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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 30th October 2012 – 08:00, 31st October 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Detention	23	_	23	2 in Jerusalem, 8 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 5 in Nablus,1 in Jericho,1 in Bethlehem and 4 in Hebron including a military officer, a photographer and a Journalist
Temporary Detention	9		9	At checkpoints and residential areas.
Raids	38	1	39	1 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 8 in Jenin,5 in Tulkarem,2 in Qalqiliya, 6 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit, 2 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem, 8 in Hebron and 1 in Gaza.
Closure of Checkpoints	6	_	6	Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint for the purpose of constructing the wall, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem and impeded at 5 others.
Flying Checkpoints	12		12	2 in Jeruaslem,1 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin,2 in Tulkarem,1 in Qalqiliya, 3 in Nablus, 1 in Salfit and 1in Hebron.
Attack	_	3	3	1 during raid, 2 from Naval vessels.
Land Levelling	1	1	2	Israeli forces levelled a plot of land in Hebron, and Gaza.
Wall Construction	16	_	16	Wall construction continued.
Closure (per District)	8	_	8	Including 2 in Bethlehem, 1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Tubas and 5 in Hebron.
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.
Settler Violence	1	_	1	Israeli settlers stoned vehicles in Ramallah.
Palestinian Attack	_	1	1	Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.
TOTAL	189	10	199	

DISTRICT	EVENTS		
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JERUSALEM	 Closure: (i) The Israeli army continues to intensify 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. (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 Ds and another for those possessing permits to access Jerusalem city (ii) On September 19th 2012, Israeli forces closed Ras Khamis checkpoint near Shu'fat camp and impeded the free flow of traffic in order to construct the wall. Raid: At dawn on October 31st 2012, Israeli forces raided Anata, stormed a home and detained a Journalist. Detention: (i) At 19:30, Israeli forces positioned at Qalandiya checkpoint detained Ayash Abdel Rasool a resident of Al-Bireh. (ii) Israeli forces detained Eyad Al-Rifa'I in Anata. Wall Gates: (ii) The Israeli army continues to close with cement blocks the Wall gate in Abu Dis town. (iii) The I		

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 well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. Flying Checkpoint: At 13:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Nabi Saleh junction. Raid: (i) At 09:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Berih city. (ii) At 01:45, Israeli forces raided Betuniya, stormed a home and several storage warehouses and detained 3 residents. (iii) At 01:45, Israeli forces raided Safa village, stormed several homes and detained 5 residents. Detention: (i) Israeli forces detained Fadi Hassouneh , Hamdi Hassouned and Mamdouh Hassouneh in Betuniya. (ii) Israeli forces detained Wissam Karaja, Fadi Karaja, Ahed Karaja, Mahmoud Karaja and Alaa Karaja in Safa village. Settler Violence: On the evening of October 30th 2012, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles passing along the main road along Ramallah and Nablus. 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. Flying Checkpoint: At 14:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Qadd junction. Raid: (i) At 19:00, Israeli forces raided Deir Ghazaleh, Jabloun , Beit Qad , Jalqamous and Al-Mughier villages. (ii) At 02:55, Israeli forces raided Jenin and its camps and detained 2 residents. Detention: Israeli forces detained Abdel Fadil Jad'oun and Mohammad Jad'oun in Jenin camp. 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 intensify its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00.
TULKAREM	 Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close with dirt mounds the road connecting Kafr Al-Labad town to Shufa village. 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 intensify its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. Flying Checkpoint: At 11:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Zieta junction. At 00:15, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint Jaroushiya village junction. Raid: At 09:55, Israeli forces raided Allar and Sayda village. At 13:55, Israeli forces raided Al-Shweikiya neighbourhood in Tulkarem. At 15:10, Israeli forces raided Ramin village, stormed a coffee shop,

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	detained and interrogated several residents.
	• 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.
	• <u>Closure of Roads:</u>
	(i) 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: At 23:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of
	Azzun.
	• Raid: At 16:45 and again at 19:40, Israeli forces raided Azzun, stormed a vehicle
	repair shop.
	• Wall Gates:
0.1-0	(i) The Israeli army continues to restrict access at 'Azzun 'Atma Wall gate and to
QALQILYA	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-
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	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.
	• <u>Checkpoint:</u> At 17:40, Israeli forces intensified its restrictions at Huwara
	checkpoint.
	• Flying Checkpoint:
	(i) At 11:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Beit Dajjan
	village.
	(ii) At 11:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Furiq junction.
	(iii) At 17:40, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of Awarta
	village.
	• Raid:
	(i) At 10:35, Israeli forces raided Beit Umrin, Burqa and Bazariya villages.
NABLUS	(ii) At 02:00, Israeli forces raided Beita, stormed several homes and detained
	4 residents including a National Security Officer.
	(iii) At 02:10, Israeli forces raided Nablus and Asqar camp, detained residents
	and summoned Mohammad Abu Khiet to report to Israeli intelligence for
	questioning.
	• <u>Detention:</u>
	(i) Israeli forces detained Hamza Mohammad, Sakher Shamsiya, Diyab Al-
	Hadi and Diyab Abu Zaytoun in Beita.
	(ii) Israeli forces detained Abdel Rahman Abu Ghalyoun in Nablus.

