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PALESTINIAN MONITORING GROUP

DAILY SITUATION REPORT

08:00, 4th September 2012 – 08:00, 5th September 2012

SUMMARY OF EVENTS

EVENT	WEST BANK	GAZA STRIP	TOTAL	NOTES
Injury	1	—	1	A resident was injured after his vehicle overturned as he was being apprehended by Israeli forces in Tulkarem.
Detention	18	2	20	1 in Jerusalem, 1 in Ramallah, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Tubas, 2 in Tulkarem, 3 in Qalqiliya, 5 in Nablus, 2 in Bethlehem, 2 in Hebron and 2 in Central Gaza.
Temporary Detention	8	—	8	At checkpoints and residential area including a child.
Raids	29	—	29	2 in Jerusalem, 3 in Ramallah, 2 in Jenin, 2 in Tubas, 1 in Tulkarem, 1 in Qalqiliya, 8 in Nablus, 3 in Jericho, 2 in Bethlehem and 5 in Hebron.
Closure of Checkpoints	4	—	4	1 temporarily closed, access allowed at checkpoints around Jerusalem and impeded at 3 others.
Flying Checkpoints	14	—	14	2 in Jerusalem, 1 in Jenin, 1 in Qalqilya, 5 in Nablus, 1 in Jericho and 4 in Hebron.
Attack	3	2	5	3 during confrontations, 1 from military posts and 1 from Naval vessels.
Provocation of Palestinian forces	1	—	1	Israeli forces seized a Palestinian National security vehicle in Ramallah
Confiscation of Property	7	—	7	Israeli forces confiscated 7 water tanks in Tubas, Nablus and Jericho.
Destruction of Property	2	—	2	Israeli forces damaged house furniture in Nablus and uprooted olive trees in Hebron.
Land Leveling	2	—	2	Israeli forces levelled land in Bethlehem and Hebron.
Wall Construction	15	—	15	2 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.
Closure of Main Roads	71	—	71	Including 4 in Tulkarem, 8 in Nablus, 24 in Bethlehem and 21 in Hebron.

Closure of Crossings	—	4	4	Rafah crossing open is open for the exit of patients, students, and passengers with permit.
Settler Violence	2	—	2	Israeli settlers stoned vehicles in Nablus and assaulted and injured a female resident and a child in Hebron.
Demonstration	1	—	1	In solidarity with Palestinian detainees.
Palestinian Attack	—	1	1	Launched projectiles towards the Green Line
TOTAL	186	9	195	

DISTRICT	EVENTS
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WEST BANK

JERUSALEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) 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. (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 Ikksa 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 Ikksa village and forces civilians to access Jerusalem city through Qalandia 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>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on September 4th 2012, Israeli forces raided Al-Ram, stormed a home and detained a resident. (ii) At 22:00, Israeli forces raided Abu Dis, clashed with residents then withdrew at 22:45. • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Mohammad Ahmad in Al-Ram. • <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
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	<p>to cross, after subjecting them to thorough searches using electronic devices.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Wall Construction: Wall construction continued 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.
RAMALLAH & AL BIREH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • Closure of Main Roads: The Israeli army continues to close the entrances to Sinjil village as well as the junction to Kafr Malik and 'Ein Samiya villages. • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on September 4th 2012, Israeli forces raided Al-Berih and Ramallah, seized a Palestinian National Security vehicle and allowed it to pass at a later time. (ii) At 17:40, Israeli forces raided Al-Amari camp in Al-Berih and detained a resident. • Attack: At 17:00, Israeli forces positioned near Beituniya checkpoint fired tear gas grenades towards several children for alleged stoning. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Foad Abu Gush in Al-Amari camp in Al-Berih. • 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	<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 Checkpoint: At 08:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the eastern entrance of Ya'bad until 09:30. • Raids: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 20:55, Israeli forces raided Ya'bad until 21:40. (ii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Kafr Ra'i, detained a resident then withdrew at 03:30. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Bassam Sbieh. • 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 increased its restrictions on Palestinian access to the Northern Jordan Valley through the Tayasir checkpoint between the hours of 06:00 and 22:00. • Raid: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 01:30, Israeli forces raided Aqaba village, stormed a home, detained a resident then withdrew at 03:00. (ii) At 01:50, Israeli forces raided Tubas until 03:00. • Detention: Israeli forces detained Jaffar Antar. • Confiscation of Property: At 09:00, Israeli forces confiscated 4 water tanks trucks for allegedly entering a closed military zone near the Jordan Valley.
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 increase its restrictions at Einav checkpoint on the Tulkarem-Nablus main road and impeded the free flow of traffic. • Raid: At dawn on September 4th 2012, Israeli forces raided Tulkarem and detained a resident. • Detention: <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:50, Israeli police detained Mohammad Abu Rab'I a resident of Tulkarem after his vehicle overturned leaving him injured with a broken

