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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 5th October 2011 – 08:00, 6th October 2011

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	2	—	2	including a child were severely beaten by Israeli settlers
Detention	8	—	8	1 in Ramallah and 4 in Hebron
Temporary Detentions	12	—	12	At checkpoints and in residential areas
Raids	23	1	24	5 in Jerusalem, 2 Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqilya 2 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Jericho, 1 in Rafah & 5 in Hebron
Closure of Checkpoints	10	—	10	access allowed at 3 checkpoints & impeded at 7 others
Flying Checkpoints	32	—	32	Incl. 3 in Jerusalem, 5 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tulkarem, 5 in Qalqilya, 5 in Nablus, 3 in Jericho, 2 in Salfit, 2 in Bethlehem and 5 in Hebron
Attacks	5	3	8	1 during raid, 5 during confrontation and 2 from naval vessels..
Aerial Surveillance	—	1	1	Fighter jets flew over the skies of Rafah
Obstruction of Educational Sector	1	—	1	The Israeli army raided a secondary school and occupied its rooftop, converting it into a military post.
Home Demolition	1	—	1	Israeli forces demolished a home in Hebron
Home Occupation	1	—	1	Israeli forces raided and occupied a home in Nablus, converting its rooftop into a

				military post.
Destruction of Property	11	—	11*	Israeli settlers also destroyed 180 olive trees in Nablus. Israeli forces ordered the removal of 4 commercial carts in Jenin. *Israeli forces ordered the demolition of several tents in Hebron.
Attack on Property	1	—	1	Israeli forces ordered the removal of merchant carts between Burqa & Bizzariya villages in Nablus.
Wall Construction	15	—	15	Wall construction resumed in Jerusalem, Ramallah, Tulkarem, Qalqilya, Salfit, Bethlehem & Hebron
Land Levelling	—	1	1	A plot of land in Rafah
Closure (per District)	8	—	8	Incl. 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Nablus, 1 in Jerusalem & 5 Hebron
Closure of Main Roads	47	—	47	Incl. 3 in Tulkarem, 9 in Nablus and 18 in Hebron
Closure of Crossings	—	4	4	Humanitarian aid, cooking gas and building materials allowed.
Settlement Activity	1	—	1	The expansion of settlement roads between Kedumim settlement and Qalqilia.
Settler Violence	5	—	5	Israeli settlers severely beat a 64 year old and a child, destroyed several olive trees
Demonstrations	12	—	12	Demonstrations in solidarity with Palestinian detainees
TOTAL	195	10	205	

All Districts	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> On October 5th 2011, Palestinians marched towards the International Red Cross offices in all the West Bank Districts in solidarity with Palestinian detainees who are on an open hunger strike to protest Israeli mistreatment, solitary confinement policy, and restrictions on family visits.
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DISTRICT	EVENTS
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WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> Closure: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> 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.
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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> 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. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> At 15:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Anata village junction and detained a civilian. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 22:40, Israeli forces raided Beit Anan village . (ii) At 23:15, Israeli forces raided Biddo town and Qatna & Beit Iksa villages; clashes erupted in Biddo during the raid. (iii) At 02:55, Israeli forces raided Al-Ezaraiyeh village, searched a home and detained a minor. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Aliyan during their raid into Anata. (ii) Israeli forces detained Issa Suliman (17 years) during their raid into Al-Ezariyeh. • <u>Destruction of Property:</u> On October 5th 2011, Israeli forces destroyed crops owned by Mohamad Taha. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction has resumed in the areas north and south of Qalandiya village; south of Al-Za’ayem village; and in Wadi Al-Eizariya west of the illegal settlement Ma’ale Adumim because of Jewish Sabbath Holiday.
<p style="text-align: center;">RAMALLAH &</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and ‘Ein Samiya villages. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 13:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint near Atara town and detained a civilian. (ii) At 19:15 and again at 07:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Um Safa, searching civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 20:05, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the Turmos Ayya

