The Israeli army also prevented ambulances from accessing the area to transport the injured security officers. Israeli army bulldozers also demolished the building housing Al Muqata'a and the civil prison, levelled land, and destroyed vehicles belonging to Palestinian security forces and civilians in the area surrounding the building. In addition, the Israeli army arrested dozens of Palestinian security officers and political prisoners, including the Secretary General of the People's Front for the Liberation of Palestine (PFLP) and member of the Palestinian Legislative Council (PLC). Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians in the city of Jericho, during which the Israeli army injured 20 civilians. At 22:00, the Israeli army withdrew from the area. • <u>Killings:</u> The Israeli army killed 2 individuals in the civil prison in the city of Jericho: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Mohammed ash Shawish, a Palestinian security officer; and (ii) Ibrahim Abu Na'im, a civilian prisoner. • <u>Arrests:</u> The Israeli army arrested individuals in the building housing Al Muqata'a and the civil prison in the city of Jericho, including: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Ahmed Sa'adat, PFLP Secretary General and PLC member; and (ii) Fu'ad ash Shobaki, a Palestinian Brigadier General.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> The Israeli army continues to close the roads to the village of An Nu'man, with the exception of the road leading to the Wall gate in the south-eastern area of the village. The Israeli army considers the civilians' residence in the village illegal because they hold West Bank identity cards while their village is located within the Israeli-defined municipal boundaries of Jerusalem. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close all roads to Road # 60 leading to the city of Jerusalem, thereby isolating the city of Bethlehem from its towns and villages located west of Road # 60. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 12:15, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at the DCO checkpoint set up at the entrance to the city of Beit Jala, impeding civilian access. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues north of 'Ayda refugee camp towards the area north of the city of Beit Jala and in the Everest area, northwest of the city of Beit Jala. • <u>Raids/Detention/Confiscation of Property:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:40, the Israeli army raided 'Ayda refugee camp and searched 1 house after detaining residents. At 04:30, the Israeli army raided the

	<p>refugee camp again, searched another house, and confiscated the house owner's ID card.</p> <p>(ii) At 10:45, an Israeli army patrol raided the village of Dar Salah, set up a checkpoint, searched civilians and vehicles, and impeded civilian access until 14:00.</p> <p>(iii) At 18:20, the Israeli army raided the village of Nahhalin. Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians. At 01:30, the Israeli army raided the village again and arrested 3 civilians.</p> <p>(iv) At 20:15, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city of Beit Jala.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrests: The Israeli army arrested 3 civilians in the village of Nahhalin: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Hasan Mousa Yaseen; (ii) Rif'at Mohammed Ghayyadhah; and (iii) Mahmoud 'Adel Ghayyadhah. • Settler Violence/Physical Assault: At 16:30, an Israeli settler vehicle ran over Ikram Mohammed Suleiman, a female child, in the vicinity of the town of Tuqu'. • Demonstration: At 12:30, a mass demonstration took place in the city of Bethlehem in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho. Confrontations took place between the Israeli army and civilians in the area surrounding Bilal Bin Rabah Mosque (Rachel's Tomb).
<p style="text-align: center;">HEBRON</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and barbed wire Ash Shuhada' Street and the area of As Sahleh and with an iron gate the old gold market, all in the H2 section of the city of Hebron, denying access to civilians and vehicles. (ii) The Israeli army continues to implement a military order to close civilian commercial shops on both sides of the road connecting the settlement of Kiryat Arba' to the Ibrahim Mosque in the old city of Hebron from 06 November 2005 until 07 May 2006. Civilian vehicles are prohibited from travelling along the road unless they possess access permits. Only Israeli settler vehicles are allowed unrestricted access on the road. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with a dirt barricade the area of Khuzq al Far near the settlement of Abraham Avino in the old city of Hebron, in addition to the iron gate that has been set up in the area. (iv) The Israeli army continues to close the entrance to the area of Al Khan in the old city of Hebron with an electronic gate, isolating the area from Al Laban Market and the area of As Sahleh. • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the area of Al Hawawir leading to the town of Halhul, the area of Al Fahs south of the city of Hebron, the junction to the area of Farsh al Hawa leading to Road # 35 northwest of the city of Hebron, and the entrance to the village of 'Arab ar Ramadin. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the main entrance to Al 'Arrub refugee camp with cement blocks.

