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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00 14th November 2011 – 08:00 15th November 2011

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	6		6	5 civilians and 1 female during an air strike on Northern Gaza
Physical Assault	3		3	Israeli army beat 3 civilians in Isawiya village in Jerusalem
Arrests	10		10	Incl. 1 in Ramallah; 2 in Jenin;3 in Bethlehem
Raids	30		30	Incl. 1 in Jerusalem; 3 in Ramallah; 4 in Jenin
Detentions (per Person)	12		12	At checkpoints and in residential areas.
Closure of Checkpoints	10		10	Temporary access allowed at 3 and impeded at 7
Attacks	1	1	2	1 during raids; 1 during confrontations
Confiscation of Property	4		4	Pipes, water tank and electric generator
Demolition of Property	1		1	1 cistern in Toubas
Flying Checkpoints	19		19	Incl. 2 in Jerusalem; 6 in Bethlehem; 2 in Hebron
Wall Construction	16		16	Incl. 4 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqilya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem, & 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	8		8	Incl. 2 in Bethlehem,1 in Jerusalem, & 5 Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	51		51	Incl. 3 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 2 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqilya, 9 in Nablus, 3 in Salfit, 1 in Jericho, 5 in Bethlehem, & 15 in Hebron
Closure of Crossings		4	4	Beit Hanun Erez opened partially for humanitarian cases
TOTAL	165	11	176	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
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	 (iii) At 23:55, the Israeli army raided the village of Jalqamous, stormed into several houses, arrested 2 civilians and retreated at 02:00 Arrests: The 2 civilians arrested in the village of Jalqamous are: Abdel Rahim Sami Salman Al-Haj and Khalil Al-Haj. 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	 Checkpoints: The Israeli army continues to restrict Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00. Raids: At 14:10, the Israeli army raided the village of Khirbet 'Atouf, demolished a cistern and confiscated water pipes and a generator owned by a civilian called Mohammad Fakhri Abdel Razik.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. Since 13:00 on 03 November 2011, the Israeli army continues to close the detour road with dirt mounds connecting the villages of Shifa and Safarin. Checkpoints: The Israeli army increased restrictions on Palestinian access at 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. Raids: At 08:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city of Tulkarem and its refugee camp, set up a checkpoint and retreated at 11:25. At 16:40, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city of Tulkarem. The raid took place again at 23:35. At 23:00, the Israeli army raided the towns of Anabta and Balaa and the refugee camp of Ein Shams, stormed several civilian homes, including the ihome of a released prisoner, and retreated at 01:30. Wall Gates: Passage through the wall gates is restricted to civilians granted special Israeli permits. Wall Construction: Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route has resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court
QALQILYA	 decision, the new Wall route will be constructed west of the village. Closure of Roads: Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of the town of 'Azzun. In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second <i>Intifada</i>, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to Kafr Qaddum village. Flying Checkpoints: At 18:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction of the village of Jeet and searched civilians and vehicles. At 19:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the entrance of the village of Beit Amin and searched civilians and vehicles. Raids: At 11:45, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the villages of Hijjeh and Kafr

(ii)

Qaddoum.

- At 01:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the townof Jayyous.
- **Detention**: At 13:30, the Israeli army detained 4 children in the town of 'Azzun: Youssef Mahmoud Adwan 14; Younis Mahmoud Adwan, 15; Youssef Mahran Sweidan, 13; Youssef Mohammad Sweidan 15; and released them at 18:50.

Wall Gates:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector.
- The Israeli army continues to close with an iron gate the entrance to the (ii) 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.

Wall Construction:

- Wall construction resumed in Kafr Laqef village north of Karnei Shomron (i) settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement.
- (ii) On 13 November 2011, the Israeli army levelled Palestinian landing the village of 'Azzun Itmeh in order to construct the wall and expand the settlement of Uranit.

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 'Agraba to the village of Osrin; and the detour road between the town of Qabalan and the village of Osrin.
- The Israeli army continues to close the northern entrance to Qabalan town; the (ii) southern entrances to the town of Jamma'in and the villages of Duma and Oarvut.
- **Checkpoints:** The Israeli army continues to restrict times for crossing checkpoints set up around the city of Nablus:
- (i) Al-Tur neighbourhood 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 between 07:00 and 02:00 only to residents of the neighbourhood.

At 'Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are only allowed to cross (ii) between 05:00 and 20:00, and between 05:00 and 15:00 on Fridays. All vehicles can access the city of Nablus, but only commercial vehicles and ambulances can leave the city through the checkpoint.

- At 12:00, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions on civilian movement (iii) on Huwara checkpoint.
- (iv) At 10:45, the Israeli army intensified restrictions on Shavi Shomron checkpoint and impeded civilian access. In addition, the Israeli army detained civilians and released them at a later time. Restrictions were intensified again at 22:55.

Flying checkpoints:

- At 11:20, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the junction of the (i) town of Beit Fourik and searched civilians and vehicles until 13:00.
- At 15:30, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the junction of the (ii) village of Deir Sharaf (on Nablus-Tulkarem Road), and searched civilians and vehicles until 16:30.

