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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT 08:00, 14th October 2012 – 08:00, 15th October 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Killing	_	2	2	Palestinian gunmen killed by Israeli airstrikes on Central Gaza.
Injury	_	2	2	2 Palestinian gunmen were injured from Israeli airstrikes on Central Gaza.
Physical Assault	1	_	1	Israeli forces assaulted a resident near a checkpoint in Jenin.
Detention	15	_	15	2 in Qalqiliya, 5 in Tulkarem,2 in Nablus, 3 in Salfit and 3 Hebron including 3 children.
Temporary Detention	9	_	9	At checkpoints and residential area including 5 school teachers in Hebron.
Raids	18	_	18	4 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 3 in Tulkarem, 3 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 3 in Bethlehem and 3 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	5	_	5	Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem and impeded at 4 others.
Flying Checkpoints	10		10	2 in Jeruaslem,1 in Tulkarem, 2 in Qalqiliya, 1 in Salfit,1 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 1 in Hebron.
Attack	3	2	5	3 during confrontations and 2 from Naval vessels.
Aerial Assault	_	1	1	Israeli military aircrafts launched missiles towards Central Gaza.
Aerial Surveillance	_	1	1	Israeli military aircrafts surveyed the skies of Central Gaza.
Confiscation of Property	1	_	1	Israeli forces confiscated agricultural tools from farmers in Hebron.
Assault on Property	*	_	_	*confiscation and eviction orders for several tents and barracks in the Jordan Valley area near Tubas.
Land Confiscation	1	_	1	Israeli forces confiscated 243.95 dunumes of land in Hebron.
Wall Construction	16	_	16	4 in Jerusalem,3 in Qalqilya,1 in Jericho,1 in Bethlehem and 8 in Hebron .
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.

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Closure of Main Roads	72	_	72	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 24 in Hebron.
Closure of Crossings	_	4	4	Rafah crossing open is open for the exit of patients, students, and passengers with permits.
Assault on Places of Worship	1	_	1	Israeli settlers stormed Al-Aqsa Mosque compound under the protection of 30 Israeli soldiers and Police officers as they provoked worshipers.
Settlement Activity	1	_	1	Israeli forces paved a road in Tubas for the propose of settlement construction.
Demonstration	1	_	1	Against settler attacks, land confiscation and uprooting of olive tree.
Palestinian Attack	_	1	1	Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.
TOTAL	162	13	175	

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JERUSALEM	 Closure: The Israeli army continue 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 for Friday prayers. 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. 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: The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks and dirt mounds the entrance to Jaba' village. The Israeli army continues to close the gate along the Wall section separating the area of Dahiyat Al-Bareed from Al-Ram town. 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
JERUSALEIVI	(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
	 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. Attack: At 16:30, Israeli forces positioned at Qalandiya checkpoint fired stun and
	tear gas grenades towards residents for alleged stoning. • <u>Detention:</u> (i) At dawn on October 15 th 2012, Israeli forces detained Musalam Odeh (12

	years old) as they stormed his home in Silwan neighbourhood. (ii) On the morning of October 15 th 2012, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Zatoun (11 years old), a resident of Silwan neighbourhood as he was reporting to Israeli intelligence for questioning. • Assault on Places of Worship: On October 14 th 2012, Israeli settlers, under the protection of 30 Israeli force troops and Israeli Police officers, stormed Al-Aqsa mosque compound and provoked 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-Sleavawahira 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
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. Raid: At 23:10, Israeli forces raided Bir Zeit. At 01:35, Israeli forces raided Deir Abu Mash'al village. At 02:45, Israeli forces raided Awarat. At 03:20, Israeli forces raided Al-Bireh city. 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.
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 11:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Hafira village while escorting a bus of 30 Israeli settlers then withdrew at 16:30. Physical Assault: At 03:30, Israeli forces positioned near Al-Jamala checkpoint assaulted and injured Abdel Qader Mansour, a resident of Jenin leaving him hospitalised with contusions. 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 increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00. Assault on Property: At 09:30, Israeli forces served demolition and eviction orders for several barrack and tents owned by Salman Zurah and declared the area a military zone in order to conduct military exercises. Settlement Activity: On October 13th 2012, Israeli military bulldozers levelled a plot of land in Humsa area of the Jordan valley and declared the area a closed military zone thus preventing residents from entering or exiting the area.
TULKAREM	 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) The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the detour road leading to Ramin village along the Tulkarem-Nablus main road. Checkpoints: At 10:50, the Israeli army intensified its restrictions at Einav

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	checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic until 13:30.
	 Flying Checkpoint: At 19:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint along Al-Kafriyat road which connects Tulkarem and Qalqiliya.
	Raid: (i) At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem camp and Tulkarem city, stormed 3 homes and detained 3 residents.
	(ii) At 04:00, Israeli forces raided Bal'a, stormed several homes and detained 2 residents.
	Detention: (i) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Abu Thiyab, Ziyad Abu Tamam and Islam Nasrallah in Tulkarem camp.
	(ii) Israeli forces detained Walid Amir and Ali Sa'id in Bal'a.
	• Wall Gates: Land leveling for adjustment of the Wall route resumed in the area surrounding Jubara village. According to an Israeli High Court decision,
	the new Wall route is to be constructed west of the village.
	Closure of Roads: Israeli forces continue to close with cement blocks agricultural roads east of Azzun town.
	(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 Kafr Qaddum village.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 12:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Azzun, temporarily detained Samer Abu Haniya and released him at 13:30. (ii) At 20:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Al-Funduq
	village.
	Wall Gates:
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 resumed 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.
	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
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NABLUS	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. • Raid: (i) At 22:20, Israeli forces raided Salim village until 22:20.

