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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00,24th March 2015 – 08:00,25th March 2015

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	1	—	1	A resident was injured after being ran over by an Israeli military Jeep in Jerusalem.
Raids	19	—	19	3 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 3 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron.
Detention	18	—	18	5 in Jerusalem, 7 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Jericho and 1 in Hebron including 4 children, a Woman, a Police Officer, 2 University Students and a resident at Allenby bridge.
Temporary Detention	7	—	7	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	—	5	Ras Khamis checkpoint for constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 5 others.
Flying Checkpoints	23	—	23	3 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 3 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas, 5 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 6 in Hebron.
Attack	6	3	9	6 during confrontations between Israeli forces and residents, 2 from Military post and 1 from Naval Vessel.
Home Occupation	3	—	3	Israeli forces occupied 3 homes in Tulkarem and converted their rooftops into Military posts.
Home Demolition	*	—	—	*Israeli forces served military orders for the demolition of 2 homes in Tubas
Destruction of Property	*	—	—	*Israeli forces served military orders for the demolition of livestock dens in Tubas. * Israeli forces served military orders for the demolition of a water well in Hebron.
Assault on Property	1*	—	1	*Israeli forces prevented a resident from farming his agricultural land in Tamoun. *Israeli forces served military orders to halt construction on 2 homes in Atouf village. *Israeli forces served a military order for the eviction of a barracks in Tubas.
Confiscation of Property	1	—	1	Israeli force confiscated 84 steel pipes (6 meters long and 4 inches thick) which were supposed to be installed for irrigation purposes by the agricultural Unit in Tubas Governorate.
Closure (per District)	10	—	10	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, and 6 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	66	—	66	Including 1 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 3 in Jenin, 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqiliya, 5 in Nablus, 5 in Salfit, 23 in Bethlehem and 21 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	—	5	5	Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination
Assault on Places of Worship	1	—	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshippers
Total	161	8	169	

