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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 26th May 2013 – 08:00, 27th May 2013

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

| EVENT | WEST BANK | GAZA STRIP | TOTAL | NOTES |
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| Injury | 7 | _ | 7 | 3 in Jerusalem, 3 in Jenin and 1 in Hebron including 3 residents from Police dog attack and a child as a result of being ran over by an Israeli settler vehicle. |
| Physical Assault | 3 | - | 3 | Israeli forces assaulted and injured a resident in the old city of Jerusalem and assaulted 2 residents in Jenin. |
| Detention | 26 | _ | 26 | 10 in Jerusalem, 7 in Jenin, 2 in Tulkarem 2 in Qalqiliya, 32 in Salfit and 2 in Hebron including 3 children and 2 others after being injured. |
| Temporary Detention | 7 | _ | 7 | At checkpoints and residential areas. |
| Raids | 17 | _ | 17 | 3 in Jerusalem, 5 in Jenin, 2 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Nablus, 2 in Salfit and 3 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Checkpoints | 5 | _ | 5 | Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 4 others. |
| Flying Checkpoints | 10 | _ | 10 | 2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 4 in Jenin and 2 in Hebron. |
| Attack | 4 | 1 | 5 | 4 during confrontations and 1 from Naval vessels. |
| Installation of Military Post | 1 | _ | 1 | Israeli forces installed tents with several Israeli troops on agricultural land in Hebron. |
| House Occupation | 4 | _ | 4 | Israeli forces occupied the rooftops of 4 homes in the old city of Jerusalem and converted them into military post. |
| Confiscation of Property | 1 | _ | 1 | Israeli forces confiscated a computer as they stormed a home in Tulkarem. |
| Destruction of Property | 8 | _ | 8 | Israeli force damaged furniture and the main entrance after storming a home in Jenin, Israeli forces demolished 3 storage rooms in Jericho, demolished a livestock storage room in Bethlehem and damaged several wheat crops in Hebron. |
| Land Leveling | 1 | | 1 | Israeli forces levelled agricultural land in Hebron. |

| Wall Construction | 16 | _ | 16 | 4 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarm, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 2 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron |
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| Closure (per District) | 8 | _ | 8 | Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Main Roads | 77 | _ | 77 | Including 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Ramallah, 7 in Nablus, 25 in Bethlehem and 25 in Hebron. |
| Closure of Crossings | _ | 4 | 4 | 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 construction material |
| Assault on Places of Worship | 1 | _ | 1 | An Israeli Knesset Member (Parliament Member) accompanying several Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem under the protection of Israeli forces and provoked worshipers |
| Settler Violence | 2 | _ | 2 | Israeli settlers levelled agricultural land in Nablus and an Israeli settler vehicle ran over and injured a child in Hebron. |
| TOTAL | 198 | 5 | 203 | |

