# مجموعة الرقابة الفلسطينية



### PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

## **DAILY SITUATION REPORT**

08:00, 20<sup>th</sup> November 2013 – 08:00, 21<sup>st</sup> November 2013

# SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	3	_	3	1 in Jenin and 2 in Jericho including 2 residents who was attacked by guard dogs near Al-Hamra checkpoint in Jericho.
Detention	6	_	6	1 in Jerusalem,1 in Ramallah,1 in Jenin,1 in Qalqiliya and 2 in Hebron including 2 children and a woman
Temporary Detention	12	_	12	At checkpoints and residential areas including a child and 2 residents at Allenby bridge crossing.
Raids	16	_	16	3 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin,1 in Tubas,1 in Tulkarem,2 in Nablus,1 in Salfit,3 in Jericho,1 in Bethlehem and 2 in Hebron
Closure of Checkpoints	4		4	Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem, impeded access at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	12	_	12	2 in Jerusalem, 2 in Ramallah3 in Qalqiliya, 4 in Nablus and 1 in Jericho.
Home Demolition	*2	_	2	Israeli forces demolished 4 barracks in Jericho and served demolition orders to demolish a home and 6 barracks in Jenin.
Destruction of Property	*6	_	6	Israeli forces destroyed a barracks and water tank in Nablus, demolished 4 barracks in Jericho and served demolition orders to demolish a home and 6 barracks in Jenin.
Land Confiscation	1	_	1	Israeli forces served an extension land confiscation order T/196/05 to confiscate 1355 dunumes (Acres) of land located in south Yatta for alleged military purposes until December 31st 2016.
Land Levelling	1	_	1	Israeli forces levelled 20 acres of land in Bethlehem.
Wall Construction	15	_	15	4 in Jerusalem. 3 in Ramallah, 5 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit, 1 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron
Closure (per District)	8		8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Main Roads	75	_	75	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 7 in Nablus, 26
Closure of Crossings	_	4	4	Beit Hanun – Erez crossing is partially open for humanitarian cases.
Obstruction of Places of Worship	1	_	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem.
Settler Violence	1	_	1	Israeli settlers stormed archeological ruins near the west entrance of Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron which has been closed by Israeli forces during which Israeli settlers damaged the main entrance in an attempt to confiscate the area.

Demonstration	2		2	In Solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons and against the Israeli military decision to uproot 100 Olive trees on the main road connecting Jenin and Tulkarem in Jenin.
TOTAL	165	4	169	

#### **WEST BANK**

#### • Closure:

- (i) Israeli army, intensified their restrictions at the entrance to Jerusalem city, set up several flying checkpoints on the main road leading to the city and prevented worshipers under the age of 50 from conducting prayers at Al-Aqsa mosque compound.
- (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 with an iron gate the eastern entrance to Beit Iksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandiya 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 and at 06:00, Israeli forces closed the checkpoint impeded the free flow of traffic.
- (ii) On September 19<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall.
- (iii) At 09:30, Israeli forces intensified their restrictions at Jaba' checkpoint along the main road connecting Jerusalem, Ramallah and Jericho and as a result impeded the free flow of traffic.
- **<u>Detention:</u>** At 08:00, Israeli forces positioned at Qalandiya checkpoint detained Falastin Nijim, a resident of Nablus for allegedly carrying a knife.
- **Temporary Detention:** On the afternoon of November 20<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces in Silwan neighbourhood in Jerusalem temporarily detained Malik Da'na (11 years old) as they stormed a barber shop then released him after questioning.
- Obstruction of Places of Worship: At 10:30, Israeli settlers under the protection of Israeli forces stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound in the old city of Jerusalem provoked several worshipers.

#### • 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-Slewahira Al-Gharbiya villages, only allowing civilians holding Jerusalem IDs to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic

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	ction continued in the areas north and south Za'ayyem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya ale Adumim.
• Closure of Main Roads:  (i) The Israeli army continues the junction to Kafr Malik a  (ii) Since September 3 <sup>rd</sup> 2013, 1  Al-Mughier village with dire	to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as and 'Ein Samiya villages. Israeli forces closed the north east entrance of
RAMALLAH & until 14:20. (ii) At 16:35, Israeli forces set u  Raid:	up a checkpoint at the entrance of Turmus'aya up a checkpoint at Al-Taybeh junction.
	ed Al-Bireh city and stormed a home. ided Kobar village, detained a resident then
Wall Construction: Wall construction:	ction continued in the area west of 'Abud illegal settlement 'Ofarim and north of Al-
the town of 'Arraba east of t  (ii) Since the evening of Now western entrance of Ya'bad.  • Raid:  (i) At 09:45, Israeli force raide as they conducted tests on w  (ii) At 00:40, Israeli forces raide  • Temporary Detention: At 22:30 checkpoint temporarily detained Malater time.  • Destruction of Property: At 23:00 demolish 6 homes (under construction Haytham Al-Nabulsi, Mohammad (Midhat Qubaha in Khirbet Abdallah located behind the wall gate for all because of its location in area C which control.  • Demonstration: At 11:00, a demonagainst Israeli forces decision to up road connecting Jenin and Tulkarem owned by 70 residents during which and tear gas grenades towards demonand Atef Badarna from suffocation at they detained a residents and temporat a later time.  • Detention: Israeli forces detained Hames and the season of the season	ed Kafr Dan as they escorted several scientists vater wells then withdrew at 13:30. ed Rumana village.  O, Israeli forces positioned at Al-Jamalat cohammad Al-Yamani then released him at a company of the process of t
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TUBAS	• Raid: At 14:00, Israeli forces raided Khirbeit Yarza, stormed and searched 3 homes.
	Closure of Main Roads:
TULKAREM	<ul> <li>(i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village.</li> <li>(ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road.</li> <li>Checkpoint: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at "Eniv:</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.</li> <li>Raid: At 01:20, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem until 04:25</li> <li>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.</li> </ul>
	<ul> <li>Closure of Roads:         <ul> <li>(i) Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town.</li> <li>(ii) In addition to closing the gate installed since the outbreak the second Intifada, the Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the eastern entrance to</li> </ul> </li> </ul>
	Kafr Qaddum village.  • Flying Checkpoints:
	<ul> <li>(i) At 09:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east entrance of Qalqiliya, impeded the free flow of traffic after closing the entrance then reopened it at a later time.</li> <li>(ii) At 15:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Immatin village.</li> <li>(iii) At 24:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint beneath Azzun bridge and</li> </ul>
	detained a resident.  • Detention: Israeli forces positioned at a checkpoint beneath Azzun bridge detained
	Lu'ay Hawari, a resident of Azzun.
QALQILIYA	• Wall Gates:  (i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate closed the steel gate at 11:55 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.
	<ul> <li>Wall Construction: Wall construction was continued in Kafr Laqif village north of Karnei Shomron settlement; in Immatin village northeast of Immanuel settlement; and east of Kafr Thulth town near Ma 'ale Shomron settlement.</li> </ul>
	• Closure of Main Roads:  (i) The Israeli army continues to close the roads of Til-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 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.
NABLUS	• Flying Checkpoint:  (i) At 11:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Deir Sharaf village junction until 13:40.

	(ii) At 12:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Qabalan junction until
	13:25. (iii) At 13:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Burga
	village until 14:20.
	(iv) At 18:55, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Qusra village junction until
	19:20.
	• Raid:  (i) At 08:00, Israeli forces raided Khirbeit Al-Tawil area in Aqraba and
	demolished a barracks owned by Marwan Bani Odeh and a water tank
	owned by Imad Miniya.
	(ii) At 02:05, Israeli forces raided Nablus.
	• 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) On 15.04.2012, the Israeli army has opened the northern entrance to Salfit city
	to civilian which was closed since the year 2000 and prevented access from
	08:00 until 09:20. (iii) Since 11:00 on July 30 <sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to
SALFIT	Abu Nasar and Qatan Al-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with cement blocks.
	• Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara Al-
	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	• Raid: At 12:45, Israeli forces raided Bruqin.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir
	Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
	Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify its restrictions at Al-Hamra
	checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus District.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 21:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along road 90
	junctions located near Nue'meh village until 23:15.
	• Raid:  (i) At 10:15, Israeli forces raided Al-Jiftlik village, demolished a home and 5
	barracks owned by Sa'ud Qa'abna {Home and barracks}, Rabi'
	Daraghmeh {residential Barracks}, Salem Qa'abneh {2 barracks} and
	Suliman Daraghmeh {barracks} and at 23:20 Israeli forces again raided
	Al-Jiftlik village during which they demolished a home and summoned Ahmad Sa'ed to report to Israeli Intelligence for questioning then
	withdrew at 24:00.
JERICHO	(ii) At 19:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village.
	• <u>Injury:</u> At 13:50, 2 residents: Fadi Sharaydeh and Mohammad Sawafta were
	injured after being attacked by Israeli military guard dogs as they were passing
	through Al-Hamra checkpoint.  • Temporary Detention:
	(i) At 15:00, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby crossing temporarily
	detained Hikmat Al-Nabrisi as he was returning from Jordan and released
	him after being questioned by Israeli Intelligence.
	(ii) At 16:00, at 15:00, Israeli forces positioned at Allenby crossing temporarily detained Subhi Al-Sufias he was returning from Jordan then
	released him at 22:20.
	• <u>Demonstration</u> : At 10:30, a demonstration took place in front of the International
	Red Cross headquarters in Jericho in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and
BETHLEHEM	demanding their release from Israeli prisons.
DEIHLEHEM	• <u>Closure:</u> (i) The Israeli army continues to close roads to An Nu'man village, with the
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- 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 dunumes of confiscated land in Al Mazmuriya area in Beit Sahur and Bethlehem cities.