	• <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> (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.
SALFIT	(iv) Since 14:00 on August 2 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed the bypass road leading
	to Haris village junction.
	• Checkpoints: Israeli forces continue to intensify their restrictions at Za'tara
	checkpoint and impeded the free flow of traffic.
	• Flying Checkpoint: At 01:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the entrance of
	Qarwat Bani Hassan village.
	• Raid: At 19:50, Israeli forces raided Harris village.
	• Wall Construction: Wall construction was halted in the area north of Deir
	Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement for Sabbath holiday.
	• <u>Checkpoints:</u> Israeli forces continue to restrict access through Al-Hamra
	checkpoint set up along the road connecting Jericho and Nablus Districts, only
JERICHO	allowing access to residents of Jericho District and the Jordan Valley.
	• <u>Raid:</u>
	(i) At 10:25, Israeli forces raided Al-Oja village.
	(ii) At 12:30, Israeli forces raided Al-Fasayil village and detained a resident.
	Detention: Israeli forces detained Suliman Ghawanmeh in Fasayil village.
	• Closure: (i) The Israeli array continues to close reads to An Ny'man village with the
	(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
	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
BETHLEHEM	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"
	(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 nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.
	• <u>Raid:</u>
	(i) At 17:20, Israeli forces raided Wadi Fuqin village, searched a home and
	detained a resident.
	(ii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Taqou'.
	• Detention: Israeli forces detained Mohammad Manasra in Wadi Fuqin village.
	• Destruction of Property: At 12:20, Israeli forces destroyed a barracks owned by

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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-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.
- **Flying Checkpoint:** At 20:10, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Al-Tabaqa village junction.

Raid:

- (i) At 11:15 and again at 03:30, Israeli forces raided Yatta and detained a military officer.
- (ii) At 00:20, Israeli forces raided Kharsa village.
- (iii) At 00:45, Israeli forces raided Hebron and detained a resident.
- (iv) At 01:00, Israeli forces raided Dura and Al-Samuo'.
- (v) At dawn on October 31st 2012, Israeli forces raided Al-Majd village and detained a resident.
- (vi) At dawn on October 31st 2012, Israeli forces raided Beit Kahil and detained a resident.

• <u>Detention:</u>

- (i) Israeli forces detained Barkat Mur in Yatta.
- (ii) Israeli forces detained Hamza Zablah in Hebron.
- (iii) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Abu Arqoub in Al-Majd village.
- (iv) Israeli forces detained Sa'ed Al-Asfour in Beit Kahil.
- <u>Land Levelling:</u> At 12:40, Israeli military bulldozers levelled agricultural land in the old city of Hebron and destroyed several vegetable and fruit crops owned by Shadi Jabr, Ghassan Jabr, Arif Rajbi, Rashid Jabr, and Rabi' Jabr.
- <u>Wall Construction</u>: Wall construction resumed in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.

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GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRITS	 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 cease fire agreement by opening fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of North Gaza Palestinian gunmen broke the cease fire agreement by launching 3 projectiles towards the Green Line.
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NORTHERN GAZA	 Closure of Crossing Point: Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access. Attack: (i) At 16:30, Israeli Naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya. (ii) At 06:30, 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. <u>Raid:</u> On the afternoon of October 30th 2012, Israeli forces escorting military bulldozers opened fire towards agricultural land as they levelled a [plot of land in Gaza.
KHAN YUNIS	• <u>Palestinian Attack:</u> On the evening of October 30 th 2012, Palestinian gunmen launched projectiles towards the Green Line.
	Closure of Crossing Points :(All Border crossings are closed)
RAFAH	 Yasser 'Arafat International Airport remains closed.
	• Rafah (<i>Al 'Awdah</i>) Crossing is open for the exit of patients, students, and passengers with permits and International aid for school students.
	 Sufa Crossing is closed.
	Karm Abu Salem (Karem Shalom) Crossing is closed