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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 08 November 2010 – 08:00, 09 November 2010

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Arrests (per person)	13		13	Incl. 3 in Nablus & 2 in Hebron
Detentions	17	_	17	At checkpoints & in residential locales
Raids	14	1	15	Incl. 1 in Nablus & 1 in Jericho
Checkpoints	11	_	11	Access impeded at 7 checkpoints
Flying Checkpoints	31	_	31	Incl. 4 in Nablus & 3 in Qalqiliya
Attacks	2	1	3	2 in confrontations & 1 in a raid
Air Patrol	_	1	1	Reconnaissance above Central Gaza dis.
Confiscation of Property	3	_	3	Incl. computer & collection of books
Destruction of Property	1	_	1	Settlers cutting off 7 olive trees in Qalq.
Attack on Property	1	_	1	prevent building a wall around a house
Land Leveling	_	1	1	Area of land in Central Gaza district
Wall Construction	15	_	15	Jer., Raml'h., Qalq., Salfit, Heb., Beth.
Closure (per District)	7	_	7	Incl. Jerusalem city & 4 areas in Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	42		42	Incl. 10 in Nablus & 1 in Qalqiliya
Closure of Crossing Points	_	3	3	Partial opening of 4 crossings
Settlement Activity	*	_		Decision to build settlement houses in Jer.
Settler Violence	2	_	2	Incl. seizing 5 dunums in the Jordan Valley
TOTAL	136	9	145	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
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WEST BANK

• Closure:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at checkpoints set up at entrances to the city of Jerusalem and Al Aqsa Mosque compound.
- (ii) On 05 January 2009, the Israeli army issued military order # S/02/09 closing the seam line area, an extension of the Wall.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to impose a blockade and deny civilian access to a hill located in an area between the villages of Biddu and Beit Iksa.

• Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt barricades the entrance to the village of Jaba'.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the iron gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al Bareed in Jerusalem city from the town of Ar Ram.
- (iii) On 28 May 2010, the Israeli army closed the eastern entrance to the village of Beit Iksa, which leads to the city of Jerusalem, by an iron gate, and told civilians to pass through Qalandiya checkpoint to Jerusalem city.
- <u>Checkpoint</u>: The Israeli army continues to consider Qalandiya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and only allows holders of Jerusalem IDs to access the city of Jerusalem.

• Raids:

- (i) In the morning of 08 November 2010, the Israeli army raided the village of Al Isawiya and set up flying checkpoints at its entrances. Confrontations took place with civilians while patrolling the area.
- (ii) At 23:30, the Israeli army raided the village of Beit Duqqu and arrested a child.
- Attack: In the evening of 08 November 2010, the Israeli army fired in the neighborhood of Silwan in occupied Jerusalem city rubber coated steel bullets and tear gas bombs towards civilians under the pretext of throwing stones. The Israeli army arrested 6 civilians, including a child.

• Arrests:

- (i) The Israeli army arrested in the village of Beit Duqqu 17-year-old Haytham Hussein Muhammad Dawoud.
- (ii) The Israeli army arrested in the neighborhood of Silwan in occupied Jerusalem city 6 civilians, including 17-year-old Darweesh Da'na; Ibrahim Ar-Rajabi; Firas Burqan; and Hamouda Khadijah.
- <u>Settlement Activity</u>: On 08 November 2010, the Israeli occupation authorities decided to build 1298 housing units (including 978 housing units in the settlement of Har Homa and 320 housing units in Ramon Alon settlement) that are built on the land of occupied Jerusalem city.

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	 Wall Gates: The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks. The Israeli army continues to deny civilian access through the Wall gate on al-Shayyah road in the area between the villages of al-Sawahira al-Sharqiya and al-Sawahira al-Gharbiya, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area of al-'Eizariya to al-Shayyah, from Beit Surik village to Biddu village, in the areas of al Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina, west of al-Jib village, in the vicinity of the village of Qatanna, south of Beit Hanina village, and in the area surrounding the checkpoint set up at the entrance to Shu'fat refugee
	camp.
RAMALLAH & EL BIREH	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village, Safa village and the junction to the villages of Kafr Malik – Ein Samiya. Flying Checkpoints: At 11:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the overpass leading to 'Atara town and searched civilians and vehicles. At 13:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the town of Silwad and the village of Yabrud. At 13:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the town of 'Abud detained the civilian Rafe' Nabil Dar Jaber and released him following DCO intervention at 15:05. At 22:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the villages of Um Safa and Deir As-Sudan. Arrest: At 02:00 on 08 November 2010, the Israeli army arrested during a raid on the town of Beit Rima, as mentioned in the previous report, the civilian Muhammad Mubtasem Rahimi. Wall Construction: Wall construction continues west of the town of 'Abud, in the periphery of the settlement of Ofarim and north of the villages of Al Lubban Al Gharbi and Rantis.
JENIN	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road leading to 'Arraba town, east of the settlement of Dotan. Wall Gates: Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which affects the educational and health conditions of civilians living behind the Wall.
TOUBAS	 Checkpoint: The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at Tayasir checkpoint, allowing civilian access from 06:00 to 22:00. Detentions: At 11:35, the Israeli army handcuffed and detained 2 civilians at Tayasir checkpoint. They are Riyadh Ali Bani Odeh and Ali Khaled Bani Odeh. The Israeli army released them at a later time.

	• <u>Settler Violence</u> : At 06:40, a group of Israeli settlers from the settlement of Maskiot in the Northern Jordan Valley seized a plot of land estimated at 5 <i>dunums</i> belonging to the civilian 'Adel 'Elayan Abu Muhsen and erected barbed wire fence around it.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road between the town of Kafr Al Labad and the village of Shofeh and the road between the villages of Shofeh and Izbat Shofeh. Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at Einav checkpoint that is set up on Tulkarm-Nablus main road. Flying Checkpoint: At 17:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on Al Kafriyat Road and impeded civilian access. Raid: At 10:50, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Zeita. Wall Gates: Passage through the wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits, which affects the educational and health conditions of civilians living behind the Wall.
QALQILYA	 Closure of Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the agricultural roads east of the town of 'Azzun. Flving Checkpoints: At 14:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the village of Kafr Laqif and searched civilians and vehicles. At 17:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the village of Izbat At-Tabib and searched civilians and vehicles. At 18:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the village of Al Funduq and searched civilians and vehicles. Detention: At 22:00, the Israeli army detained near the entrance to the settlement of Tsufim the civilian Muhammad Ghazi Shukri and released him following DCO intervention at 22:20. Settler Violence: At 09:30, a group of Israeli settlers from the settlement outpost of Jil'ad entered civilian agricultural land in the village of Jit and cut off 7 olive trees belonging to the civilian Jamil Hamed Jar'an. Wall Gates: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and search civilians, including students, with a detector. The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the village of Wadi Ar-Rasha and prevent the access of its inhabitants. The Israeli army only allows the passage of students to their schools outside the village through Habla town gate, while allowing the passage of civilians through gate # 109. Wall Construction: Wall construction continues on land belonging to the village of Kafr Laqif, north of the settlement of Karni Shomron, on land belonging to the village of Immatin, northeast of the settlement of 'Amano'el, and east of the town of Kafr Thulth near the settlement of Ma'aleh Shomron.

Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Till-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 Osarin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osarin.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to the town of Qabalan; the southern entrances to the villages of Duma and Qaryut; and the western entrance to An Naqura village opposite Shavei Shomron settlement.

• Checkpoints:

- (i) At Tur neighborhood checkpoint (set up on Jerzim Mount) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On other days, it is open for civilian residents of the neighborhood only from 07:00 until 02:00.
- (ii) Awarta commercial checkpoint is open for civilians from 05:00 until 20:00 and on Friday from 05:00 until 15:00.
- (iii) At 11:15, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at Huwwara checkpoint and impeded civilian access. At 18:45, the Israeli army closed the checkpoint and prevented civilian access until 19:10.
- (iv) At 11:15, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at Shavi Shomron checkpoint, which is set up on Nablus Jenin main road, and impeded civilian access until 16:30.

• Flying Checkpoints:

- (i) At 11:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction leading to the settlement of Yitzhar.
- (ii) At 15:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction leading to the village of Qusin and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (iii) At 20:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint in the area between the town of Beita and the village of Osarin and arrested a civilian.
- (iv) At 07:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction leading to the village of Sarra and arrested a civilian.

• Raids:

- (i) At 19:50, the Israeli army raided the town of Qusra, detained the Palestinian National Security officer Raed Misbah and released him at a later time.
- (ii) At 22:55, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of Till.
- (iii) At 23:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of Salem.
- (iv) At 23:20, the Israeli army raided the town of Beit Furik and searched a house.
- (v) At 00:100, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Qabalan until 01:00.

• Arrests:

(i) At 10:00, the Israeli army arrested at Huwwara checkpoint the civilian Ala' Muhammad 'Atiya Najjar.

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	 (ii) The Israeli army arrested between the town of Beita and the village of Osarin the civilian Hani Zaki Khalil. (iii) The Israeli army arrested on the junction leading to the village of Sarra the civilian Muhammad Al-Ostah.
SALFIT	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the northern entrance to the city of Salfit, and continues to close with cement blocks and iron gates the northern entrance to the town of Bruqin. The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the entrances of 2 side roads between the village of Marda and its agricultural land. Checkpoint: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impede civilian access. Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area north of the town of Deir Istiya (southeast of the settlement of 'Amanu'el).
JERICHO	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of al-'Auja with cement blocks. Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at al-Hamra checkpoint and allow civilian access from 06:00 until 22:00. The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions on the checkpoint set up on the junction to the village of al-'Auja and allow access only to civilians holding Jericho and Jordan Valley IDs and those with permits. Flying Checkpoint: At 22:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance to the city of Jericho and searched civilians and vehicles. Raid: At 02:00, the Israeli army raided the village of Al Jiftlik, searched a house and confiscated a collection of books and papers from it and withdrew at 03:00.
BETHLEHEM	 Closure: 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. As of 15 September 2007, the Israeli army continues to prevent civilian access, pursuant to military order # 07/02, to 22 dunum area confiscated according to military order # 07/31 to establish a crossing point in the area of Al Mazmuriya between the cities of Beit Sahur and Bethlehem. Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the roads of Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmad, the sideway east of Beit Fajjar town and the agricultural road that is located between the town of Taqu'a and the village of Khirbet Al Baq'a. Flying Checkpoint: At 11:45, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction to An-Nashash area and searched civilians and vehicles.

- Raid: At 15:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of Battir.
- Confiscation of Property: In the morning of 08 November 2010, the Israeli army confiscated a truck belonging to the Joint Services Council for the villages located southwest of Bethlehem district while working in the village of Khirbet Iskaria, that is surround by Ghush Etzion settlement block, under the pretext that work in that area is only allowed with a special permit.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction continues in the area northwest of the town of al-Khadr and Beit Jala city; in the area of Wadi Rahhal east of Ephrata settlement; and in the area surrounding al-Walaja village.

• <u>Closure</u>:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the following locales in the old city of Hebron: al-Shuhada' Street and the area of al-Sahleh with cement blocks and barbed wire; the old gold market with an iron gate; the area of Khuzq al-Far near the settlement of Abraham Avino with a dirt barricade and an iron gate; and the entrance to the area of al-Khan with an electronic gate, isolating the area from al-Laban Market and the area of al-Sahleh. The Israeli army continues to close the entrance to al Laban Market by iron boards. The Israeli army also continues to install an iron gate at the entrance to the area of al-Hisba (the fruit and vegetable market) in the old city of Hebron, thereby controlling civilian access in the area.
- (ii) On 05 January 2009, the Israeli army issued military order # 09/06 closing the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta, evacuating those inside it and preventing civilians from accessing it. This is the land seized for military purposes for the construction of the Wall.

Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the following locales: the entrance to the town of al-Samoa'; the area of al-Hawawir leading to the town of Halhoul; the road connecting the town of Surif to the village of al-Jab'a; and the eastern entrance to the village of Kharsa; the entrance to al-Qeisi neighborhood in the old city of Hebron; the main entrance to al-'Arrub refugee camp; the village of At Tuwani as well as the entrance to the town of Adh Dhahiriya.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from travelling along Ash Shalala Old Street in the old city of Hebron.
- (iii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road between the villages of Al Karmil and At Tuwani and all roads leading to bypass Road # 60.

• Flying Checkpoints:

(i) At 08:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Al Fawwar refugee camp. Again at 18:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint and searched civilians and vehicles.

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- (ii) At 08:10, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Idhna. Again at 18:05, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (iii) At 08:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Tarqumiya and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (iv) At 08:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the overpass leading to Halhul town. Again at 18:30 and at 07:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (v) At 08:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the area of Farsh Al Hawa, north of Hebron city, off bypass road # 35, and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (vi) At 18:15, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to the town of Adh Dhahiriya and searched civilians and vehicles.
- (vii) At 20:25, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the northern entrance to Hebron city, off bypass road # 35. Again at 07:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 08:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Adh Dhahiriya and searched a house.
- (ii) At 12:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Surif, arrested a child and withdrew 14:00.
- (iii) At 15:30, the Israeli army raided the city of Hebron, detained the civilian Nasri Muhammad Taysir Al Heimuni and released him at a later time.
- (iv) At 04:50, the Israeli army raided Al Arrub refugee camp and arrested a civilian.

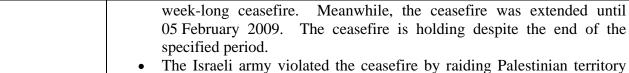
• Arrests:

- (i) The Israeli army arrested in the town of Surif 13-year-old Ibrahim Qasem Shaker Ghnaimat.
- (ii) The Israeli army arrested in Al Arrub refugee camp the civilian Mahmoud Jaber Jawabreh.
- Attack on Property: At 14:00, the Israeli army prevented the civilian Sufian Tawfiq Omar Masalmeh, an inhabitant of the town of Beit 'Awwa, from building a wall around his house under the pretext of its proximity to a military post.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction continues in the section of Tarqumiya checkpoint terminal, in the periphery of Eshkolot settlement southwest of Adh Dhahiriya town and between southwest of Arab Ar Ramadin village and the village of Imneizil.

GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS

• At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, the Israeli army declared a unilateral ceasefire. In the meantime, armed Palestinian groups declared a one-



 The Israeli army violated the ceasefire by raiding Palestinian territory and opening fire in Central Gaza district.

Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing is partially open for **NORTHERN** the passage of critically ill civilians, foreign journalists, the staff of international humanitarian organizations, traders, businessmen and civilians GAZA travelling through Al Karama Crossing who have prior coordination. **Closure of Crossing Points:** (i) Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is partially open for the entry of wheat and **GAZA** fodder. Al-Shuja'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing for fuel transport is closed since (ii) 04 January 2010 by an Israeli unilateral decision. **Raid:** In the morning of 09 November 2010, the Israeli army, including a number of armored vehicles and bulldozers covered by reconnaissance **CENTRAL GAZA** aircrafts, raided Palestinian territory east of Al Maghazi refugee camp, and opened fire intensively while leveling an area of land. **KHAN** Activities not reported. **YOUNIS Closure of Crossing Points:** (i) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al Awdah) Crossing is open for the departure of the 6th batch of (ii) pilgrims. **RAFAH** Sufa Crossing is closed. (iii) Karm Abu Salim (Karem Shalom) Crossing is partially open for the (iv) entry of food, humanitarian assistance, a quantity of diesel for the electricity plant and 20 vehicles imported for the private sector.

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