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| JERUSALEM | Closure: (i) The Israeli army intensified its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the 'demarcation area' along the Wall in the area surrounding occupied East Jerusalem and restricts access to local residents as well as to civilians holding special permits. (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill between Biddu and Beit Iksa villages. Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba' village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya checkpoint. Checkpoints: (i) Israeli authorities continue to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and designate a special crossing lane for holders of Jerusalem IDs and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city and at 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic. |
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| | (ii) On September 19 th 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall. |
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| | Raid: At 02:00 on May 26th 2013, Israeli forces raided Al-Isawiya village and detained a resident. At 04:00 on May 26th 2013 and again at 03:30 on May 27th 2013, Israeli forces raided Abu Dis, detained 2 residents including a child and stormed a home. Attack: On the evening of May 26th 2013, Israeli forces positioned near Hatat and Bab Al-Absat gates in the Old city of Jerusalem in the fired rubber coated steel bullets, stun and tear gas grenades towards several residents for alleged stoning and as a result injured Jihad Al-Muhtasib, Husam Sadr and Rafat Al –Joulani as well as assaulting Nabil Abu Khourub and occupied 4 homes converting their rooftops in military posts, stormed several homes and an internet café and detained 7 residents including 2 injured. Detention: Israeli force detained Mohammad Obied in Al-Isawiya. Israeli forces detained Jamil Dadnan (15 years old) and Ghazi Erikat in Abu Dis. Israeli forces detained 7 residents: Rafaat Al-Ajlouni (injured), Husam Sadr (injured), Jihad Abu Kharoub, Ammar Al-Razim, Samir Abu Rajab, Isam Al-Qabani and Rami Al-Qabani in the old city of Jerusalem. |
| | Assault on Places Worship: On the morning of May 26th 2013, Israeli Parliament Member Tsibi Hotoboli_and several Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound and provoked several worshipers. Wall Gates: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. 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 |
| RAMALLAH & AL BIREH | 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. (ii) Since 09:00, on May 18th 2013 Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Silwad and Deir Jrier with cement blocks. Flying Checkpoint: |
| JENIN | (i) At 16:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Atara bridge. (ii) At 16:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beitin. 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. 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. |

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| | (ii) Since the evening of November 25 th 2012, Israeli forces closed the |
| | • Flying Checkpoint: |
| | (i) At 09:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Arqa village junction.(ii) At 10:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Silat Al-Harthiya and Al-Yamoun until 13:00. |
| | (iii) On the evening of May 26 th 2013, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Arraba village junction and detained a resident. |
| | • Raid: |
| | (i) At 09:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Yamoun. (ii) At 09:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Hashimiya village and stormed a restaurant. |
| | (iii) At 09:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Zibada village and set up a checkpoint at its entrance. |
| | (iv) On the evening of May 26 th 2013, Israeli forces raided Ya'bad and detained a child. |
| | (v) At dawn on May 27 th 2013, Israeli forces raided Jenin, clashed with several residents as they stormed and searched several homes using Police |
| | dogs and as a result damaged the main entrance and several pieces of furniture owned by Ali Al-Darbi who was attacked by Police dogs as well as his son Ali Al-Darbi (7 years old) as well as assaulting and injuring his |
| | wife and child after Israeli forces assaulted them and detained 4 residents. |
| | Detention: (i) At 13:25, Israeli forces detained Khalid Ajouli, a resident of Tulkarem as he was reporting to Israeli intelligence for questioning. |
| | (ii) Israeli forces detained Nateq Al-Hantouli in Arraba.(iii) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Kamel (17 years old) in Ya'bad. |
| | (iv) Israeli forces detained 4 residents: Shadi Al-Darbi, Hassan Mir'I, Suliman Halhoul and Wassim Awartani in Jenin. |
| | 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. |
| TUBAS | • <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israeli army increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint and prevented residents from entering the area. |
| | Closure of Main Roads: |
| | (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. |
| | (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. |
| | <u>Checkpoints:</u> The Israel army continues to intensify its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. |
| TULKAREM | Raid: (i) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Deir Al-Ghusun. (ii) At 03:00, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem, stormed 2 homes, detained 2 residents and confiscated a computer. |
| | <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forced detained Ali Al-Krunzi and Darar Harouq in Tulkarem. <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. |

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| | 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. |
| | • Raid: At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Jayyus and detained 2 residents including a |
| | child. |
| | Detention: Israeli forces detained Ali Fawaz (17 years old) and Amir Khalid in |
| | Jayyus. |
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| | • Wall Gates: (i) The Irreali army continues to restrict access at 'Agrum 'Atma Wall gate and to |
| | (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to |
| | search civilians, including students, using a metal detector. |
| QALQILIYA | (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 |
| | 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. |
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| | • Wall Construction: |
| | (i) 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. |
| | • Closure of Main Roads: |
| | (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. |
| | • Raid: On the morning of May 26 th 2013, Israeli forces raided Al-Labban Al- |
| NABLUS | Sharqiya and began levelling land in Al-Khan area alleging they are digging for |
| NADLOS | archaeological sites. |
| | • Settler Violence: At 13:30, Israeli settlers levelled a plot of land in Burin. |
| | 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. |
| | (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 |
| SALFIT | cement blocks. |
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| | • Checkpoints: Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Za'tara Al-checkpoint |
| | and impeded the free flow of traffic. |
| | • Raid: |
| | (i) At 02:10, Israeli forces raided Kafil Harris, stormed several homes, |
| | detained 3 residents, and summoned Mamoun Baziriya to report to Israeli |
| | intelligence for questioning. |
| | (ii) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Harris village and summoned 3 residents: |
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| | Walim Daoud, Ihsan Souf and Sadeq Souf to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning. <u>Detention</u>: Israeli forces detained 3 residents: Assad Abdel Fattah Assad, Mahmoud Assad and Mohammad Assad in Kafil Harris. <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement. |
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| JERICHO | <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces closed Al-Hamra checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District. <u>Destruction of Property:</u> At 07:15, Israeli forces stormed Al-Jiftlik and demolished 3 storage rooms owned by Mohammad Ka'abna, Musa Ka'abna and Akif Ka'abna for allegedly being built without proper licencing because of its location in area C. |
| | • <u>Closure:</u> |
| | (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 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: a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and |
| BETHLEHEM | 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 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla. Destruction of Property: At 05:00 on May 26th 2013, Israeli forces demolished a storage room (Used to house Livestock) owned by Tarik Rabah in Al Khadr. |
| | Wall Construction: (i) Wall construction resumed in North West of Beit Jala town. (ii)On May 1 st 2013, The Israeli Supreme Court ruled to halt construction on the Wall in Betar village. |
| | • <u>Closure:</u> |
| | (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 |
| HEBRON | Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Thahiriya and Al-Samoa' |

- towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along the old Al-Shalala Street leading to Hebron's Old City.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to close all roads leading to Road # 60 as well as detour roads along the settler bypass road leading to Yatta town.
- (iv) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds a detour road leading to e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.
- (v) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.
- (vi) Since December 27th 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.
- <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 14:15, Israeli forces set up 2 checkpoints along Al-Huwara junction and at the entrance of Al-Fuwar camp.
- Raid:
 - (i) At 11:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Urub camp and detained a resident.
 - (ii) At 13:50, Israeli forces raided Hebron and stormed a home.
 - (iii)On the morning of May 27th 2013, Israeli forces raided Al-Tabaqa village, stormed a home and detained a resident.

• <u>Detention:</u>

- (i) Israeli forces detained Shamikh Al-Titi in Al-Urub camp.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Oday Haribat in Al-Tabaqa village.
- <u>Installation of Military Post:</u> On the afternoon of May 26th 2013, Israeli forces stormed agricultural land in Beit Ummar, installed several tents with several Israeli troops and clashed with several residents who were protesting the tent installation by the Israeli military on their agricultural land.
- <u>Land Levelling:</u> At 10:00, Israeli forces levelled land in Khilat Odeh area in Yatta, levelled 10 dunumes of agricultural land planted with wheat crops which is owned by Abu Sabaha, Al-Shamalsi and Al-Bathsh families for allegedly attempting to search for archaeological sites.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 12:30, Israeli settlers ran over and injured the child Bayan Shatat (7 years old) near Al-Zif village leaving her hospitalised with contusions.
- Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

At 21:00 on November 21st 2012, the unilateral ceasefire declared by Israel came into effect. At a later time on the same day, armed Palestinian groups announced an agreement to cease fire. On November 14th 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24th 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21st 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles. Israeli Naval vessels broke the ceasefire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza.

| NORTHERN GAZA | 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: At 06:00, Israeli naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya |
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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. |
| RAFAH | Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the entry and exit of residents. 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 construction material. |