#### • Closure of Main Roads:

- (i) The Israeli army continues to close the Beit Jala-Wadi Ahmed road; a road between Um Tuba and Al-Jass; a road between Um Tuba and Khilat Nu'man: a road between Um Tuba and the wall; a road between Al-Khas village and the wall; the 2 by pass roads located south of Al-Walaja; a road between Talita Qumi and Nazlat Al-Sider in Beit Jala; the eastern road of Al-Khader; the road between Al-Khader and Beit Jala; Wadi Rahal road near "Ifrat" settlement ,the road between Al-Khader and road #60 which lead to the eastern neighbourhoods of Bethlehem; a road leading to Wadi Rahal, and a road east of Beit Fajjar town with dirt mounds.
- (ii) The Israeli army continues to close the road leading to "Newe Daniyyel" settlement and agricultural land in Al-Khader; a road between Um Tuba and Wadi Al-Hums: Wadi Fukin, Al-Jaba, the Green Line; a road between Za'tara and a detour road, and a road between Taqou and Khirbet Al-Deir with cement blocks.
- (iii) Since August 2<sup>nd</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
- (iv) Since May 8<sup>th</sup> 2013, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Carmisan area in Beit Jalla and Al-Walaja with a steel gate and barbed wires.
- (v) Since June 3<sup>rd</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed the road connecting Nihalin and road 60 with dirt mounds.
- (vi) Since 13:20 on September 29<sup>th</sup> 2013, the Israeli army closed a road leading to 50 acres of agricultural land in Wadi Salem area in Al-Khadr with dirt mounds.
- (vii) At 14:00, Israeli forces closed the main road connecting Surif and Al-Jub'a village with dirt mounds.
- Raid: At 12:30, Israeli forces raided Beit Jalla.
- <u>Land Levelling:</u> At 22:20, Israeli military bulldozers levelled 20 dunums (acres) of agricultural land owned by Salah family in Batan Al-Asmi area in Al-Khadr

#### • Wall Construction:

- (i) Wall construction has continued in North West of Beit Jala town.
- (ii)On May  $1^{\rm st}$  2103, an Israeli court ordered the halt of wall construction near Betar village.
- (iii) On July 21<sup>st</sup> 2013, Israeli courts ordered the halt of construction of the wall in Al-Carmisan area in the west area of Beit Jalla.

#### • 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-Thahiriya 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

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- 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 e to Al-Simiya village, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.
- (v) Since July 25th 2012, Israeli forces closed the road connecting Al-Safa and Al-Dirat and also closed the entrance of south Yatta with cement blocks.
- (vi) Since December 27<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces closed the west entrance of Swiesiya village which connects Yatta and Al-Samou' village with cement blocks.
- (vii) Since 09:45 on September 23<sup>rd</sup> 2013, Israeli forces closed the main road leading to "Haji" settlement and impeded the free flow of traffic

#### Raid:

- (i) At 09:00, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya.
- (ii) At 01:45, Israeli forces raided Al-Shiyukh.

#### <u>Detentions</u>

- (i) At 16:15, Israeli forces detained Adel Abu Akr after storming his home in the old city of Hebron.
- (ii) At 18:00,Israeli forces detained the child Muhanad Al-Muhtasib (17 years old) in the old city of Hebron
- <u>Temporary Detention:</u> At 11:50, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron temporarily detained Mohammad Bashir and Hamad Asfour then released them after summoning Mohammad Bashir to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning.
- <u>Land Confiscation:</u> On October 3<sup>rd</sup> 2013, Israeli forces served an extension land confiscation order T/196/05 to confiscate 1355 dunumes (Acres) of land located in south Yatta for alleged military purposes until December 31<sup>st</sup> 2016.
- <u>Settler Violence:</u> On October 22<sup>nd</sup> 2013, Israeli settlers stormed archeological ruins near the west entrance of Al-Ibrahimi mosque in the old city of Hebron which has been closed by Israeli forces during which Israeli settlers damaged the main entrance in an attempt to confiscate the area.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahriya town.

# At 21:00 on November 21<sup>st</sup> 2012, 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. On November 14<sup>th</sup> 2011 Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark and on November 24<sup>th</sup> 2012, Israeli forces imposed floating marks of 6 miles and on March 21<sup>st</sup> 2013 re imposed fishing restrictions of 3 miles.

NORTHERN GAZA	<ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination.</li> </ul>
GAZA	<ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Points:         <ul> <li>Al-Muntar (Karni) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Al-Shija'iya (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision.</li> </ul>
RAFAH	<ul> <li>Closure of Crossing Points:         <ul> <li>Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.</li> </ul> </li> <li>Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the entry and exit tourist and residents.</li> <li>Sufa Crossing is closed.</li> <li>Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the passage of critical patients, journalists, NGO staff, businessmen and passengers travelling abroad through Al-Karama crossing with previous coordination, diesel fuel, construction material for Internationally funded projects.</li> </ul>