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	(iii) At 17:30, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint on the junction of al-Maslakh area (the entrance of the eastern part of Nablus) and searched civilians and vehicles.
	• Raids:
	(i) At 00:40, the Israeli army raided the village of Tel and fired flash
	grenades and sound bombs.
	(ii) At 01:20, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the city of Nablus.
	• Arrests: At 00:30 on 14 November 2011, the Israeli army arrested in the
	refugee camp of Balata 1 civilian called Ismail Abu Alfa.
	• Closure of Main Roads:
	(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds and cement blocks the
	northern entrance to Bruqin town.
	(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the entrance to two detour roads connecting Marda village to its farmland.
	(iii) Since 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to
SALFIT	Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years.
	• Checkpoints: At 12:15, the Israeli army closed Zatara checkpoint and obstructed
	the free flow of traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoints: At 13:25, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint on the
	entrance of the village of Iskaka and searched civilians and vehicles.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction has resumed in the area north of Deir
	Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement Emmanuel.
	• Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between
	Jericho city and Al 'Auja village with cement blocks.
	• Checkpoints:
	(i) Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up
	along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access to
	residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley area. And from 23:20 to
	23:50, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint while searching the surrounding
	area.
JERICHO	(ii) Israeli forces continue to restrict access at the checkpoint set up on the
orneno	junction to Al-'Auja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho
	District and others with access permits.
	• Flying Checkpoints: At 18:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint at the
	southern entrance of Jericho and searched civilians and vehicles. The checkpoint
	was set up again at 21:45.
	• Arrests: At 10:00, the Israeli army arrested at Al-Karama (Allenby) Crossing a
	civilian called Qassem Mohammad Youssef Sha'er from Qalqilya on his way back
	home from Pilgrimage.
	• Closure: (i) The Israeli army continues to close reads to An Nu'man village, with the
	(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
BETHLEHEM	the village. (ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Igraeli army has prevented givilians from
	(ii) Since 15 September 2007, the Israeli army has prevented civilians from
	accessing or staying on 22 <i>dunums</i> of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.
	• Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi
	Ahmed road; a road east of Beit Fajjar town; the road connecting Tuqu' town to
	Khirbet al Baq'a village; and the detour road connecting Wadi Fukin and Al

	Jab'a villages.				
	• Flying Checkpoints:				
	(i)	At 11:35, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the entrance of the town of Zaatara and searched civilians and vehicles.			
	(ii)	At 11:55, the Israeli army set up a checkpoint on the entrance of the village of Marah Rabah and searched vehicles and civilians until 13:30.			
	(iii)	At 12:30, the Israeli army set up 2 flying checkpoints on the northern and southern entrances of the town of Teqoa and searched civilians and vehicles until 13:45.			
	(iv)	At 17:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint junction of Al-Nashash (southern entrance of the city of Bethlehem) and searched civilians and vehicles.			
	(v)	At 18:40, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint near the town of Al- Khader and searched civilians and vehicles.			
		a <mark>ids</mark> :			
	(i)	At 10:35, the Israeli army raided the town of Zaatara and searched a civilian home.			
	(ii)	At 23:10, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the village of Marah Rabah.			
	(iii)	At 03:35, the Israeli army raided the city of Bethlehem and Dheisheh refugee camp and arrested 3 civilians, including 1 university student.			
	• <u>A</u> ı	rrests: The 3 civilians arrested in Bethlehem are: Khaled jamal Ibrahim Farraj;			
		o'taz Ibrahim Hamdan Ahmad and his brother Hamdan.			
		Yall Construction: Wall construction resumed northwest of Beit Jala town.			
		losure:			
	(i) (ii)	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. Since 05 January 2009, the Israeli army has closed the area located along the Green Line south of the town of Yatta. Having seized land for Wall construction, the Israeli army evicted the Palestinian residents and denied them			
		access to the area.			
	• <u>Cl</u>	losure of Main Roads:			
Hebron	(i)	The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Al-Dhahiriya 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 the entrance to Al-Simiya village.			
	(v)	Since 15 October 2011, the Israeli army closes 2 entrances of the town of 'Ummar (Al-Mqabara and Qit'at Al-'Arba'een) with cement blocks.			
		ying Checkpoints:			
	(i)	At 08:00, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the entrance of the area of Nabi Younis on Bethlehem-Hebron Road and searched civilians and vehicles.			

(ii) At 14:50, the Israeli army set up a flying checkpoint on the entrance of the town of Edna and searched civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) At 13:00, the Israeli army raided the city of Hebron and stormed several civilian homes.
- (ii) At 23:50, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Al-Sammou'.
- (iii) At 00:40, the Israeli army raided the town of Beit Awwa, stormed the house of Mahmoud Abu Ghalya (a released prisoner) and questioned him.
- (iv) At 02:00, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Yatta, searched a civilian home, arrested 1 civilian and confiscated a revolver.
- (v) At 02:50, the Israeli army raided and patrolled the town of Surif and stormed 1 civilian home.

• Arrests:

- (i) At 01:30 on 14 November 2011, the Israeli army arrested in the city of Hebron a civilian called Abdel Fattah Samih Gheith.
- The civilian arrested in the town of Yatta is called Mohammad Mousa A-Harmoush.
- Wall Construction: Wall construction continues in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Dhahiriya town.

GAZA STRIP

At 02:00 on 18 January 2009, 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. The ceasefire has been further renewed on 30 October 2011. The Israeli breached the ceasefire and fired 10 missiles on Rafah. In addition, the air strike on Al-Soudaniyye area west o the town of Beit Lahia resulted in the injury of 5 civilians and the abortion of one female. Injury: At dawn on 14 November 2011, 5 civilians were injured and 1 female aborted during an air strike on the area of Al-Soudaniyye west of the town of Beit Lahia.

NORTHERN GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) Crossing was partially opened or humanitarian cases.
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. Attacks: On 15 November 2011, the Israeli army fired 10 missiles on agricultural land east of the city of Gaza.
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing was partially opened for humanitarian cases Al-Awda – Rafah Crossing was open for pilgrims and students and visa holders.