WEST BANK

<p>JERUSALEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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 40 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. (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. (iii) At 22:10, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Jaba’ checkpoint located along the main road connecting Jerusalem, Ramallah and Jericho and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 24:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Biddo. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:00, Israeli forces detained Ribhi Abu Al-Humus (A resident of Al-Eisawiya village). (ii) At 09:05, Israeli forces detained Fatima Hijazi (A resident of Al-Tur in Jerusalem). (iii) At 14:00, Israeli forces detained Fared Shihadeh (A resident of Jadeerah village). (iv) At 14:30, Israeli forces positioned at Qalandiya checkpoint detained Osama Hamad. (v) On the morning of March 24th 2015, Israeli forces detained Hisham Hirish in Wadi Al-Joz neighbourhood in Jerusalem. • <u>Injury:</u> At 16:00, Yazan Idris was injured after being rammed by an Israeli Military jeep near “Atarot” Industrial zone in North Jerusalem and as a result, left him hospitalised with contusions.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of March 24th 2015, Israeli forces positioned in Shu'fat, Wadi Al-Juz and Silwan neighbourhoods fire stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning. • <u>Assault on Places of Worship:</u> At 10:00, Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and provoked worshippers. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. (ii) The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on Al-Shayyah road in the area between Al-Sawahira Al-Sharqiya and Al-Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.
<p>RAMALLAH & AL BIREH</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 the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Atarah bridge located in North Bir Zeit until 09:30. (ii) At 21:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Nabi Saleh village until 00:30. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:35, Israeli forces raided Turmus'aya, detained a resident then withdrew at 20:30. (ii) At 02:15, Israeli forces raided Bir Zeit, stormed and searched three homes, detained a resident then withdrew at 03:20. (iii) At 06:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh city, stormed a home and detained two children. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 02:05 on March 25th 2015, Israeli forces detained Kareem Qurut during their raid into Beituniya as mentioned in the previous report. (ii) At 13:40, Israeli forces detained two children: Rajeh Hamad (15 years old) and Omar Hamad (15 years old) near the entrance of Silwad. (iii) Israeli forces detained Abdel-Rahman Jabarah in Turmus'aya. (iv) Israeli forces detained Ibrahim Ayloul in Bir Ziet. (v) Israeli forces detained 2 children: Saji Abed (15 years old) and Moath Abed (15 years old) • <u>Attack:</u> At 12:20, Israeli forces positioned near the wall gate in south Al-Bireh city fired stun and tear gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning.
<p>JENIN</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Road:</u> <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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Mansourah village located along the main road connecting Jenin and Nablus. (ii) At 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Zawiya village and detained two University students. (iii) At 17:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Fanduqumiya village. • <u>Raid:</u> At 05:00, Israeli forces raided Jenin until 05:25.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained two University Students: Alaa Zakarneh (A resident of Qabatiya) and Adel Qar’awi (A resident of Jenin). • <u>Wall Gates:</u> Israeli forces continue too close the wall gate and only allow those holding special permits to enter through it.
<p style="text-align: center;">TUBAS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 14:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Aqaba village junction until 17:00. • <u>Home Demolition:</u> On March 23rd 2015, Israeli forces stormed Bardalah village and served military orders for the demolition of two live stock dens owned by Mahmoud Rashid and Ahmad Hamaayil. • <u>Confiscation of Property:</u> At 10:20, Israeli forces stormed Ain Al-Dier area located near Ein Al-Baydah village in the North Jordan valley and confiscated 84 steel pipes (6 meters long and 4 inches thick) which were supposed to be installed for irrigation purposes by the agricultural Unit in Tubas Governorate. • <u>Assault on Property:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On March 23rd 2015, Israeli forces stormed Khilat Al-Jade’a area located in east Attuof village and served military orders to halt construction on homes owned by Khaled Odeh and Jum’a Odeh. (ii) On March 24th 2015, Israeli forces stormed Al-Tawal area located in Al-Buqay’a area located in east Tamoun and prevented Mustafa Bani Odeh from working on his agricultural land and forcibly removed him from the area. (iii) At 17:00, Israeli forces stormed Bardalah village and served a military order for the removal of several livestock Barracks (Den) owned by Mohammad Rashaydeh and Ahmad Hamayil.
<p style="text-align: center;">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 intensified their restrictions at “Eniv” checkpoint located along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:00, Israeli forces raided Bal’a, clashed with several residents and as a result left several children suffocated after a tear gas grenade was fired towards Al-Zuhour Nursery and during which Israeli forces occupied three homes and converted their rooftops into Military Posts then withdrew at 12:25. (ii) At 02:55, Israeli forces raided Anabta, stormed several homes, detained a resident and summoned Jamal Qubaj to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 06:00. (iii) At 06:30, Israeli forces raided Deir Al-Ghusoun, stormed and searched a home then withdrew at 07:05. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Anas Abu Assal in Anabta.
<p style="text-align: center;">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. (iii) Since 16:55 on December 18th 2014, Israeli forces closed an agricultural road leading to Far’ata village which is located near “Gillad” settlement with dirt mounds • <u>Raid:</u> At 00:35, Israeli forces raided Kafr Qaddum village, stormed and searched

