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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 21st March 2014 – 08:00, 22nd March 2014

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Killing	3	—	3	Israeli forces killed 3 residents in Jenin
Injury	31	2	33	7 in Ramallah, 17 in Jenin, 6 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Bethlehem and 2 in North Gaza including a child, 2 Security force officers, a Paramedic, and several residents 4 of which in critical condition.
Physical Assault	2	—	2	2 residents were injured after a tear gas grenade canister struck them during demonstrations in Kafr Qaddum.
Raids	12	—	12	1 in Jenin, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho, 4 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Temporary Detention	7	—	7	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Detention	7	—	7	4 in Jerusalem, 2 in Jenin and 2 in Hebron including 2 Security force officers.
Closure of Checkpoints	4	—	4	Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	12	—	12	6 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit and 2 in Bethlehem.
Attack	17	3	20	2 during raids. 15 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents and 3 from Military post.
Home Occupation	3	—	3	Israeli forces occupied 3 homes and converted their rooftops into military posts.
Destruction of Property	2	—	2	Israeli forces damaged several home furniture in Jenin.
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	—	73	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 20 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	6	6	(Erez) Beit Hanun Crossing is partially open.

Demonstrations	5	—	5	Against the construction of the wall, settlement construction, closure of roads.
Total	203	11	214	

WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On March 21st 2014, 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. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 13:00, Israeli forces set up several flying checkpoints near the entrances of the old city of Jerusalem for alleged security measures for an Israeli funded Marathon. • <u>Detention:</u> At 13:00, Israeli forces detained 4 residents Jihad Owayed, Mohammad Abu Al-Humus, Maher Muhisen and Kayed Al-Rajabi in the old city of Jerusalem. • <u>Attack:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:20, Israeli forces positioned near Qalandiya checkpoint fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. (ii) At 14:20, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ram junction fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. (iii) At 14:30, Israeli forces positioned near Ras Al-Amoud gate in the old city of Jerusalem fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. (iv) At 15:20, Israeli forces positioned near Ras Kabsa area in Abu Dis fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in
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	<p>Abu Dis town.</p> <p>(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.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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.
<p>RAMALLAH & AL BIREH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • Flying Checkpoint: At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Atara bridge in Bir Zeit until 16:30. • Attack: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:40, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Jalazun camp fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. (ii) At 15:25, Israeli forces positioned near "Ofar" military prison fired tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. (iii) At 14:50, Israeli forces positioned at the entrance of Silwad fired rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and as a result injured 3 residents: Yasser Abu Zeina , Ayyoub Ayyad and Yassin Abbas leaving them hospitalised with contusions. (iv) At 15:40, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate near Bet Liqya fired tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and injured Mujahid Assi. • Settler Violence: At 12:45, Israeli settlers stormed archeological sites in Burqa then withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces at 13:25. • Demonstrations: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 12:45, a demonstration took place in Ni'lin village protesting against the construction of the wall then clashed with Israeli forces. (ii) At 12:45, a demonstration took place in Al-Nabi Saleh village protesting against the construction of the wall, clashed with Israeli forces and left several demonstrators suffocating from tear gas inhalation. (iii) At 12:50, a demonstration took place in Bilin village protesting against the construction of the wall , clashed with Israeli forces and as a result injured the child Mohammad Karaja (16 years old) leaving him hospitalised from tear gas inhalation. • Wall Construction: 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.
<p>JENIN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • Raid: At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Jenin Camp, occupied the roof tops of several

	<p>homes and converted them into Military posts as they surrounded Azmi Hasaniya's home as they attempted to detained him during which Israeli forces opened extensive fire and launched missiles towards the home as they calshed with armed gunmen and as a result killed 3 residents: and injured 17 others then withdrew at 06:30</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Killing:</u> Israeli forces killed 3 residents: Hamza Abu Ajamiya, Yazan Jabarin Manhmond Abu Ziena. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained NNa'im AL-Zabadi and Mohammad Hasaniya in Jenin camp. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> 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.
<p>TULKAREM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Checkpoint:</u> 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. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> 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.
<p>QALQILIYA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Izbit AL-Tabib village. • <u>Raid:</u> At 23:00, Israeli forces raided Habalah village until 23:50. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:45, a demonstration took place in Kafr Qaddum against the closure of the east entrance, clashed with Israeli forces as they attempted to disrupt demonstrators and as a result injured 4 residents: Sami Barham, Maher Jum'a, Ahmad Barham, Ahmad Ishtawi, Aws Amer and Mohammad Maher and also injured 2 residents: Bashar Ishtawi and Wisam Ishtawi after being struck with tear gas grenade canisters and left the child Kareem Ali (2 years old) suffocating from tear gas inhalation.. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 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. (ii) 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. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> 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.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> Since December 17th 2013, Israeli forces ordered the closure 500 dunumes of land in Qusra village as a closed military area. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u>

<p>NABLUS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 16:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Huwara and Awrta. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 14:30, Israeli settlers stormed agricultural land in east Burin village and attempted to assault several residents then at 15:00 withdrew under the protection of Israeli forces after local residents prevented the assault.
<p>SALFIT</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> (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 30th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama’ located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za’tara Al-checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 14:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Kafil Harris and Harris villages until 16:30. • <u>Raid:</u> At 14:25, Israeli forces raided Kafil Harris village. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
<p>JERICHO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. • <u>Raid:</u> At 12:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village.
<p>BETHLEHEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu’mān 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 dunums of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> (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’mān: 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

	<p>cement blocks.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 14:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the west entrance of Taqou' until 15:45. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Ayda camp in Bethlehem, clashed with several residents and as a result injured an Italian National (photo journalist). (ii) At 20:45, Israeli forces raided Beit Fajjar, set up a checkpoint then withdrew at 21:40. (iii) At 22:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Ayda camp in Bethlehem and summoned Mohammad Adwan to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning. (iv) At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Bethlehem and summoned Hani Jubran to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 03:20. • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 12:35, a demonstration took place in Al-Ma'assra village protesting against the construction of the wall during which Israeli forces prevented protesters from reaching the demonstration site • <u>Wall Construction:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala town. (ii) On May 1st 2013, 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.
<p style="text-align: center;">HEBRON</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. . • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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

	<p>Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(vi) Since December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(viii) Since March 9th 2014, Israeli forces opened a steel gate in Beit Anun.</p> <p>(ix) Since March 9th 2014, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Al-Rihana area in east Yatta.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:30, Israeli forces raided Ithna until 10:50. (ii) At 10:50, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed a factory then withdrew at 12:30. (iii) At 20:20, Israeli forces raided Deir Sammit village and Al-Rishiya area in Ithna. (iv) At 00:35, Israeli forces raided Tarqumiya until 01:00. • Detention: At 18:00, Israeli forces detained Rashid Al-Muhtasib in the old city of Hebron. • Attack: At 13:25, Israeli forces positioned near Bab Al-Zawiya area in the old city of Hebron fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town.
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<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 forces broke the cease fire agreement by launching tank artillery shells from their positions behind the Green Line towards North Gaza, Central Gaza and Khan Yunis and injured 2 residents.
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<p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Point: 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. • Attack: On the afternoon of March 21st 2014, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line launched tank artillery shells towards agricultural land in Jabaliya and injured 2 residents
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<p>GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.
<p>CENTRAL GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attack:</u> At dawn on March 22nd 2014, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line launched tank artillery shells towards the border fence in Al-Buriej camp
<p>KHAN YUNIS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of March 22nd 2014, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line launched tank artillery shells towards agricultural land in Khaz'a
<p>RAFAH</p>	<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 (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed. (iii) Sufa Crossing is closed. (iv) Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed.