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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 13 November 2007 – 08:00, 14 November 2007

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injuries	---	1	1	Female civilian in Central Gaza
Physical Assaults	1	---	1	Israeli army beats civilian in Jenin
Arrests	9	---	9	Incl. 4 in Hebron; 1 in Jerusalem
Detentions	23	---	23	At checkpoints & in residential areas
Raids	33	4	37	Incl. 5 in Jenin; 7 in Bethlehem
Checkpoints	17	---	17	Closure of checkpoints, stricter measures
Flying Checkpoints	21	---	21	Incl. 4 in Jerusalem; 3 in Hebron
Attacks	6	8	14	During 7 raids; 4 confrontations
Air Patrols	2	4	6	4 helicopters; 2 surveillance aircrafts
Provocation of Pal. Forces	1	---	1	Israeli army sets up post in Beit Jala
Construction of Mil. Post	1	---	1	Military control tower in Bethlehem
House Occupation	4	---	4	In Nablus
Demolition of Property	1	---	1	Artesian well in Jenin
Land Leveling	1	1	2	In Jenin and Northern Gaza
Wall construction	25	---	25	Continues in the West Bank
Closures	7	---	7	Partial in Jerusalem, 3 areas in Jenin
Closure of Main Roads	36	---	36	Incl. 3 in Jerusalem, 5 in Tulkarem
Closure of Crossing Points	---	7	7	Except for humanitarian cases
Settlement Activity	1	---	1	Land razed in Jenin
Palestinian Attacks	---	6	6	13 mortars fired towards Green Line
TOTAL	189	31	220	

DISTRICT	EVENT
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WEST BANK

ALL DISTRICTS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at checkpoints set up on the main roads connecting the West Bank districts, thereby isolating the northern districts from the southern districts as well as the Jericho district and the Jordan Valley from the remainder of the West Bank.
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JERUSALEM	<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. The Israeli army also continues to close the entrances to al-Aqsa Mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem and impede civilian access to the mosque. Closure of Main Roads: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Israeli army continues to close the entrance opposite the junction to Dahiyat al-Bareed in the city of Jerusalem with a barbed wire gate and to deny civilian access. The Israeli army continues to close the road connecting Dahiyat al-Bareed to the town of al-Ram in order to complete Wall construction in the area. The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt barricades the entrance to the village of Jaba', which connects the village to the cities of Jerusalem, Ramallah, and Jericho. Checkpoints: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Israeli army continues to consider Qalandya checkpoint a "border crossing point" and has designated a special crossing for holders of Jerusalem IDs and those possessing permits to access the city of Jerusalem. The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at Rafat and Ramot checkpoints, as well as the checkpoint set up near the village of Jaba' Flying Checkpoints: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> At 11:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the junction of the town of al-Ram, and searched civilians and vehicles. At 16:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the junction of the village of Beit Sourik. Raids: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> The Israeli army raided the town of Anata and searched one house. The Israeli army raided the town of Abu Dis and searched one house. Arrests: The Israeli army arrested in Jabal al-Mukaber in the city of Jerusalem civilian Daoud Fahmi al-Mashahri. Detentions: At 23:00, the Israeli army stationed at the checkpoint set up near the village of Jaba' detained military officer Majd Majdi Saad but released him after the intervention of the military liaison at 01:40. Wall Gates:
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Wall gate in the town of Abu Dis with cement blocks. (ii) 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 Dahiyat al-Bareed, Dahiyat al-Aqbat, from the village of Hizma to ‘Anata, along the Hizma-Jaba’ road, the area of al-‘Eizariya to al-Shayyah, from the village of Beit Surik to Biddu, in the areas of al-Judeira, Bir Nabala, and Beit Hanina, west of the village of al-Jib, and in the vicinity of the village of Qatanna.
RAMALLAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the eastern entrance to the village of Sinjil. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the western entrance to the village of Saffa. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on the overpass to the town of ‘Atara and to impede civilian access. • Flying Checkpoints: At 20:15, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint between the towns of ‘Aroura and ‘Ajjoul, and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids: (i) At 18:10, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Sinjil. (ii) At 01:25, the Israeli army raided the town of Birzeit, searched a building and checked the IDs of its residents after detaining them in the open. The Israeli army withdrew at 02:30. (iii) The Israeli army raided the village of Deir Abu Mashal and arrested one civilian • Arrests: The civilian arrested in the village of Deir Abu Mashal is Ibrahim Abdelraziq Zahran. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area west of the town of ‘Abud as well as in the areas of al-Midya to Ni’lin and Ni’lin to Deir Qaddis.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the road leading to the town of ‘Arraba east of the settlement of Dotan. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to close Tayaseer checkpoint east of the town of Tubas, denying civilian access to the Northern Jordan Valley, except for civilians whose IDs indicate that their place of residence is the Northern Jordan Valley. • Flying Checkpoints: (i) At 08:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the southern entrance to the city of Jenin. (ii) At 09:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint between the villages of

	<p>al-Far'a and Siris.</p> <p>(iii) At 10:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint between the town of al-Zababdeh and the village of al-Kfir.</p> <p>(iv) At 14:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the junction of the town of Arraba, and searched civilians and vehicles.</p> <p>(v) At 16:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the junction of the town of Jaba', and searched civilians and vehicles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raids: <p>(i) At 22:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of al-Far'a.</p> <p>(ii) At 22:00, the Israeli army raided the area located alongside the apartheid Wall north of the city of Jenin, and opened fire indiscriminately while combing the area.</p> <p>(iii) At 20:30, the Israeli army raided the town of Tamon, searched 2 houses, attacked one civilian, and withdrew at 02:30.</p> <p>(iv) At 02:30, the Israeli army raided the city of Jenin and searched one house in the area of Wadi Burqin.</p> <p>(v) At 23:00, the Israeli army raided the village of 'Aneen and opened indiscriminate fire during patrol.</p> • Demolition of Property: The Israeli army demolished an artesian well located in the western part of the village of Deir Abu Da'eef and belongs to civilian Fayad As'ad Alayat. • Settlement Activity: The Israeli army razed large area of land and surrounded it with barbed wires near Movo Dotan settlement. • 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.
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: The Israeli army continues to declare the district of Tulkarem a closed military zone and to impede civilian access to and from the district. • Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the Dahiyat Iktaba-Bal'a road; the entrance to the village of Saffarin; the road connecting the town of Deir al Ghusun to 'Attil's plain; the road to the town of Deir al-Ghusun's plain; and the entrance to the village of 'Izbat Abu Khamish. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Jubara checkpoint (the southern entrance to the city of Tulkarem) as well as at 'Einav checkpoint (the eastern entrance to the city). At 17:00, the Israeli army denied civilians between the age of 16 and 35 access through the 'Einav checkpoint. • Raids: <p>(i) At 08:15, the Israeli army raided the area located between the towns of 'Allar, 'Ateel, Deir al-Ghusun and Bal'a, detained 4 civilians (one civilian and hid 3 daughters), and withdrew at 11:20.</p> <p>(ii) At 15:25, the Israeli army raided the area near the village of Zeita and combed it.</p> <p>(iii) At 23:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city of Tulkarem.</p> <p>(iv) At 03:00, the Israeli army raided the town of 'Allar, arrested 2 civilians,</p>

	<p>and remains there until the time this report is being prepared.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrests: The 2 civilians arrested in the town of ‘Allar are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Mohammad Faleh Ata Bilal; and (b) Majd Abdelrazek Jeebat. • 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.
QALQILIYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the agricultural roads east of the town of ‘Azzun as well as the road that connects the town of ‘Azzun to the village of ‘Izbat at Tabib. (ii) The Israeli army continued to close the northern entrance to the town of ‘Azzun with an iron gate. • Flying Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 17:00, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the junction of the village of Jinasaphot, and searched civilians and vehicles until 17:30. (ii) The Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the eastern entrance to the city of Qalqilya and near the village of Ras Atiyyeh. • Raids: At 03:30, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of ‘Izbat al-Teeb. • Wall Gates: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Passage through the Wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. (ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at ‘Azzun ‘Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, with a metal detector. • Wall Construction: Land leveling for Wall construction continues in the villages of Immatin and Kafr Laqif as well as east of the towns of Kafr Thulth and ‘Azzun.
NABLUS	<p>Closure of Main Roads:</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Jenin-Nablus road between the junction to the village of Deir Sharaf and the settlement of Shavei Shomron. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the settler bypass road connecting the village of Deir al-Hatab to the settlement of Alon Moreh as well as the southern entrance to the village of Qaryut. (iii) The Israeli army continues to close the entrance to the village of al-Lubban al-Sharqiya with dirt barricades and cement blocks. (iv) The Israeli army continues to block the roads leading to the town of al-Jama'een with dirt barricades. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to regulate times for crossing checkpoints set up around the city of Nablus: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At Tur neighborhood checkpoint (set up on Jerzim Mount) is closed on Fridays and Saturdays as well as during Jewish holidays. On all other days, it is open for civilian residents of the neighborhood only. (ii) Beit Furik checkpoint is open to civilian residents of the town of Beit

	<p>Furik and the nearby village of Beit Dajan.</p> <p>(iii) Beginning on 23 November 2006, the Israeli army continues to close the checkpoint set up in the area between the city of Nablus and the town of 'Asira al-Shamaliya and to prevent civilians from crossing, only allowing access to humanitarian cases.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raids: (i) At 00:50, the Israeli army raided the city of Nablus, the refugee camp of Balata, and the refugee camp of Ein al-Ma' and opened fire intensively. In addition, the Israeli army occupied a house and turned into a military post, the Israeli army withdrew at 05:30. (ii) The Israeli army raided the town of al-Jama'een where clashed with civilians broke out during patrol.
SALFIT	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: (i) The Israeli army continues to close the main north-western entrance to the city of Salfit with dirt barricades since the beginning of the current <i>Intifada</i> (Uprising). (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt barricades the western entrance to the village of Marda and, with cement blocks, the western entrance to the town of Kafr al-Dik. • Checkpoints: (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions at Deir Ballut and Za'tarah checkpoints and to deny civilian access. At 13:10, the Israeli army closed Za'tarah checkpoint and opened it at 13:40. (ii) The Israeli army continues to intensify restrictions at the junction of the town of Za'tarah and impede traffic. • Flying checkpoints: At 18:30, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint between the towns of Brouqin and Kafr al-Dik, and searched civilians and vehicles. • Raids: (i) At 08:45, the Israeli army raided the village of Marda and set up a checkpoint at its entrance. The Israeli army withdrew at 10:00. (ii) At 16:25, the Israeli army raided the town of Deir Istiyya where clashes with civilians broke out during patrol. The Israeli army detained child Nizam al-Sheikh, 14, and withdrew at 17:30. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area northwest of the city of Salfit, and in the village of Marda and the town of Kafr Hares north of the settlement of Ari'el.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between the city of Jericho and the village of al-'Auja with cement blocks and to prevent farmers not holding Jericho Governorate IDs from reaching their land, forcing them to apply for access permits. The Israeli army also continues to deny access to the city to holders of Israeli IDs. • Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to intensify its restrictions and impede civilian access at al-Hamra checkpoint set up along al-Badhan road connecting the districts of Jericho and Nablus as well as on the checkpoint set up on the junction to the village of al-'Auja along al-Mu'arrajat road connecting the districts of Jericho and Ramallah.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 22;10, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint on the al-Mu'arrajat road connecting the districts of Jericho and Ramallah, and searched civilians and vehicles.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 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. (ii) Since September 15, 2007, the Israeli army has been preventing civilian access, according to military order 07.02.S, to the 22-dunum land that has been confiscated in accordance with confiscation order number 07.31.T. The 22-dunum area has been set to construct a passage in the area of Mazmouriyyeh that is located in the cities of Beit Sahour and Bethlehem. • <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>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:10, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint in the area of al-Nashash (southern entrance to the city of Bethlehem), and searched civilians and vehicles until 21:15. (ii) The Israeli army set up a checkpoint near the entrance to the city of Beit Sahour, and searched civilians and vehicles. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of Beit Ta'mor. (ii) At 12:30, the Israeli army raided the city of Bethlehem and arrested one civilian. The raid recurred at 00:10. (iii) At 17:30, the Israeli army raided the town of al-Khader, stopped a football match and checked civilian IDs. (iv) At 23:30, the Israeli army raided the city of Beit Jala and set up a post in front of the Palestinian police station. (v) At 06:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of al-Khader and the refugee camp of al-Dheisheh. • <u>Arrests:</u> The civilian arrested in the city of Bethlehem is Iyad Habib Mousa Habib. • <u>Construction of Military Posts:</u> At 09:00, the Israeli army set up a military control tower near Solomon's pools in the area of al-Nashash south of the city of Bethlehem. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continues for the Jewish weekend in the area northwest of the town of al-Khader; northwest of the city of Beit Jala; in the area of Wadi Rahhal east of the settlement of Ephrata; and in the area surrounding the village of al-Walaja.
HEBRON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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

	<p>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 also continues to install an iron gate at the entrance to the area of al-Hisba (the fruits and vegetables market) in the old city of Hebron, thereby controlling civilian access in the area.</p> <p>(ii) Although it expired on 07 May 2006, the Israeli army continues to implement a military order stipulating the prohibition of civilian vehicles from traveling along the road connecting the settlement of Kiryat Arba' to the Ibrahimi Mosque in the old city of Hebron unless they possess access permits.</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 barricades the following locales: the entrance to the town of al-Samoa'; the area of al-Hawawir leading to the town of Halhoul; 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; the road connecting the town of Surif to the village of al-Jab'a; the entrance to the village of Beit 'Einun; and the eastern entrance to the village of Kharsa. The Israeli army also continues to close with cement blocks the entrance to al-Qeisi neighborhood in the old city of Hebron as well as the main entrance to al-'Arroub refugee camp. (ii) In accordance with Military Order # 378, the Israeli army continues to prohibit Palestinian vehicles from traveling along Shalala Old Street that leads to the old city of Hebron, only allowing Israeli vehicles as well as Israeli army vehicles to travel along this street. (iii) At 13:00, the Israeli army closed the entrance to the town of Beit 'Ummar with an iron gate after clashes with civilians. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:30, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the junction of the village of Zeef, and searched civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 17:30, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint at the junction of the towns of Tarqumia and Edna, detained a Palestinian police vehicle carrying policemen but released them later after the intervention of the military liaison. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Dura. (ii) At 11:20, the Israeli army raided the town of Bani Na'eem, and set up a checkpoint at its entrance and denied civilian access. Clashes with civilians broke out during house search. In addition, the Israeli army detained a Palestinian police vehicle carrying 6 military officers but released them after the intervention of the military liaison. (iii) At 11:45, the Israeli army raided the city of Hebron, searched a number of buildings and checked residents IDs. The raid recurred at 21:00 during which the Israeli army searched one civilian house. The Israeli army withdrew at 05:30.
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	<p>(iv) At 14:05, the Israeli army raided the town of Sa'ir where clashes with civilians broke out during patrol. Additionally, the Israeli army arrested one child.</p> <p>(v) At 02:00, the Israeli army raided the town of Yatta and arrested 2 university students.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Arrests: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army arrested few days back child Ahmad Youssef al-Zeer, 17, near the al-Ibrahimi Mosque in the old city of Hebron claiming he had a knife. (ii) The civilian child arrested in the town of Sa'ir is Majed Mohammad Jaradat, 13. (iii) The 2 civilians arrested in the town of Yatta are: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (a) Zakaria Saleh al-amour; and (b) Shadi Mahmoud Nawaj'ah. • Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the section of Tarqumiya checkpoint terminal, the remaining section of the Wall route that separates the settlement of Eshkolot from the village of al-Ramadin, and near the village of Imneizil southeast of the town of Yatta.
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GAZA STRIP

<p>NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanoun (Erez) Crossing is partially open (to allow previously coordinated humanitarian access). • Raids: At dawn on October 14, the Israeli army raided the area of Sharab in the town of Beit Hanoun and opened fire intensively and razed land. • Air Patrols: At 16:30, Israeli combat helicopters and surveillance aircrafts flew over Northern Gaza. • Palestinian Attacks: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 17:00, one (unidentified) mortar was fired towards the Green Line. (ii) At 17:15, one (unidentified) mortar was fired towards the Green Line. (iii) In the morning of October 13, two (unidentified) mortars were fired towards the Green Line.
<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. (ii) Al-Shuja'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is partially open to let in fuel. • Attacks: In the morning of October 13, the Israeli army fired 3 tank missiles from its post inside the Green Line towards the open area east of al-Zaytounah neighborhood in the city of Gaza. • Palestinian Attacks: In the evening of October 13, two mortars were fired towards the Green Line.
<p>CENTRAL GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:00, the Israeli army raided the village of Wadi al-Salqa and opened fire indiscriminately resulting in the injury of female civilian Aishah Hassan Sa'eed. (ii) At 16:30, the Israeli army raided the refugee camp of al-Breij and engaged in armed clashes with armed individuals. The raid recurred at 23:30 during which the Israeli army opened fire intensively towards

	<p>civilian houses.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Palestinian Attacks:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:10, armed individuals fired an anti-tank missile towards the Green Line east of the city of Rafah. At once the Israeli army opened fire towards Palestinian areas. (ii) At 15:20, armed individuals fired an anti-tank missile towards the Green Line east of the refugee camp of al-Maghazi. At once the Israeli army opened fire towards Palestinian areas. (iii) In the evening of October 13, 7 mortars were fired towards the Green Line.
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 (al-Awdah) Crossing is closed. (iii) Sufa Crossing is partially open. (iv) Karm Abu Salim (Karem Shalom) Crossing is partially open to let in food and goods.