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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 20th November 2011 – 08:00, 21st November 2011

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injuries	1	_	1	In Qatanna village northwest of Jerusalem
Detention	13	_	13	In Jenin, Tulkarem, Ramallah and Qalqiliya. (Incl. 2 children and security officer)
Temporary Detentions	16	_	16	At checkpoints and in residential areas incl. security officer
Raids	33		33	In Ramallah, Tulkarem, Nablus, Bethlehem, Qalqiliya and Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	12	_	12	1 closed, Access allowed at 3 checkpoints & impeded at 8 others
Flying Checkpoints	22	_	22	Incl. 2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah,2 in Tulkarem, 2in Qalqilya, 4in Nablus,3 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho,3 in Bethlehem & 1 in Hebron
Attacks	4		4	During confrontations, raids, settler attacks and demonstration
Destruction of Property	*	_	_	Military orders to stop the work in 12 homes in Hebron, under the pretext building is in area C and without permits
Land Leveling	1	_	1	Land levelling in Kafer Al-Deek in Salfit.
Wall Construction	16	_	16	Wall construction resumed in the West Bank.
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	Crossings partially open for humanitarian cases and cooking gas and Rafah crossing was closed.
Settler Violence	2	_	2	Pumping sewer water to the olive trees fields in Deir Istyia town and firing at people in Hebron
TOTAL	179	4	183	

DISTRICT	EVENTS			
WEST BANK				
JERUSALEM	 Closure: (i) The Israeli army continues 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 Qalandia 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. (ii) On the morning of October 16th 2011, Israeli forces closed Shu'fat checkpoint, impeded the free flow of traffic, and fired teargas grenades towards demonstrators who marched in solidarity with Palestinian detainees, who have been on a hunger strike for the past 17 days. The checkpoint was later reopened. • Attacks: At 18:25, Israeli forces patrolling the wall in Qatanna village, northwest of Jerusalem, opened fire towards the residents, injuring Mohammed Shamasna, who was on his house rooftop. • 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 a			
	Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages.Flying Checkpoint:			

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	(i) At 00:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Yabroud village,
	searching people and cars.
RAMALLAH	(ii) At 070:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Attara village, searching
&	people and cars.
AL BIREH	• Raid:
	(i) At 11:20 – 15:40, Israeli forces raided Ramallah, Al-Bireh, and Betunia.
	(ii) At 14:20, Israeli forces raided Budrus village and detained Ahmad Murar, a
	security officer. (iii) At 23:30, Israeli forces raided Deir Ghasana and Beit Rima.
	(iii) At 23:30, Israeli forces raided Deir Ghasana and Beit Rima.(iv) At 00:30, Israeli forces raide Dura Al-Qarea, searched a home and summoned
	Talaat Hamdan to report to Israeli intelligence.
	(v) At 02:35, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh.
	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: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the
	road leading to the town of 'Arraba east of the illegal settlement Dotan.
	• Flying checkpoint: At 08:30 – 11:10, Israeli forces set up a flying chechpoint at
	the entrance of Zabuba village, searching people and cars.
	• Raid:
	(i) At 08:30, Israeli forces raided Maythaloun and Al-Jadida village.
	(ii) At 01:15, Israeli forces raided Burqin village, searched a home and detained a
JENIN	police officer.
	 At 03:45, Israeli forces raided Qabatia village.
	Arrests: Tareq Qasrawi, a police officer, was detained during the raid on Burqin
	village.
	• 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.
	• Checkpoints: At 16:30, the Israeli army restrict tightened restrictions on
TUBAS	Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint to
	between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00.
	• 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) At 13:00, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road
	leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.
	• Checkpoints: At 15:00, the Israeli army increased restrictions on Palestinian
	access at 'Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.
	• Flying Checkpoints: At 20:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the
TULKAREM	junction of Faroun village, searching civilians and vehicles.
	• Raids:
	(i) At 08:50 – 09:50, Israeli forces raided Shweikeh neighbourhood in Tulkarem
	city. (ii) At 15:20 James is forecas raided James his village, and briefly detained Weel and
	(ii) At 15:30, Israeli forces raided Jarushia village, and briefly detained Wael amd
	Ali Qaadan. They were released after being interrogated at the Wall gate nearby.
	(iii) At 23:55, Israeli forces raided Deir Al-Ghusoun town.
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	special Israeli 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 15:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Kafer Laqef
	village, searching civilians and vehicles.
	(ii) At 19:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Hija village,
	searching civilians and vehicles.
	Raids: At 09:00, Israeli forces raided Qalqiliya city. Well Category.
	• Wall Gates: (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to
QALQILIYA	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 resumed in Kafr Laqef village north of
	Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Imanuel settlement;
	east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma'ale Shomron settlement and between Azzoun
	Atmeh town and Ornet settlement.
	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.
	(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:
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
	(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.
	(iii) At 11:50, Israeli forced increased restrictions at Shave Shomron checkpoint,
	impeding the free flow of traffic.
	(iv) At 16:15, Israeli forces increased restriction at Hawara checkpoint, impeding the free flow of traffic.
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• Flying checkpoints:

- (i) At 10:40, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Madama and Assira Al-Qibliya villages.
- (ii) At 12:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the Maslakh area near the eastern entrance of Nablus, searching civilians and vehicles.
- (iii) At 12:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Salem village junction, searching civilians and vehicles.
- (iv) At 05:45, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Maslakh area leading to the eastern entrance of Nablus, searching civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) Between 15:00 and 16:05. Israeli forces raided Al-Sawia village, detained number of the residents and released them later.
- (ii) At 00:35, Israeli forces raided residential areas in Nablus, searched a building, and detained a residents naked.
- (iii) At 01:40, Israeli forces raided Balata and Askar refugee camps, and detained two people.