	• 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 th 2012, Israeli forces have closed two roads leading to
	Abu Nasar and QatanAl-Jama' located in western area of Deir Istiya with
	cement blocks.
	(iv) Since 14:00 on August 2 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed the bypass road leading
	to Haris village junction.
SALFIT	• Checkpoints: At 09:00, Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at
SALTII	Za'tara checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic until 11:00.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 20:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the western
	entrance of Deir Istiya.
	• Raid: At 02:30, Israeli forces raided Salfit, fired tear gas grenades towards several
	residents for alleged stoning as they stormed and searched several homes and
	detained a resident then withdrew at 04:30.
	• Detention:
	(i) At 09:00, Israeli forces positioned at Za'tara checkpoint detained 2
	unidentified individuals.
	(ii) Israeli forces detained Abdel Rahman Shahin in Salfit.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction resumed in the area north of Deir Istiya
	town southeast of the illegal settlement.
	• 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.
JERICHO	(ii) Israeli forces increased its restrictions to 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 Checkpoint: At 18:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south
	entrance of Jericho.
	• 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 dunums 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
BETHLEHEM	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; 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 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.

• Flying Checkpoint:

- (i) At 10:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint near Al-Harmala village.
- (ii) At 18:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint Al-Nashash junction (the southern entrance to Bethlehem).

• Raid:

- (i) At 11:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Ubeidiya.
- (ii) At 02:10, Israeli forces raided Al-Shuwarat village, summoned Mahmoud Dara'wi to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 02:30.
- (iii) At 02:45, Israeli forces raided Al-Duhisha camp in Bethlehem and opened random fire.
- <u>Demonstration:</u> At 16:20, a demonstration which included several international peace activists took place in Beit Sahur against land confiscation and settler violence against Palestinian farmers.
- 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-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 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, the southern entrance of Al-Samou' and the entrance of Beit Annun with cement blocks.
- (v) On 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.

HEBRON

• **Flying Checkpoint:** At 22:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Halhul bridge.

• Raid:

- (i) At 23:30, Israeli forces raided Hebron.
- (ii) At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Taffuh and stormed a home.
- (iii) At dawn on October 15th 2012, Israeli forces raided Beit Ummar, searched several homes and detained 3 residents including a child.
- <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Ra'fat Al-Alami (15 years old), Mohammad Sabarna and Yusef Al-Anani in Beit Ummar.

• Temporary Detention:

(i) On the morning of October 14th 2012, Israeli forces positioned near Yatta temporarily detained 5 school teachers: Khader Amor, Amr Jerbawi,

Hatem Imghanim, Musa Abu Marir and Azmi Al-Hamadna.

- (ii) At 11:00, Israeli forces temporarily detained Mohammad Al-Salibi (65 years old) as he was farming his land near "Bat Ein" "settlement, imposed a 2000 NIS approximately 500 USD fine, confiscated several farming tools and prevented him from entering his land for a period of two weeks.
- <u>Land Confiscation</u>: Israeli Occupation Authority approved confiscation order T/15/12 for the confiscation of 243.95 dunumes of land in Surif for the purpose of completing the construction of the Separation wall.
- <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya 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 23 June 2012 at 24:00. On 14.12.2011, Israeli forces placed floating marks 3 miles from Gaza's seashore and warned fishermen against passing beyond the mark. Israeli Naval vessels broke the sea fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza. Israeli combat jets broke the cease fire agreement by launching 3 missiles towards Central Gaza killing 2 Palestinian gunmen and critically injuring 2 other gunmen. Palestinian gunmen launched projectile towards Israeli forces behind the Green Line.

NORTHERN GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access. Attack: (i) At 06:30 on October 14th 2012, Israeli naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya. (ii) At 07:00 on October 13th 2012, Israeli naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya.
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.
CENTRAL GAZA	 Aerial Assault: At 15:50, Israeli drones launched a missile towards a motorcycle carrying Palestinian gunmen near Deir Al-Balah which killed 2 gunmen and critically injured 2 others. Killing: Israeli airstrikes killed Ahmad Fatir and Izz Al-Din Abu Nassir in Deir Al-Balah
KHAN YUNIS	• <u>Palestinian Attack:</u> On the afternoon of October 14 th 2012, Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.

	• Closure of Crossing Points :)
RAFAH	 Closure of Crossing Points:) Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed. Rafah (Al 'Awdah) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, passengers with permits and International aid for school students. Sufa Crossing is closed. Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is open for the entry of humanitarian supplies, cooking gas, truckloads of wheat and Livestock feed, fuel supplies and construction material for internationally funded projects.