- **Wall Construction:** Wall construction continues west of the town of Surif to Beit Ula, in the town of Idhna, from the village of Deir Samit to the village of Beit 'Awwa, from Beit 'Awwa to the village of Al Burj, and south of the towns of Adh Dhahiriya and As Samoa'.
- **Flying Checkpoints:** At 19:15, the Israeli army set up 2 flying checkpoints, one on the overpass to the town of Halhul and the other at the entrance to the town of Beit Kahil, searched civilian vehicles, and impeded civilian access.
- **Raids/House Occupation/Air Patrol:**
 - (i) At 20:00, an Israeli army patrol raided the town of Dura, occupied 1 house, and converted it into a military post.
 - (ii) At 20:50, the Israeli army raided the city of Hebron and arrested 2 civilians. The Israeli army claimed that one of the arrested civilians was in possession of a knife.
 - (iii) At 02:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Bani Na'im and arrested 4 civilians.
 - (iv) At 07:15, Israeli troops, dispatched by an Israeli army combat helicopter, raided and combed the village of Kuziba north of the town of Sa'ir.
 - (v) The Israeli army raided the town of Beit Ummar and arrested 1 civilian.
 - (vi) The Israeli army raided Al Fawwar refugee camp and arrested 1 civilian.
- **Arrests:** The Israeli army arrested 2 civilians in the city of Hebron:
 - (i) 'Abbas Ahmed an Natsheh; and
 - (ii) Nidhal Abdul Mu'ti Mtawe'.
 The Israeli army arrested 4 civilians in the town of Bani Na'im:
 - (iii) Yihya Abu 'Akkah;
 - (iv) Mahmoud 'Ata Sawalhah;
 - (v) Anwar Mohammed 'Abdu; and
 - (vi) Khaled Ali Zyadat.
 - (vii) The Israeli army arrested Mufeed Mohammed Ikhleil in the town of Beit Ummar.
 - (viii) The Israeli army arrested Hazem Ahmed al Massri in Al Fawwar refugee camp.
- **Detention:** At 19:40, the Israeli army detained Nasser Hussein Sayyed Ahmed, a Palestinian National Security officer, near the Ibrahimi Mosque in the old city of Hebron and released him at 20:00.
- **House Occupation:** At 10:00, the Israeli army occupied 1 house in the old city of Hebron and converted it into a military post.
- **Settler Violence:** At 11:00, a group of Israeli settlers from the settlement of Ramat Yishai in the neighbourhood of Tall Rumeida in the old city of Hebron severely beat and injured 2 children and 1 international peace activist.
- **Demonstration:** At 12:50, a mass demonstration took place in the city of Hebron in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho.

GAZA STRIP

<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • On the evening of 11 March 2006, the Israeli army re-intensified the closure it has imposed on the Gaza Strip since 16 December 2005 ostensibly due to Jewish holidays and Palestinian individuals' firing of mortars towards the Green Line.
<p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: Beginning at 18:00 on 28 December 2005, the Israeli army has continued to impose a buffer zone (through open fire as well as artillery and air attacks) in the area near the Green Line, including the area of the debris of evacuated settlements, in the district of Northern Gaza. The Israeli army has also warned that civilians would put their lives in danger if they enter the designated area. • Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is partially open to foreign nationals, VIPs, and humanitarian cases after prior coordination. • Attacks/Provocation of Palestinian Forces: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Between 19:50 and 20:55, the Israeli army fired 28 artillery shells from its location inside the Green Line towards Palestinian territory in the area surrounding 1 Palestinian National Security location north of the town of Beit Lahiya and in the area north of the An Nada towers. Of these, 1 artillery shell did not explode. (ii) Between 21:00 and 21:45, the Israeli army fired 26 artillery shells from its location inside the Green Line towards Palestinian territory in the area surrounding 2 Palestinian National Security locations north and northwest of the town of Beit Lahiya. • Palestinian Attacks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:30, 5 unidentified mortars were fired towards the Green Line. (ii) At 19:50, 1 unidentified mortar was fired towards the Green Line. (iii) At 01:15, 2 unidentified mortars were fired towards the Green Line.
<p style="text-align: center;">GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Point: Al Muntar (Karnei) Crossing is closed. • Attack: At 11:45, the Israeli army opened fire from Point 88 on the Green Line towards shepherds east of Gaza city. • Demonstration: At 18:00, a mass demonstration took place in Gaza city in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho.
<p style="text-align: center;">CENTRAL GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Demonstrations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:30, a mass demonstration took place in An Nuseirat refugee camp in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho. (ii) At 18:50, a mass demonstration took place in Al Bureij refugee camp in protest against the Israeli army's raid on the civil prison in Al Muqata'a in the city of Jericho.

KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Activities not reported.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u><ul style="list-style-type: none">(i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.(ii) Rafah Crossing is partially open in both directions to passengers holding Palestinian IDs, humanitarian cases, and Arab and foreign diplomatic missions.(iii) Sufa Crossing is closed.