• Arrests:

- (i) Imad Al Rabhe was detained during the raid on Nablus.
- (ii) Thaer Dwekat and Fadi Hamama were detained during the raid on the Balata refugee camp.

• 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 traffic.
- <u>Checkpoints</u>: At 09:05, the Israeli army increased restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.

• Flying checkpoints:

- (i) Between 15:00 and 16:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Kafel Harres and Harres villages, searching people and cars.
- (ii) Between15:00 and 15:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Burqin village, searching people and cars.
- (iii) Between 18:00 and 19:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of kafel Harres village, handed a summon to Ayub Bawazia to report to Israeli inelegance.

• Raid:

- (i) Between 09:30 and 03:10, Israeli forces raided Salfit city, fired tear gas canistars towards residents and handed Raed Hassan, Imad Fatone, and Sami Jabaren.
- (ii) Between 15:00 and 16:15, Israeli forces raided Harres village.
- (iii) At 05:00, Israeli forces raided Kafel Harres and detained 2 residents.
- <u>Detentions:</u> Diya Bozia and Saleh Hamad were detained during the raid on Kafel Harres.
- <u>Land Levelling:</u> On 20.11.2011, Israeli forces levelled lands located between Kafer Al-Deek and Ali Zahav settlement for the settlement expansion.
- Settler Violence:

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	At 15:30, a group of Israeli settlers from Revava settlement pumped sewage water from the settlement towards the agricultural lands in Deir Istya village, flooding olive groves owned by Farres Farres.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya
	town southeast of the illegal settlement.
	• Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between
	Jericho city and Al-Oja 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. At 16:30, Israeli forces
	closed the checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
JERICHO	(ii) Israeli forces continues to intensify its restrictions at the checkpoint set up on
JERROHO	the junction to Al-Ouja village, only allowing access to residents of the Jericho
	District and others with access permits.
	• Flying Checkpoints:
	(i) Between 09:45 and 10:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Ein Dyouk
	village, searching people and cars.
	(ii) At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint south of Jericho city, searching
	people and cars.
	• 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 sivilians from
	(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.
	• 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.
	• Checkpoints: At 15:10, Israeli forces restricted the movement at the container
	checkpoint.
BETHLEHEM	• Flying Checkpoint: At 10:15 & between 18:20 and 20:20, Israeli forces set up a
	checkpoint at Al Nashash junction, searching people and cars.
	• Raids:
	(i) At 01:55, Israeli forces raided Taqouh town and detained 2 minors
	 (ii) At 02:05, Israeli forces raided Beit Fajar town and detained a resident. (iii) At 04:15 – 08:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Dheisha refugee camp, raided 3
	homes and detained 4 people, (including 3 minors) and summoned Faissal
	Maale and Alaa Mheisen to report to Israeli intelligence.
	• Detentions:
	(i) Mohammed Al Ammur (17 years) and Imad Ammur were detained
	during the raid on Tagouh.
	(ii) Zaki Younis and Zaki Deria were detained during the raid on Beit Fajar
	(iii) Saber Maale (16 years) and his brothers, Mohammed, Fouad, and Alaa
	AlMaiawe were detained during the raid on Al-Dheisha refugee camp.
	Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed 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.
- (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) Since15. 10. 2011, Israeli forces closed two entrances lead to Beit Ummar town.
- <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 08:45, Israeli forces set up flying checkpoints at the junction of Al-Samou and Al-Thahiria towns, searching civilians and vehicles.

• Raids:

- (i) On 20.11.2011 at 01:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Shioukh and Al-Sair towns and searched 3 homes.
- (ii) At 11:45, Israeli forces raided Rabud village, handed 12 notifications for residents to stop building their homes, under the pretext that the homes, located in area C, don't have proper permits.
- (iii) At 22:40, Israeli forces raided Hebron city.
- (iv) At 23:00 00:35, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahiria town.
- (v) At 23:40, Israeli forces raided Ramadin village.
- <u>Attack:</u> At 15:50, Israeli forces stationed at the entrance of Beit Ummar fired tear gas canisters towards people during a funeral after a settler fired randomly towards the people.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

Hebron

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. • Israeli forces broke the ceasefire agreement by opening fire from military posts towards Rafah.

NORTHERN GAZA	Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) open for partial humanitarian aid workers, diplomats and businesmen.		
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. Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. 		
RAFAH	 Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for humanitarian aid, including construction materials for international NGO's projects, cooking gas 		
	 and food trucks. Al Awda crossing – Rafah: open for students and Gaza Strip residents. 		