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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 17th November 2011 – 08:00, 18th November 2011

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	2	_	2	2 Hebron resident were beaten
Detention	9		9	1 in Qalqilya,1 in Nablus, 4 in Jericho,1 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron,
Temporary Detentions	11	_	11	At checkpoints and in residential areas.
Raids	15		15	In 3 in Jenin,5Tulkarem,3 in Qalqilya 3 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit and 6 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	9	_	9	allowed at 3 checkpoints & impeded at 8others
Flying Checkpoints	18	_	18	Incl. 2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 3 in Qalqilya5in Nablus,1 in Salfit, 3 in Jericho32 in Bethlehem & 1 in Hebron
Attacks	2		2	1 during raids, 1 during confrontations
Destruction of Property	1	_	1	Israeli forces destroyed water wells in Hebron
Confiscation of Property	1		1	Israeli forces confiscated a computer in Nablus
Wall Construction	16	_	16	4 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah, 1 in Tulkarem,3 in Qalqilya, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Incl. 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Nablus,1 in Jerusalem & 5Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	51	_	51	Incl.4 in Tulkarem, 9 in Nablus and 21 in Hebron
Closure of Crossings		4	4	Beit Hanoun crossing open, Erez crossing partially open for humanitarian cases and cooking gas and Rafah crossing open for the entry and exit of passengers.
Settlement Activity	1		1	Israeli forces placed cement blocks at the entrance of Shofat Camp.
TOTAL	144	4	148	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
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WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	 Closure: (i) The Israeli army continues to increase its restrictions at checkpoints located at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city entrance and the entrance to the Old 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 the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town. (iii) 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: 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. Wall Gates: (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-Sawahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices. Wall Construction: Wall construction continued 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.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. Flying Checkpoint: At 10:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Ur Al-Foqa. Wall Construction: Wall construction continued 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.
JENIN	 Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan. Raid: At 15:30, Israeli forces raided Zabuba village until 16:00. At 23:30, Israeli forces raided Kafr Raai, Al-Jarba and Al-Zawya villages, stormed a home and served Shadi Jawabra, a resident of Kafr Raai, a summon to report to Israeli intelligence .

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	(iii) At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Marka village and stormed a home.
	(iv) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Atra village and stormed a home.
	(v) At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Yaabad.
	• 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 continues to restrict Palestinian access to the
TUBAS	Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00.
	• <u>Closure of Main Roads</u> : The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village and the dirt road between
	Shufa and Saffarin villages.
	• Checkpoints: At 08:00 and again at 18:30 the Israeli army increased restrictions
	on Palestinian access at 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and
	fired flash grenades into the sky.
	• Raids: At 11:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Shuweika neighbourhood in Tulkarem,
TULKAREM	stormed a home and several warehouses
	• Wall Gates: Passage through the wall gates was restricted to civilians granted
	special permits, undercutting access to education and health services for civilians
	living behind the wall.
	• Wall Construction: Land levelling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in
	the area surrounding Jubara village According to an Israeli High Court decision,
	the new Wall route will be constructed west of the village.
	• Closure of Roads:
	(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of
	the town of 'Azzun.
	(ii) 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:
	(i) At 14:30 and again at 23:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Jit
	village junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(ii) At18:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Izbat Al-
	Tabib village.
	• Detentions: At 21:00, Israeli forces detained Walid Odeh.
	• Wall Gates:
QALQILYA	
	Closure of Main Roads:
NABLUS	(i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Till-Burin and Beit Furik-
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QALQILYA	 (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to search civilians, including students, using a metal detector. (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. Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in Kafr Laqef village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement.