	<p>leg as he was being apprehended by Israeli forces along the main road connecting Tulkarem and Nablus.</p> <p>(ii) Israeli forces detained Fakhri Al-Shalabi in Tulkarem.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Demonstration:</u> At 11:00, a demonstration took place in front of the International Red Cross headquarters in Tulkarem in solidarity with Palestinian detainees and demanding their release from Israeli prisons. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> 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.
QALQILYA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 15:20, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the east entrance of Qalqiliya until 16:10. • <u>Raid:</u> At 03:30, Israeli forces raided Qalqiliya, stormed a building and a home, detained 2 residents then withdrew at 05:30. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) On August 29th 2012, Israeli forces detained Mohammad Abdel Karim in Al-Khadr. (ii) Israeli forces detained Hamza Sabra and Mohammad Sabra in Qalqiliya. • <u>Wall Gates:</u> <ul 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. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction 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.
NABLUS	<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 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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 08:45, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Furiq junction until 12:50. (ii) At 08:50, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Shave Shomron junction until 11:30. (iii) At 09:00, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Beit Dajjan village junction until 11:25. (iv) At 09:05, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at Salem village junction. (v) At 09:30, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint between Yitsahar settlement

	<p>and Jit village.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 09:05, Israeli forces raided Salem village until 11:25. (ii) At 11:50, Israeli forces raided Fursh Beit Dajjan, confiscated a water tank truck owned by Sa'd Abu Ammar. (iii) At 19:30, Israeli forces raided Aqraba. (iv) At 22:25, Israeli forces raided Deir Al-Hatab and Salim villages, clashed with residents then withdrew at 23:15. (v) At 23:45, Israeli forces raided Awarta village, searched a home, damaged furniture, detained a residents then withdrew at 00:55. (vi) At 02:20, Israeli forces raided Nablus and Balata camp, stormed several homes, detained 4 residents then withdrew at 05:00. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) Israeli forces detained Goerge Awad in Awarta village. (ii) Israeli forces detained Mohammad Al-Fula, Ayman Al-Fula, Amir Al-Awadmi and Majid Al-Zarba in Nablus. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 10:20, Israeli settlers stoned vehicles passing along the main road near Huwwara.
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) 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 30th 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 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed the bypass road leading to Haris village junction. • <u>Checkpoints:</u> At 08:40, Israeli forces closed at Za'tara checkpoint and reopened it at 09:20. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area north of Deir Istiya town southeast of the illegal settlement.
JERICHO	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 19:35, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint at the south entrance of Jericho until 20:30. • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 11:50, Israeli forces raided Al-Jiftlik village and confiscated 2 water tank trucks owned by Abdel Latif Irmeleh. (ii) At 22:30, Israeli forces raided Fasayil village until 23:00. (iii) At 02:20, Israeli forces raided Jericho; summoned Amjad Atiya to report to Israeli intelligence for questioning then withdrew at 03:00.
BETHLEHEM	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <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 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. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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

	<p>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.</p> <p>(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.</p> <p>(iii) Since August 2nd 2012, Israeli forces closed a road leading to Beit Jalla.</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Raid:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on September 4th 2012, Israeli forces raided Taqou’, searched a home and detained a resident. (ii) At noon on September 4th 2012, Israeli forces raided Husan village and stormed several homes. • <u>Detention:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At 14:40, Israeli forces detained an unidentified resident in Beit Jalla. (ii) Israeli forces detained Ammar Ta’amra in Taqou’. • <u>Land Levelling:</u> At 08:30, Israeli forces levelled a plot of agricultural land owned by Musa Abu Luha and Ahmad Mashal’a in Al-Jab’a village • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued northwest of Beit Jala town.
HEBRON	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Closure of Main Roads:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (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. • <u>Flying Checkpoint:</u> At 14:25, Israeli forces set up a checkpoint in the area between Hebron city and Dura. • <u>Raids:</u> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> (i) At dawn on September 4th 2012, Israeli forces raided Surif and stormed a home. (ii) At 11:45, Israeli forces raided Al-Urub camp and detained 2 residents. (iii) At 11:45 and again at 15:00, Israeli forces raided Hebron, stormed a home and set up 3 checkpoint.

	<p>(iv) At 23:10, Israeli forces raided Halhul</p> <ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> Israeli forces detained Omar AlBasali and Ahmad Al-Badawi. • <u>Land Levelling:</u> At 11:45, Israeli forces levelled 6 dunums of agricultural land in Surif and uprooted several olive trees owned by Raed Abu Kharfish. • <u>Settler Violence:</u> At 21:00, Israeli settlers assaulted Sundus Al-Aza and her brother Ahmad (12 years) during which Israeli forces detained them as they were attempting to defend themselves against the settler's assault and released them at dawn on September 5th 2012. • <u>Wall Construction:</u> Wall construction continued in the area surrounding the illegal settlement Eshkolot, west of Al-Thahiriya town.
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GAZA STRIP

ALL DISTRICTS	<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 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 forces broke the cease fire agreement by opening fire towards central Gaza. • 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 projectiles towards the Green Line.
NORTHERN GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Point:</u> Beit Hanun (Erez) is open for humanitarian assistance, journalists and international access. • <u>Attack:</u> On the morning of September 5th 2012, Israeli naval vessels opened fire towards Palestinian fishing boats off the shores of Beit Lahiya.
GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points:</u> <ol 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.
CENTRAL GAZA	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Detention:</u> On the afternoon of September 4th 2012, Israeli forces detained 2 unidentified residents after opening fire towards them for allegedly attempting to climb the border fence into Israel.
KHAN YUNIS	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Palestinian Attack:</u> On the evening of September 4th 2012, Palestinian gunmen launched a projectile towards the Green Line.
RAFAH	<ul style="list-style-type: none"> • <u>Closure of Crossing Points :</u> • 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

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