	<p>five homes then withdrew at 01:30.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Osama Ishtewi (A Palestinian Police Officer) as he was walking on his agricultural land located by the wall gate in Falamiya village. • <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.
<p style="text-align: center;">NABLUS</p>	<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> <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> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Assirah Al-Qibliyah village junction until 10:35. (ii) At 16:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Sarah village junction located along the main road connecting Nablus and Qalqiliya until 16:05. (iii) At 20:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Qabalan and Yatma village until 21:55. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:40, Israeli forces raided Assirah Al-Shimaliya, installed two checkpoints at the entrance then withdrew at 12:15. (ii) At 14:00, Israeli forces raided Aqrabah until 17:15. (iii) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Kafr Qalil village, stormed and searched eight homes then withdrew at 05:10. (iv) At 02:40, Israeli forces raided Nablus until 05:10.
<p style="text-align: center;">SALFIT</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 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> At 21:00, Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za’tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 21:30.
<p style="text-align: center;">JERICHO</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 10:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road (90) near Al-New’meh village located at the north entrance of Jericho.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> At 02:20, Israeli forces raided Jericho until 02:50. • <u>Detention:</u> At 10:00, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby Bridge detained Osama Ghannam (A resident of Deir Al-Ghusoun in Tulkarem) as he was returning from Jordan.
<p style="text-align: center;">BETHLEHEM</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road between Um Tuba and Al-Jass ; a road between Um Tuba and Khilat Nu'man: a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and the wall; the 2 by pass roads located south of Al-Walaja; a road between Talita Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road between Al-Khader and Beit Jala ; Wadi Rahal road near "Ifrat" settlement ,the road between Al-Khader and road #60 which lead to the eastern neighbourhoods of Bethlehem; a road leading to Wadi Rahal, and a road east of Beit Fajjar town with dirt mounds. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks. (iii) Since August 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. (iv) Since May 8th 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires. (v) Since June 3rd 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds. (vi) Since 13:20 on September 29th 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds. (vii) Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds. (viii) On January 28th 2014, Israeli forces closed the steel gate at the entrance of Nihalin { replacing the dirt mounds placed at the entrance since the year 2002} and placed time schedule for opening the gate from 06:00 until 14:00 on a daily bases. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 17:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along the main road leading to Nihalin village. (ii) At 17:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Taqou' • <u>Raids:</u> <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:15, Israeli forces raided Husan village. (ii) At 10:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Ibidiya, stormed a bakery and a coffee shop then withdrew at 15:05 • <u>Attack:</u> At 12:50, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Madaris area in Al-Khader launched stun and tear gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning.

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- **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 and road #35 and a road leading to east Yatta and the road between Al-Safa and Al-Dirat villages 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.
- **Flying Checkpoint:**
 - (i) At 08:15 and again at 15:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Sa'ir until 15:55.
 - (ii) At 09:15, Israeli forces set up 2 checkpoints between Al-Samou' and Al-Thahriyah and between Al-Thahriya and Al-Ramadin village until 10:15.
 - (iii) At 15:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Ithna until 15:55.
 - (iv) At 17:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Farsh Al-Hawa area located in North Hebron.
- **Raid:**
 - (i) At 11:10, Israeli forces raided Deir Sammit village, stormed and searched a home then withdrew at 12:10.
 - (ii) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Surif, stormed and searched a home then withdrew at 03:10.
 - (iii) At 02:40, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar.
 - (iv) At 03:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Urub camp.
 - (v) At 09:00, Israeli forces raided Deir Al-Asal village.
- **Detention:** At 20:50, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Samou' junction detained Arafat Awadeh (A resident of Dura).
- **Temporary Detention:** At 16:00, Israeli forces positioned near AL-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron temporarily detained Mohammad Al-Samoudi (A resident of Jenin) then released him at 17:00.
- **Assault on Property:** On March 24th 2015, Israeli forces stormed Um Nier area located near "Sweiussa" settlement in south Yatta and served a military order the demolition of a water well owned by Mohammad Al-Jabour for allegedly being built without a licence.

GAZA STRIP

<p>ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • At 19:00 on August 26th 2014, Palestinian Gunmen and the Israeli military agreed to a cease fire agreement (brokered by the Arab Republic of Egypt) which includes the opening of border crossings to allow the entry of emergency supplies and humanitarian goods as well as construction material and agreed to increase the fishing limit to 6 nautical miles with possibility of increase to 12 nautical miles by the end of the year and to decrease the Military area to 100 meters, allow freedom of movement and a halt to targeted killings and assassinations and negotiations will be held for discussion on rebuilding the sea port and airports in the coming month. • Israeli forces broke the cease-fire agreement by opening fire from their positions behind the Green Line towards Gaza and Central Gaza. • Israeli Naval vessel broke the ceasefire agreements by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza.
<p>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, businesspersons and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination. • Attack: At dawn on March 25th 2015, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Al-Sudaniya beach in west Beit Lahiya.
<p>GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points: <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 closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. • Attack: On the evening of March 24th 2015, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire towards agricultural land in east Jaher Al-Dik located in south east Gaza city.
<p>CENTRAL GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Attack: On the evening of March 24th 2015, Israeli forces positioned behind the Green Line opened fire towards agricultural land in east Al-Buriej camp.
<p>RAFAH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points : <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 open for the entry of tourist and foreign diplomats and the entry of Humanitarian assistance and construction material funded by UNRWA.