AL BIREH	<p>junction, searching civilians and vehicles.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:35, Israeli forces raided Jifna village and set up a flying checkpoint. (ii) At 11:25, Israeli forces raided Bir Zeit, during which confrontations ensued between residents and Israeli troops, who withdrew at 12:55. (iii) At 20:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh city. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Ahmad Al Hija near Atara. • Demonstrations: At 12:00, activists and families of detainees demonstrated near “Ofer” prison compound in solidarity with detainees, who have been on an open hunger strike for 9 days to protest mistreatment; confrontations ensued between demonstrators and Israeli troops and 7 protesters suffocated from teargas inhalation. • Wall Construction: Wall construction has 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.
JENIN	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> At 09:20, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Arraba village, searching civilians and vehicles. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:30, Israeli forces raided Arraba until 12:00. (ii) At 02:45, Israeli forces raided Silat Al-Harthia village until 03:15. • Destruction of Property: At 12:00, Israeli forces served demolition orders to 4 shacks selling fruits and vegetables and pottery allegedly to make way for the expansion of the road leading to the crossing; the shacks are owned by Mohammad Faraha, Amir Ziho, Rayiq Shaban and Ghassan Al Didis. • 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	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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. • Destruction of Property: At 07:30, Israeli forces demolished 4 tents in the northern Jordan Valley owned by Ali Muhsen, Khalil Zawahra, Saleh Abu Amer and Mahmoud Ayoub, allegedly because they were built without proper licensing
TULKAREM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. • Checkpoints: the Israeli army continues to restrict Palestinian access at ‘Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:25, Israeli forces raided Zeita village. (ii) At 20:50, Israeli forces raided the area between Deir Al-Ghusoun and Al-Jarushiya and set up a flying checkpoint.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 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.
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Roads: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (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: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:10 and again at 17:10, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Jit village junction, searching civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint between Azzoun and Izbat Al-Tabib, searching civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 18:30, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Azzun, searching civilians and vehicles. At 21:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint underneath Azzoun bridge (on the main road connecting Qalqilya and Tulkarem), searching civilians and vehicles. • Detention: At 09:00, Israeli forces positioned at the wall gate near the northern entrance to Qalqilya detained Imtiyaz Al-Nees as she headed to her land west of the Wall; she was released at 12:20 after the military liaison office intervened. • Settlement Activity: At 08:00, Israeli forces began leveling privately owned land in Kafr Qaddum in order to expand a road near “Qadumim” settlement. • Settler Violence: At 18:00, a group of Israeli settlers assaulted Hussein Jabarin (64 years), while he was harvesting olives near the Jit village junction, leaving him hospitalised with severe contusions. • Wall Gates: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (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 resumed 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.
NABLUS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: <ol style="list-style-type: none"> (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 ‘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.

	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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 09:05, Israeli forces stepped up restrictions at the "Shavi Shomron" checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. (iii) At 10:55, the Israeli army closed Huwara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 12:05. • <u>Flying checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:05 and again at 21:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Deir Sharaf village junction (the main road connecting Nablus and Tulkarem), searching civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 10:40, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Qusin junction, searching civilians and vehicles. (iii) At 19:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at "Yitzahar" settlement junction, searching civilians and vehicles. • <u>Raids:</u> At 23:05, Israeli forces raided Nablus city, protecting a group of settlers as they raided Joseph's Tomb; they set up a flying checkpoint and prevented Palestinian vehicles from entering the area after declaring it a closed military zone; they also stormed a secondary school for girls and converted its rooftop into a military post after destroying the rear entrance to the school. Also, Israeli forces fired teargas, sound grenades and rubber-coated steel bullets towards the residents before withdrawing at 05:00 • <u>Attack on Property:</u> At 14:00, Israeli forces forced residents to remove their fruit and vegetable carts between Burqa and Bazaria villages, off the main road connecting Nablus and Jenin. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:00, an Israeli settler vehicle ran over Rajeh Hjazzi (15 years), leaving him hospitalized with wounds and contusions. (ii) At 20:00, a group of Israeli settlers raided agricultural land in Qissra village and cut down 180 olive trees owned by Ghassan Hassan, Fathallah Abu Reideh & Abed Al-Majid Hussien.
SALFIT	<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 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 18:20 the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • <u>Flying Checkpoints:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:40, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Kafil Harres, searching civilians and vehicles. (ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Deir

	<p>Istya, searching civilians and vehicles until 19:00</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 10:25, Israeli forces raided Sarta village until 11:00. (ii) At 18:00, Israeli forces raided Kafil Harres village. • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement Emmanuel.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Road: The Israeli army continues to close Road # 90 between Jericho city and Al-Ouja village with cement blocks. • Checkpoints: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. (ii) Israeli forces continue to restrict access 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: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 18:25, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al-Jiftlek junction, searching civilians and vehicles (ii) At 20:45 and again at 06:10 Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the southern entrance to Jericho city, searching civilians and vehicles until 07:15. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 23:30, Israeli forces raided Jericho city and Ein Al-Sultan refugee camp, searched 2 homes, detained a resident and withdrew at 03:20. (ii) At 01:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Nayef Dahouq during a raid into Ein Al-Sultan refugee camp. • Settler Violence: At 09:00, an Israeli settler vehicle ran over Nassar Abu Al-Kabash, a Jiftlek resident, leaving him hospitalised with injuries and contusions.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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 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. • Checkpoint: At 22:20, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions on the "Container" checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Flying Checkpoint: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 15:35, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Beit Jala, searching civilians and vehicles until 16:20. (ii) At 21:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at Al-Nashaah junction, searching civilians and vehicles. • Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed northwest of Beit Jala town.
	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure:

Hebron

- (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.
- **Flying Checkpoints:**
 - (i) At 08:55, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint Al-Fawar junction searching civilians and vehicles.
 - (ii) At 09:00 and again at 18:30 Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Al-Nabi Younis (on the main road connecting Hebron and Bethlehem), searching civilians and vehicles
 - (iii) At 19:50, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance to Tarqoumia village, searching civilians and vehicles until 21:20.
 - (iv) At 22:00, Israeli forces set up a flying checkpoint at the entrance of Sair village, searching civilians and vehicles.
- **Raids:**
 - (i) At 10:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron city until 12:30.
 - (ii) At 10:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Thahriya, searched a home, summoned Amir Qeisi to Israeli Intelligence Agency and withdrew at 12:40.
 - (iii) At 18:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Samou village and served demolition notices to 4 tent owners for allegedly being constructed without proper licensing.
 - (iv) At 07:20, Israeli forces raided Beit Kahel, demolished Amir Barham's home for allegedly not having proper licensing (it is located in area C, which is under full Israeli military administration) and fired teargas grenades after confrontations ensued with residents .
 - (v) On the morning of October 6th 2011, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar, searched several homes and detained 3 children.
- **Detentions:**
 - (i) On October 5th 2011, Israeli forces detained Shihda Shatat, a resident of Yatta, while he was inside Israel.
 - (ii) Israeli forces detained Allam Awad (17 years), Sabri Awad (15 years) and Malek Salibi (16 years).
- **Settler Violence:** At 22:25, a group of Israeli settlers stoned civilians and homes in the Old City near the Ibrahim mosque.

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| | <ul style="list-style-type: none">• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town. |
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GAZA STRIP

<p style="text-align: center;">ALL DISTRICTS</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • 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 10 August 2011 at 21:00. • Cease Fire violations: Israel broke the ceasefire agreement, when naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishermen off the shores of North Gaza and Rafah
<p style="text-align: center;">NORTHERN GAZA</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access. • Attack: At 08:00, Israeli naval vessels opened fire towards several Palestinian fishermen off the shores of Sudaniya beach in Beit Lahiya
<p style="text-align: center;">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. Beginning on 02 March 2011, the Crossing has been effectively closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. (ii) Al-Shija'iyah (Nahal 'Oz) Crossing is closed. Beginning on 04 January 2010, the Crossing has been closed following a unilateral Israeli decision. • Aerial Surveillance: On the morning of October 4th 2011, Israeli fighter jets flew over Gaza and broke the sound barrier.
<p style="text-align: center;">RAFAH</p>	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Crossing Points: Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. • Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is closed • Sufa Crossing is closed. • Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is partially open for the import of humanitarian assistance, cooking gas and construction material for internationally supported projects. • Al Awda crossing–Rafah is open for patients, students and civilians with permits. • Raid: At dawn on October 5th 2011, Israeli forces escorting bulldozers raided Sufa crossing in northern Rafah and opened fire as they levelled a plot of agricultural land. • Attack: At dawn on October 5th 2011, Israeli naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishermen off the shores of Rafah.

Detainees Report

<ul style="list-style-type: none"> ➤ The Israeli military court in “Ofar” prison compound sentenced 5 detainees from Bethlehem to varying sentences and imposed fines of 10,000 NIS (approximately \$2700): ➤ Ahmad Fanoun and Mohamad Shakarneh were sentenced to 8 years and 3 months. ➤ Ali Gayatha and Bilal Fanoun were sentenced to 7 years and 3 month sentence ➤ Ali Najahra was sentenced to 6 years and 9 month.
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