	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.
	• Checkpoints:
	(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
	(ii) At 'Awarta commercial checkpoint, civilians are only allowed to cross
	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.
	• Flying checkpoints:
	(i) At 15:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Fourike junction and
	impeded the free flow of traffic
	(ii) At 18:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Al Maslakh area
	junction (the entrance leading to east Nablus), searching civilians and
	vehicles.
	(iii) At 20:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Sara junction (on the
	Nablus –Qalqilya road), searching civilians and vehicles.
	(iv) At 01:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Deir Sharaf junction,
	searching civilians and vehicles.
	• Raids: At 18:30, Israeli forces raided Yatta, during which confrontations ensued
	between residents and Israeli troops, set up a flying checkpoint, then withdrew at
	20:30.
	• Detention: At 00:25 on November 17 th 2011, Israeli forces detained Alaa Bani
	Fadel and confiscated a computer (the incident was reported in the previous report)
	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) Since 14 November 2010, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to
	Salfit city to civilian buses only. The entrance had been closed for seven years,
	and at 11:00, Israeli forces closed the entrance and impeded the free flow of
SALFIT	traffic.
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	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
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	• Flying Checkpoints: At 11:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between
	Kafil Harres and Harres villages, searching civilians and vehicles until 12:50.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir Istiya
	town southeast of the illegal settlement.
	• <u>Closure of Main Road</u> : The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between
	Jericho city and Al-Oja village with cement blocks.
	• Checkpoints:
JERICHO	(i) Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra checkpoint set up
JERICHO	along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only allowing access to
	residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley area.
	(ii) Israeli forces continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on
	the junction to Al-Ouja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho

	District and others with access permits.
	Flying Checkpoints:
	(i) At 11:30 and again at 00:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance of Jericho city, searching civilians and vehicles until 01:45.
	(ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Ein Dweik village and detained 4 residents.
	Detention: Israeli forces detained 4 unidentified residents during their raid into Ein Dweik.
	• Closure:
	(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 <i>dunums</i> of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.
	• <u>Closure of Main Roads</u> : 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.
	 <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 23:30 Israeli army continues to restrict access at the "Container" checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	 Flying Checkpoint: (i) At 13:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Taqou, searching civilians and vehicles.
BETHLEHEM	(ii) At 21:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al-Nashash junction (at the northern entrance of Bethlehem), searching civilians and vehicles.
	• Raids:
	(i) At 10::00, Israeli forces raided Taqou, served summons to Mohammad Qawazba and Abdel Nawaf Qawazba to report to Israeli intelligence agency.
	(ii) At 11:00, Israeli forces raided Zaatara, stormed the home of Alaa Abu Abdeh and withdrew at 12:10.
	(iii) At 18:40, Israeli forces raided Jinata, fired sound grenades and withdrew at 19:40.
	Detention: On the evening November 17 th 2011Israeli forces manning the container checkpoint detained Saqer Al-Qawasmeh,, a Hebron resident.
	Wall Construction: Wall construction continued northwest of Beit Jala town.
	• 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-Dhahiriya and Al-Samoa' towns, Al-'Arrub refugee camp, and Al-Tuwani and Al-Karmil villages.
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Hebron

- (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. 10. 2011, Israeli forces closed two entrances leading to Beit Ummar town.
- <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 11:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Farsh Al-Hawa area north of Hebron City, searching civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) On the morning of November 17th 2011, Israeli forces raided Ithna and detained a resident
- (ii) At 15:00, Israeli forces raided Dura and detained a resident
- (iii) At 00:10, Israeli forces raided Hebron city,.

• Detention:

- (i) Israeli forces detained Wael Tumeizi during their raid into Ithna.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Sami Al-Shaarwai during their raid into Dura.
- <u>Destruction of Property:</u> At 12:10, Israeli forces demolished water wells owned by Yasser Daadoush and assaulted Zahira Daadoush when she attempted to stop the demolition.
- **Wall Construction:** Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS	 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 at 22:00.
NORTHERN GAZA	• <u>Closure of Crossing Point</u> : Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access.
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 closed Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, 20 imported vehicles, and construction material for internationally funded projects including additional construction material to repair 10 previously demolished structures Al Awda crossing – Rafah was open for the exit of patients, students and passengers with permits.